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Monmouth, ...HENRY E. ACKERSON, Jr.
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Ocean, ...DAVID G. CONRAD.
Passaic, ...THOMAS F. McCRAN.
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JOURNAL OF THE SENATE.

TUESDAY, January 8th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock M., this being the time and place appointed by the Constitution for the assembling of the Legislature, the Senate was called to order by the Hon. Emerson L. Richards, the Senator from Atlantic county, who read the following statement:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, Thomas F. Martin, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the following members of the Senate have been duly qualified:

Emerson L. Richards, for Atlantic county.
Wm. B. Mackay, Jr., for Bergen county.
Harold B. Wells, for Burlington county.
Lewis T. Stevens, for Cape May county.
J. Hampton Fithian, for Cumberland county.
Cornelius A. McGlennon, for Hudson county.
George F. Martens, Jr., for Hunterdon county.
James Hammond, for Mercer county.
William Edwin Florance, for Middlesex county.
Harry W. Mutchler, for Morris county.
David L. Conrad, for Ocean county.
Thomas F. McCran, for Passaic county.
Samuel T. Munson, for Sussex county.

And it further appears that at the general election held on the sixth day of November, A. D. 1917, members of the Senate were duly elected as follows:

Joshua C. Haines, for Camden county.
Charles C. Pilgrim, for Essex county.
Edward L. Sturgess, for Gloucester county.
Henry E. Ackerson, Jr., for Monmouth county.
Collins B. Allen, for Salem county.
Clarence E. Case, for Somerset county.
William N. Runyon, for Union county.
Thomas Barber, for Warren county.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed

my official seal, at Trenton, this eighth day of January, A. D. 1918.

THOMAS F. MARTIN,
[SEAL.] *Secretary of State.*

Mr. McGlennon moved that the Hon. Samuel T. Munson, of Sussex county, be appointed President *pro tempore.*

Mr. Ackerson, of Monmouth county, seconded this nomination.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards appointed Senators McGlennon and Florance to conduct the President *pro tempore* to the chair.

Mr. McGlennon moved that Francis B. Davis, of Gloucester county, be appointed temporary Secretary.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards presented the credentials of the Senators elected, as follows:

Joshua C. Haines, for Camden county.
Charles C. Pilgrim, for Essex county.
Edward L. Sturgess, for Gloucester county.
Henry E. Ackerson, Jr., for Monmouth county.
Collins B. Allen, for Salem county.
Clarence E. Case, for Somerset county.
William N. Runyon, for Union county.
Thomas Barber, for Warren county.

And the oath of office was administered by the President *pro tempore.*

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore,* the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the election of a President.

Mr. Richards nominated the Hon. Thomas F. McCran, of Passaic county.

Mr. McGlennon nominated the Hon. William Edwin Florance, of Middlesex county.

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore,* the Secretary called the Senate, with the following result:

The Senators voting for Mr. McCran were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

Senators voting for Mr. Florance were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Martens, McCran, McGlennon, Munson—6.

Mr. McCran, having received the majority of all the votes cast, was declared by the President *pro tempore* duly elected President of the Senate for the ensuing year, and was conducted to the chair by Senators Ackerson, Richards and Wells.

The oath of office was administered by the President *pro tempore.*

The President, on taking the chair, addressed the Senators as follows:

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

It is with grateful appreciation of the honor conferred upon me that I enter upon the duties of President of this distinguished body. Ever mindful of the confidence you have reposed in me, I shall earnestly endeavor to show my appreciation by strict attention to and faithful discharge of the duties imposed.

The work of the session should be concluded at an early date. When we have kept, in letter and in spirit, the pledges made to the people in our platform, and have enacted such legislation as may be necessary in order to assist our President and the national government in the prosecution of the war, we should then adjourn at once. Our sense of patriotism demands this of us.

The members of the Legislature, in attending at sessions, are taken from their ordinary pursuits, which should, in these times, be avoided as far as possible, and should not continue one day beyond that which is absolutely necessary for the consideration of legislation that is imperatively required.

The limitation of subjects of legislation to be considered, the early reporting of bills by committees, and the prompt attendance at sittings of the Legislature, will enable us to expedite our work, and, without sacrificing thoroughness, introduce the precedent of business methods which Governor Edge has so happily and successfully inaugurated in the affairs of our State.

The Senate will be called to order punctually at the hour fixed for convening, and I earnestly ask your hearty co-operation and active assistance in the work that lies before us.

Again, I thank you.

Prayer was then offered by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then proceeded to the election of a Secretary.

Mr. Richards nominated Mr. William H. Albright, of Gloucester county, which was seconded by Mr. McGlennon.

Mr. Albright was elected by the following vote:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Albright, being declared elected Secretary of the Senate, took the oath as prescribed by law.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate has organized and elected Hon. Thomas F. McCran, of the county of Passaic, President, and Mr. William H. Albright, of the county of Gloucester, Secretary, and is now ready to proceed to business and also to receive any communication that he may make.

The President appointed Senators Wells, Mackay and Florance.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has organized and elected the Hon. Thomas F. McCran, of the county of Passaic, President, and William H. Albright, of the county of Gloucester, Secretary, and has proceeded to business.

Mr. Richards offered in nomination the following officers and moved their election to their respective positions:

Assistant Secretary of the Senate—William F. Groves, of the county of Union.

President's Secretary—John Pomfret, Jr., of the county of Passaic.

Chaplain—Rev. Edward G. Read, of the county of Union.

Supervisor of Bills—Robert M. Johnston, of the county of Atlantic.

Assistant Supervisor of Bills—William H. Bibgood, of the county of Morris.

Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills—Howard F. Woolston, of the county of Somerset.

Journal Clerk—William S. Stiles, of the county of Salem.

Assistant Journal Clerk—Franklin S. Walker, of the county of Camden.

Second Assistant Journal Clerk—Charles H. Lincoln, of the county of Gloucester.

Calendar Clerk—George W. Hurlburt, of the county of Ocean.

Bill Clerk—John Z. Demarest, of the county of Bergen.

Assistant Bill Clerk—Thomas S. Mooney, of the county of Burlington.

Sergeant-at-Arms—J. Albert Harris, of the county of Cape May.

Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—Frank Chew, of the county of Cumberland.

Secretary to Committee on Appropriations—Owen W. Kite, of the county of Mercer.

Clerk to Committee on Printed Bills—Frank Chiaravalli, of the county of Somerset.

Clerk to Committee on Appropriations—William H. Heisler, Jr., of the county of Burlington.

Clerk to Committee on Stationery and Incidentals—William M. Wright, of the county of Mercer.

Committee Clerks—George E. Kaegi and David Stegman, of the county of Essex; Orin E. Payne, of the county of Ocean; Lorenzo Carey, of the county of Gloucester.

Stenographers—Alfred H. Sapp, of the county of Cape May; John Thaler, of the county of Mercer; William Sauerhoff, of the county of Camden.

Doorkeepers—William A. Kinney, of the county of Morris; Herman Davis, of the county of Cumberland; Ernest Van Iderstine, of the county of Essex; Samuel Kleinfeld, of the county of Salem; Albert E. Bullock, of the county of Passaic.

Gallery Keepers—Samuel Reynolds, of the county of Ocean; George Hauck, of the county of Bergen; John Barnes, of the county of Mercer.

File Clerks—William O. Oliver, of the county of Bergen; Frank DeLuca, of the county of Cumberland; John May, of the county of Morris; Herbert D. Sloate, of the county of Passaic.

Pages—Edred Hibbs, of the county of Camden; Raymond Schroeder, of the county of Essex; C. Leslie Hudson and Andrew Sella, of the county of Mercer.

The officers nominated by Mr. Richards were then elected by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian,, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

In the negative—None.

Senator-elect Pilgrim having arrived, on motion of Mr. Richards the oath of office was administered by Senator Munson.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That unless otherwise ordered, the daily sessions of the Senate shall begin at eleven o'clock in the forenoon and at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the number of copies of the Legislative Manuals apportioned by law to the State Senate be distributed on the same basis as at the session of 1917.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby directed to furnish each member, clerical officer and reporter one copy of Members' Pocket Calendar of Legislature of 1918.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That 1,000 copies of each bill, joint resolution and concurrent resolution, daily memorandums and gummed synopsis sheets be printed for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Stationery and Incidental Expenses be authorized to procure bill files and the necessary stationery and supplies for the use of the members and officers of the Senate.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the President of the Senate is hereby directed to instruct the State Printer to mail to each member of the Senate, at his residence and business address, at least one copy of each bill and resolution, both Senate and House, as soon as the same is printed.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to report daily to the Secretary the absence without leave of any of the officers and attaches of the Senate; the complete report of such absentees and the time lost to be furnished to the Committe on Appropriations at the closing of the session, and that a pro rata reduction be made by such committee, and a copy of their report be furnished to the Comptroller.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That 800 copies of the Weekly Senate Journal be printed, and the State Printer be directed to mail copies to each member of the Senate and House and to the clerical officers of each body.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey (the House of Assembly concurring), That the State Printer be directed to furnish to the State Library, as soon as printed, for the use of the Legislative Department of said State Library, and for exchange of said State Library with the State Libraries and Legislative Reference Libraries of other States, twenty copies each of all bills and joint concurrent resolutions introduced in the Senate and House of Assembly, as well as printed committee substitutes; also forty copies of each weekly installment of the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the House of Assembly, and forty copies each of the gummed slips containing synopses of Senate and Assembly bills introduced.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved, That the rules of the last session of the Senate, as

printed in the Legislative Manual for 1917, pages 647 to 657, inclusive, be and the same are adopted hereby for the government of the present session,

With the following amendment, page 22, new paragraph 71:

No standing rule or order of the Senate shall be suspended unless by the consent of a majority of the Senators elected, nor rescinded or amended but by the same number, and one day's notice shall be given of the motion for rescission or amendment.

Adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were:

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Martens, McGlennon, Munson—6.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATURE:

You are about to write final chapters of the story of how our State Government was made an active partner with industrial, commercial and human energy in the development of New Jersey's wonderful natural resources. It will be a vitally interesting story. It will record the task of bringing a State Government, a vague thing as usually viewed, nearer to the people. Not the operation of an experimental laboratory of democracy, but simple adherence to the old compound of ordinary business principles will be the general theme. The story will picture government, not as frequently portrayed, a deterrent to individual initiative and enterprise, but as a helpful agency of coöperation. Its pages will show government operating in concert with accepted business customs of directness, dispatch, economy and efficiency, rather than in accord with partisan habits of lost motion, procrastination, extravagance and mismanagement. You will feel a sense of pride as factors primarily responsible for a rearrangement of public affairs which will have enabled the State household fully to measure up to

the limitless opportunities of New Jersey, thoroughy to mine the rich ore of its undeveloped assets, smoothly to coöperate with the Federal Government in that greater national growth and position to which New Jersey is entitled by the importance of its geographical situation and its commercial advantages among the States of the Union.

FUTURE POSSIBILITIES OF PRESENT WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT.

It is essential to get the proper atmosphere in order to keep the objectives of a business form of State Government ever before us. Therefore, I ask your indulgence while I defer for a moment reference to immediate legislative needs and digress to the possibilities of the future New Jersey, to the entirely plausible results in years to come of progressive steps already undertaken or in process of incubation. For instance, the creation of the New York–New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission, constituting the first step in the National partnership in big things of New York and New Jersey.

To-day this body is serving the Federal Government, along with Cabinet officers and other executives, as the War Board of the Port of New York. Already the Federal War Department is spending millions on the acquisition and reclamation of thousands of practically idle acres on the Raritan River and Newark Bay so that they may be transformed into gigantic port terminals calculated, eventually, of course, to expand New Jersey commercially and industrially at the same time as such projects relieve congestion at the Port of New York, the National institution, and supply a very positive war-time need. Does not this reveal the splendid opportunity of capitalizing our waterfront assets, not merely as a war expediency, but under all conditions?

FACILITIES NEED OF THE HOUR.

With necessary Federal coöperation, cultivation can be given to New Jersey's commercial and industrial soil that will produce a harvest of benefit to the whole country. Opportunity in the past found us sleeping at the switch. We are obliged to ask housewives and business men and shopkeepers to save at

the spigot because there has been all manner of waste at the bung of neglected opportunity. The present conflict has revealed past folly. Lack of facilities—of transportation, of shipbuilding and the like—constitutes one of the chief obstacles that the Government must overcome in the war. New Jersey, with her numerous waterfronts, such as the Raritan, Hackensack, Passaic and Delaware Rivers and Newark, New York and Delaware Bays, is ready to provide them with Federal encouragement. For miles and miles north of the Passaic and Raritan Rivers the greatest industrial centre in the East, honeycombed with railroads and rivers emptying into the harbor, nearly surrounded by valuable waterfront still largely undeveloped and situated on the seaboard at the greatest gateway for the world's commerce, New Jersey is the logical architect of those facilities which form the keystone of the Nation's mighty arch of progress and success. Facilities, facilities, and more facilities, should be the aim of government with a broad vision.

I know of the opinion which counsels that public improvement be deferred until the war is ended. Frankly, I don't agree with it. The more facilities and producing power at home the stronger we shall be in the trench. France is pushing her great railroad tunnels through the mountains amid the very din of battle. A nation is like a business in that if it does not go forward it goes backward; there is no standing still. Expense in this connection is mostly a ghost of popular prejudice, for when you capitalize assets, whether of a State or of an individual, you don't waste money, you make money. Neglect to do so is simply lost opportunity, which in great part can never be regained.

OWNERSHIP OF COMMERCIAL WATERFRONT.

To illustrate, when North Jersey's commercial and industrial facilities are increased, a market is created for the agricultural products of Central and South Jersey; consequently the latter sections are well able to bear their share of the first cost in securing those facilities. Again, I take it that one of the

ultimate results—of course, not this year or the next—of port development work, will be the acquisition of the State's valuable commercial waterfront within the limits of the Port of New York, now in the hands of individuals. While it would require considerable money to finance this, yet a plan to lease it back to present owners or lessees and develop it uniformly along modern lines, meeting present and future demands for waterfront facilities, would unquestionably result in such a vast increase in taxable ratables that first cost would very shortly dwindle in the relative proportion to State-wide benefits derived.

MILLIONS IN NEW RIPARIAN POLICY.

And while considering the financial aspect it is most interesting to reflect on the effect of a progressive waterfront or commercial policy in relation to the State's determination hereafter to lease riparian lands instead of granting them in fee or leasing with conversionary rights. This radical, but I may say businesslike, change in riparian land administration, was agreed upon some months ago, and I urge that the Legislature provide at this session any further measures which may be deemed necessary to give the leasing plan force and effect. The future of the new and sound policy is fraught with business possibilities. To-day there are nearly one thousand miles of desirable water frontage for industrial and other uses in this State not yet sold. These lands are estimated to represent a present value of approximately $22,740,800.00. I take it that seven per cent. of estimated value would be a fair basis for fixing rental; or in other words, if all riparian lands, instead of being given away in fee at small sale price for the most part fixed by the standards of undeveloped property were to be leased to-day, the State's annual rental from this source would approximate $1,591,856.00. This contemplates a demand for all available riparian lands, which, of course, is a condition that the future must determine. But think of the marvelous possibilities lying back of the joint enterprises of riparian right conservation and waterfront development! Is it too much to say that in fifty or a hundred years, by reason of

intensive development, our waterfront will increase in value a thousand per cent., approximating $227,408,000.00 and bringing in annually a rental of $15,918,560.00? Similar increases in value during a period even shorter have not been infrequent in seashore resorts and certain industrial sections. There is nothing visionary about this prospect of rental from a single State source exceeding the present gross receipts of State funds from every source, a sum now of approximately $12,917,658.00. It is a simple business proposition. Riparian lands have an uncertain value which counsels against giving them away. Our waterfront is there to be developed. If a sound policy of conservation is combined with constructive energy and enterprise, the result is bound to be such that the bugaboo of a State property tax for general purposes will fade into space forever and those who doubt the necessity of spending money in order to make money will lose their skepticism.

PRESENT NEEDS—BRIEF, BUSINESSLIKE SESSION.

I shall now address you on present needs, rather than the possibilities of wise development.

Much has been accomplished. The foundation and superstructure of a business government are in place; now we must turn out the finished product. Legislation which is still necessary in order to fully carry out the program can, I confidently believe, be secured during the next seven or eight weeks. You gentlemen are desirous of applying businesslike principles to the technical machinery of the Legislature as you are to the balance of the government of the State, and I need scarcely call your attention to the imperative necessity of a brief, accurate legislative session. Businesslike law-making is of the essence of business government.

RIVER TRAFFIC PROJECTS.

Commissions to supervise the construction of a traffic bridge over the Delaware River, connecting New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and a tunnel under the Hudson River, connecting New

Jersey and New York, have been established, appointed and organized. It is plainly necessary that an adequate system of financing these improvements now be provided. Commissions in charge of these projects have agreed that they are very properly regarded as extensions of the State Highway System, now in course of construction, and in accordance with this view I call your attention to the fact that any State-wide tax imposed for the purpose of financing the river traffic improvements should not be levied until after taxes sufficient to finance the road system completely have been levied. In other words, in order to avoid duplication, excessive taxation and as a matter of ordinary business judgment, taxation for the purpose of meeting the cost of the river traffic construction should not begin until about four years hence, when the highway overland system shall have been financed. In the meantime it becomes necessary to negotiate and conclude details of construction with the States to be so connected, and, following that, to decide mutually on engineering plans. If, when this is all complete, succeeding legislatures believe through existing conditions that the tax should be brought forward, that is a matter of simple legislative action. The bills recommended provide the method. Of necessity future legislatures must decide on the time. General Goethals, the State Engineer, has estimated the cost of the two river traffic improvements at $24,000,000.00, which makes New Jersey's share $12,000,000.00, or less than the cost of the highway system. These figures, considered in a comparative way, indicate what possibilities exist for developing and capitalizing the natural resources of New Jersey, through a businesslike and equitable method of financing, without imposing any sudden or severe burden upon property or people. I confidently believe that after the road construction has progressed for a year or more the payment plan will be found so eminently fair and easy to sustain and the benefits of good roads so great and plainly visible that the State will be not only willing, but eager, for further expansion along the same lines.

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STATE INSTITUTIONS—PENAL, CORRECTIONAL AND OTHERWISE.

A commission has worked for the past year investigating penal and correctional institutions of the State with a view to their permanent betterment. Another commission has similarly labored with regard to State institutions other than penal and correctional. Now, it is of paramount importance that legislation be enacted, based upon the reports submitted by these two commissions, designed to centralize responsibility and thus remedy ills of administration, management and control and to solve, in a practical way, the problems of prison labor and institutional economy and efficiency. At least two successful experiments with reformatory labor in this State must act as a stimulus to the latter task. One, the building of the Georgetown-Wrightstown road, leading to Camp Dix, and the other the cultivation of State-owned land in Hunterdon County, which resulted in a farm output upon which a net profit of $10,000.00 was realized.

OBLIGATIONS AT HOME.

There is very good reason why we should pay particular attention to the betterment of our State institutions during this period of stress. The war in which we are engaged is one for liberty, independence and civilization. While we are fighting for these things in a fundamental, world-wide sense, we cannot afford to neglect vital and important interests such as the support of charities at home, and the proper care of helpless ones within our borders. Special efforts must be made to provide better facilities and more relief for dependents, and I know of no more effective way to bring this about than through the reorganization of our institutional system along businesslike lines. The war will end some day. Then we will need experienced, coördinated eleemosynary activities in order to effectively and economically cope with conditions.

Pertinent to this is the thought that perhaps our law should be more considerate of those unfortunates born out of wedlock. I

have thought that a plan whereby such children would be made the lawful issue of the father for the purpose of inheritance and the father prohibited from cutting them off by will or from property of which he shall have become seized during their minority, would not be out of harmony with the principles of justice. Of course, such a plan should also contain very effective safeguards against blackmail. That is a detail. The important thing is that something practical be done to protect the innocent in illegitimacy.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

Efficiency experts have been inquiring into the conditions and regulations surrounding State and municipal employees under the direction of a new Civil Service Commission established with a view to making progress in this important detail of the State's business. A report will be submitted to you dealing with the standardization of salaries, qualifications, hours of employment and rules for promotion in the service, and I urge that legislation be enacted conscientiously following the recommendations thus made in the interest of a merit system that will sturdily withstand all corrupting influences. The legislation should be broad enough to encourage efficiency in State service by providing an equal opportunity for all. As a means of meeting a very positive condition, the necessity for higher wages and salaries in order to meet the unusual cost of living must enter into this question, not as a part of our fixed relations between the State and its employees, but as a temporary expedient. I believe the solution lies in a percentage bonus, granted in the budget from year to year until the living crisis is over. In the meantime employees should be properly classified through the contemplated standardization plan.

FUNDAMENTAL CHANGE IN FINANCIAL POLICY.

Financial methods in the State business require the same constant attention that they receive in the sound private business. It is important that they be made to conform to those standards

which the lessons of experience teach. You know of the present prosperous condition of the Treasury. Despite large sums of money advanced to the Federal Government and also the continually increasing cost of operating all business establishments, private or public, the State Treasury showed a clear, net balance at the end of the fiscal year in October last of $2,458,591.28, which was $602,287.41 in excess of the balance over and above all obligations of $1,856,303.87 the year previous, and six hundred and fifty per cent. more than the public purse at the end of the next previous administration of 1913. Our income in November and December last, the first two months of the current year, shows an increase of one hundred per cent. over the same two months of 1916. We can boast of a larger free balance in the Treasury to-day than at any time within the history of the State. Many precautions are being taken, nevertheless, to conserve the public funds and to make the State's business a profitable business. Departmental heads and commissions, sitting frequently as a board of directors, exchange with the Executive helpful views looking to efficiency and good of the service. The State House Commission, meeting frequently, has already set in motion plans for strict economy in stationery, postage, telephone and telegraph charges and other common sources of neglect and waste in the State offices. Much progress has been made. Yet there must be no tempering of the vigilance. I feel very strongly the necessity for legislation providing that all revenue-earning departments, boards, commissions and institutions of the State, instead of applying this revenue to maintenance or other expenses, as now provided, shall turn the money into the State Treasury, where it will be checked out when and for such purposes only as appropriations authorized in the usual way may provide. My view is that this will be found a more economical, as, of course, it is a more businesslike, method.

TAXATION.

The question of taxation or rather its inequalities is becoming, as governmental costs ascend, more and more serious.

Money, of course, must be raised for these purposes, but careful research and inquiry should be made to equalize the burden. It is my conviction that every department of the State government should give careful thought to the possibility of making consistent and proper charges for services rendered to the public, that those especially benfited by State activities should pay for such service, and thus a State government would distribute the tax burden where it more properly belongs, instead of the hit-or-miss plan of too much general and property tax. This is the natural outcome of a business government, and is a subject I have already opened with various departments and is already well developed in the Department of Labor. I shall have more to suggest on this subject later.

CHANGING THE FISCAL YEAR.

As a proposition to bring about more intelligent State financing, I invite your attention to the suggestion that our fiscal year for the State be changed so that it will begin on July first rather than November first, as now. There are several reasons which strongly commend such a change. First the Executive and legislators could provide for a budget with better knowledge of conditions as they will exist during the time that the funds are needed, and therefore with far greater intelligence, if the money were to be expended at a period beginning within a short time after the close of the average legislative session, rather than practically six months or a year hence. Secondly, some of the appropriations which the Administration is called upon to authorize are for the purpose of constructing new buildings in connection with State institutions, and manifestly it is almost impossible to judge a year in advance, not only of what the needs of institutions will be with reference to additional facilities, but also to judge the amount of money which will be required for building constructions; and consideration must be given to the fact that considerable time is necessary in order to prepare specifications and plans and arrange for actual building even after an appro-

priation is authorized. Again, with a fiscal year beginning July 1st, the anomaly of the legislators providing for the expenses of the State government during a period when they are not in charge of the government is, to a large extent, avoided. Such a fiscal year would run concurrently with the present school fiscal year and also with the Federal fiscal year. I respectfully recommend legislation to this end, and am discussing this and other financial changes in more detail in my message accompanying the budget.

EXTENDED HOME RULE AND LOCAL OPTION.

Last year the Legislature greatly extended the power of home rule in the municipalities of our State and thus relieved future legislatures of much detail labor. At the same time, as a result of providing this broader jurisdiction in law-making to municipalities, a mass of statutes thereby rendered useless were repealed. There should be further legislation along these identical lines this year. New Jersey municipalities are capable of the fullest measure of home rule, and it is sheer waste of time and energy to oblige municipalities, which term includes counties as well, to apply to the Legislature every time it is desired to take action which the municipalities are entirely capable of taking on their own initiative and which is in harmony with constitutional principles. In addition, the home rule principle must be extended to the excise question in order that municipalities which are entrusted with self-government in other matters may also be entrusted with self-government in the matter of liquor licenses; and, following the Republican party's pledge to the people, I urge the passage of a four-square local option bill. It will be wise in this connection to give careful consideration to regulation in the matter of excise privileges as well. In this way, where a municipality votes under the home rule principle for excise, some further control could likewise be secured.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT—CITY MANAGER PLAN.

Closely associated with home rule legislation is the subject of municipal government generally. New Jersey has a commission government act, and this has been adopted by a number of cities which have found the new form of government a vast improvement over the old councilmanic, or representative form. The only criticism I hear does not counsel going back to the old form, but rather extending the commission principle. For instance, it is contended, first, that the very small commission made necessary by the fact that individual members of the governing body act as heads of departments, gives the city often a smaller board than is necessary to secure representation of all of the elements of the city; and, secondly, that the commission plan providing no adequate executive, because of the fact that every commissioner is supreme in his own department, inter-departmental conflicts are likely to arise, especially over appropriations, the interests of the city as a whole often suffering because each department is pulling for itself. The remedy suggested in connection with this criticism is the so-called City Manager plan, whereby the commission itself, which in that case need not be limited to three or five members, instead of distributing its power among its own members for administrative purposes, acts only in a legislative capacity and controls administration through a single appointive executive—City Manager—who in turn controls the various departments of the city government. Of course, no such State-wide legislation would be necessary if home rule legislation were sufficiently flexible to permit cities to have the City Manager plan by special home rule charters, as in the case of California, Colorado and Arizona. However, I am here referring to the subject, not with any special recommendation, but merely with the idea that it may be found desirable for this matter to have our mutual attention. Laws permitting the adoption of the City Manager form are in operation now in Massachusetts, Virginia, Ohio, Kansas, Idaho, Montana, South Dakota and North Carolina. It is not a mere experiment in theory, and I am

heartily in favor of permitting cities to adopt any form of government which meets local conditions and local wishes. Self-government is the secret of good government.

NECESSITY FOR RURAL POLICE.

For years in this State the issue of a State-directed and controlled police system has been a football of politics. No doubt this has been due largely to the popular impression, gained years ago, that a State Constabulary, so-called, could mean nothing else but an organization instituted by the Government for the purpose of bulldozing and roughriding Labor in its controversies with Capital. There never was a time in the history of the State when rural police protection was more imperatively necessary than it is to-day, and it seems to me that it is our duty to face this question courageously, regardless of the consequences of popular misunderstanding, and to invite citizens to look upon the subject not as a conspiracy against any particular class, but without prejudice and traditional opposition as one of vital concern to many sections and all interests in New Jersey.

New Jersey is a thickly populated State. Its problems are both similar to and different from those of Pennsylvania and New York. The rapidly increasing population in suburban sections—that is beyond town and city limits—needs protection to-day more than ever because of the abnormal conditions. Unfortunate instances which have occurred both before and since the beginning of war strongly indicate this necessity. Industrial plants and industrial sections likewise require such protection, in addition to the local communities, because of the fact that our manufacturers are turning out many of the supplies needed by the Government and her Allies for the war. Local police forces are necessarily inadequate for this function because of the location of many plants outside of city limits. I am frank to say that I believe a properly regulated and directed State Police Force can be established under wisely formulated legislative regulations and restrictions, which will be adequate to

provide such proper protection and yet not be subject to such abuses as are commonly anticipated and against which the public is amply warranted in demanding safeguards. It is the duty of the Legislature to provide some practical method of rural police protection under State control. The form which this should take is a matter for legislative consideration.

ELIMINATION OF TOLL BRIDGES.

The task of eliminating toll bridges, which are undemocratic and relics of a past day, should be continued vigorously, and to this end it is the duty of the Legislature to continue the Commission appointed for the purpose and to see that it is sufficiently equipped with funds for the work.

CORPORATION LAW REVISION.

With a view to further attracting legitimate business to New Jersey, and yet taking care not to open the doors to corporate fraud, there should be an additional modification of our existing corporation laws. The last Legislature found that New Jersey, entirely without reason, was limping under corporation restrictions which did not conform at all to the Clayton Act of the Federal Government, thus creating an atmosphere of business uncertainty and penalizing the State unnecessarily. This was remedied. Since then other defects have been found and these should likewise be remedied to the end that New Jersey may offer a hospitable field for legitimate business while not forfeiting any of the safeguards against frenzied and unscrupulous financiers.

STATE'S ATTITUDE TOWARD BUSINESS.

I submit, as a general proposition, that the attitude of a State government toward business corporations should be judicial. By that I mean it should be fair, sound, dispassionate, free alike from the sinister influences of organized capital corrupted

and the destructive prejudices of that school which misjudges all corporation business by the abuses of some. We should consider that corporations, large and small, are feeling the pinch of the high cost of living, of materials and of labor in the same degree as individual business men. Moreover, wise public regulation prevents certain classes of corporations from arbitrarily shifting the burden of higher costs to the shoulders of the ultimate consumer as unregulated business is doing. Conditions today are no respectors of business because it is big. We must keep our minds open, therefore, and be as ready to assist the corporation business, especially under State regulation, in the solution of financial economies and other emergency problems, as we are the small business or the consumer or patron not under State or Federal control. Perhaps such an attitude will require courage since it flies in the face of popular prejudice. But there is not a single interest in a community which may be unjustly penalized without the injury spreading to other interests. Popular prejudice is a contagious disease. One function of sound government is to equalize the poison by adopting the square deal policy.

LIMIT ON AMOUNT AND USE OF CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES.

Wanton waste of money in political campaigns demands immediate legislative attention. New Jersey's Corrupt Practices Act is effective as far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. True, a candidate is limted in his expenses, and his committee must give an accounting of moneys received and disbursed, but the loophole is found in the fact that there is nothing to prevent a candidate's friends from spending as much as they like in his behalf. This opportunity for circumvention has led to excessive campaign extravagances in the past, from all political sides. Unless promptly curbed these are apt to lead to money corruption and a popular contempt for the ballot. I respectfully suggest that the remedy be applied through an amendment to the Corrupt Practices Act, further restricting contributions and also the uses to which they may be put in political

propaganda. Such restrictions should be upon the candidate's friends as well as upon the candidate himself, and an expenditure of money by them in excess of the legal limit should have the effect of rendering the expendor liable for a misdemeanor and likewise forfeiting the right of the candidate to take office, in all cases except where there was evidence of a conspiracy to violate the law deliberately to keep a political opponent out of office. In other words, the expenditure of more than a certain amount in the interest of a candidate or party, no matter who spends it, should be prohibited. My thought is that $25,000.00 in a State candidacy and $5,000.00 in a county candidacy would be regarded as a fair maximum to be contributed in total by the candidate and by his friends in his behalf. Certainly such sums would not be found inadequate if the uses to which campaign money is put were further regulated. Intelligent newspaper advertisements, discussion of issues at public meetings and personal mailed appeals are far more effective than gaudy billboard posters, meaningless pictures on telegraph poles or the popularly ignored circular that litters the front yard. The latter methods should be absolutely prohibited in an amendment to the Corrupt Practices Act, which amendment would prove more effective than the so-called highway-marring bill of the last session. When the law supervises or circumscribes campaign expenditures in a practical way it will be found possible to limit campaign expenditures to sums within reason and within the price of the average man. Then again, it would prove a great deterrent if campaign expenditures were published before a primary and an election instead of afterward. In simultaneous action on both propositions, therefore, lies the solution.

REDUCING ELECTION OPERATING EXPENSES.

I think everyone agrees that considerable money can be saved on the actual physical operation of elections. The suggestion has been made that a long step in this direction could be taken by arrangement to conduct elections in public schoolhouses. In addition to the saving of expense of rental, such a proposition

would tend to heighten the tone of elections, removing them further from degrading environment and placing them on the plane conceived by the framers of the Constitution. Elections are strictly of an educational character, the fundamentals of civil government, and I cannot imagine a more proper use for a public school building on a day that is by law a legal holiday. It seems to me that it is the duty of the Legislature to seek counsel of public school administrators in the State for the purpose of finding out how these arrangements may be made in a practical and satisfactory way.

If our experience with public school buildings as polling places were to be found satisfactory, the next logical step would be to secure the services of our public school teaching forces as election officers, of course with compensation additional to that granted for teaching duties. I fail to see anything inconsistent or impractical in commandeering the brains and training of our public school instructors in the highly important task of honestly conducting our elections and accurately interpreting our complex election laws.

Further election law changes I propose discussing in a later message.

AMPLIFICATION OF COMPENSATION LAW.

As conditions change, the necessity of paying constant attention to our Workmen's Compensation Act and its practical operation will be recognized. The Compensation Bureau established in the Department of Labor should be clothed with power to decide disputes, rather than merely persuade toward compromise and thus sometimes fail to avoid needless and costly litigation. Furthermore, there is need of legislation looking to the interests of the State with reference to the disposition of compensation in the case of the death of persons without dependents or known beneficiaries. In fact, this is only reasonable. Unlike most States, the insurance carriers are not required to compete with a State Insurance Fund, but practically all the business of the State is divided among them with a supervision of rates by

the rating bureau. The adjustment of claims arising under the operation of the Workmen's Compensation Law is certainly a part of the necessary administration of this act, and in my judgment it appears to be a reasonable and proper charge to be divided among the insurance carriers and self-insurers operating in the State. Under the operation of the act, where a worker dies without dependents the only charge upon the carrier is for funeral expenses in the amount of $100.00. If a law were enacted which would require the payment of the sum of $400.00 in addition to the burial charges, by the insurance carrier, or self-insurer, into the Treasury of the State where a worker dies under these circumstances a sufficient sum would be raised thereby to defray the entire expenses of the Workmen's Compensation Aid Bureau, and at the same time the insurance carrier or self-insurer would have been required to pay $1,100.00 less than would have been the case if the worker had only one dependent.

LABOR DEPARTMENT REVENUE.

There are a number of other features connected with the activities of the Department of Labor which it would appear reasonable to consider as a charge against concerns immediately affected. For instance, I believe a fee ought to be required for special engineering service involving the approval of plans for new, or alterations to old, factory buildings, and also for certificates of approval for work performed by contractors which require additional time for reinspection. Such a policy, I am informed, would yield about $8,000.00 additional revenue annually. Again there is a genuine need for legislation requiring the inspection of boilers within a reasonable classification and this work should be performed on a fee basis in sufficient amount to make a revenue large enough to defray expenses of the work.

Revenue derived from the licensing of engineers and firemen besides the proposed legislation for boiler inspection; the proposed revenue to be derived from the approval of plans and certificates of approval of work to be performed; and the revenue derived under the proposed method of administrating

the workmen's compensation laws and other sources of income such as the licensing of explosive magazines, should make a total of about $95,000.00 per year out of a total Labor Department appropriation of $150,000.00. This would certainly seem to be in line with a businesslike administration of the State's affairs.

HEALTH INSURANCE SYSTEM.

I desire to call your attention to the fact that a legislative commission appointed to investigate social insurance problems in New Jersey has reported in favor of this State adopting and organizing a comprehensive system of health insurance. In my judgment this question is on a par with workmen's compensation insurance and it fully deserves your most careful consideration. The amazing number of army rejections on account of physical disability, as well as other conditions, emphasize the increasing demand of industry upon physical endurance. In order to conserve the physical vigor of our people through the prompt and sure relief of economic distress due to sickness as well as through stimulation of preventive action in our industries, it seems to me most important to consider ways and means of establishing a health insurance system, probably under the supervision of the State Department of Labor on a basis where it will be supported and managed by those directly concerned as in the case of workmen's compensation. Obviously, such a system would automatically provide medical care and health instruction so that the plan would be both curative and preventive. Manifestly, under these certain conditions, it would be of mutual benefit to employer and wage-earner.

HASTENING STATE HIGHWAY BUILDING.

Organization is now completed for the administration of the State Highway System and the actual building of the roads must be facilitated in every way. One way is legislation enabling counties to borrow the funds for building roads prior

to the time provided in the Highway Commission's schedule in anticipation of subsequent reimbursement from the State road money, to be raised by taxation. Another way is to leave in the discretion of the Highway Commission certain matters which would have a very vital bearing on the extent to which "war prices" and the mounting cost of all construction materials will affect the estimated total cost of the highway system; for instance, the questions as to what bridges shall be widened to the width of the paved road and what grade crossings shall be eliminated. I respectfully urge prompt legislation covering both of these important subjects.

Undoubtedly increased cost of all types of construction will greatly raise the expense of installing the new highway system, but it is questionable if former cost prices will ever return. At any rate, a postponement of this much-needed business asset would simply retard progress in all directions, including the immediately vital one of military preparedness. Improved highways are so essential in every respect that delay should not be countenanced on any pretext. Immediate activity in rebuilding or repairing, however, should be confined to the main trunk line arteries. Never has the country faced a period when further means of transportation were more necessary than to-day. Organization by the State Highway Commission of their own construction department should greatly reduce normal expenses of road construction; in fact, this already has been demonstrated by the experimental road building from Georgetown to Camp Dix, wherein the Highway Department, as its own contractor, and with reformatory inmates for labor, has been able to effect a saving of twenty-five per cent. over the estimated contractual cost of the undertaking.

FOOD—FUEL ADMINISTRATION—FISHERIES—MUNICIPAL FOOD DEPOTS.

Inexcusably high prices for foodstuffs have created an economic condition, aggravated by the war, which demands that the question of food and fuel conservation and price-control

have a very large share of legislative attention. In the interest of cheaper fish, as one solution of the problem in providing substitute for meats, I recommend the passage of legislation based upon the report of our High Cost of Living Commission, giving absolute State control of the fisheries industries, which the people own anyway, in order that consumers may buy fish under State supervision and at a cost plus only the actual expense of catching and handling. Another solution of the food problem will be found in the regulation of food distribution by purchasing of certain staples daily in municipalities throughout the State under supervision of the State Bureau of Markets and retailing them at cost plus freight and shrinkage charges at municipal food depots to be established for the purpose. Provision for the daily publication of prices thus paid would have a most salutary effect in discouraging gouging on the part of unscrupulous private distributors. I recommend legislation to this end. I would also remind you that the Act of last year authorizing municipal governing bodies to buy food and sell to consumers at cost in time of emergency will be repealed automatically July 4, 1918, and I recommend that it be reënacted in even stronger form than before, and made to include fuel as well as food.

AIDING FARMERS—HOME GARDENERS—EXTENDED EMPLOYMENT SERVICE.

Food Administration will not be a success, no matter how much legislation we enact or how diligently we coöperate in practical economies with the Federal Food Administration, unless positive steps are taken to assist the farmer in producing and handling his crops. Shortage of farm labor is an alarming problem. Men, money and food are the triumverate of necessity in this war and the labor shortgage enters so persistently into the third factor that it deserves the most profound attention.

Last spring and summer, through the help of the Department of Public Instruction, we were able, in New Jersey, to engage 50,000 school pupils in the active creation and cultivation of home

gardens and to supply upwards of 5,000 high school boys as patriotic helpers to the farmers of the State during the hours before and after school and during vacation. It was an experiment, a novel and wholly unfamiliar kind of work for most school pupils, and yet the results were amazingly effective. While the newness of the task rendered it unlikely, of course, that there would be any immediate effect on the living problem, yet the ultimate dividends from interesting people at large in food production and providing individual experience in farm work cannot, in my judgment, be overestimated. With the coming planting and harvest seasons there will be further opportunity to develop the plan, and I know I will have the continued coöperation of other State departments in perfecting organizations early so that the development may be on a much larger scale than last year.

Practical assistance has been given farmers distressed over labor conditions by the Federal-State-Municipal Employment Bureau, an employment service conducted by Federal Government and State and, at this time, the city of Newark. Aside from the general work of this institution, which resulted, during the past year in employment being given to about 50,000 persons, from the middle of April until the middle of September, fully 2,000 placements were made on farms. I think the excellence of these results warrant a general expansion of this institution, which is under the supervision of our Department of Labor in New Jersey. Most of the placements of work-seekers with farming experience took place on farms in the upper sections of New Jersey for the reason that the only headquarters of the bureau is located in Newark, with merely small branch offices in Jersey City and Orange. In order that the benefits of this bureau may likewise be felt by the South Jersey farmer, I strongly recommend to the Legislature that authorization be given for an additional office in South Jersey, perhaps at Camden. I am informed that Ohio has opened twenty-one of these labor exchanges. The necessity of encouraging and expanding this labor-finding agency will be even more apparent if the Federal Government acts on the suggestion that registered men of military age, between the

time they are notified to hold themselves ready for selective service and the time of their actual mobilization at military cantonments, be permitted to assist farmers during the coming planting season. In making this suggestion to the Secretary of War I had in mind the possibility of utilizing the Federal-State Employment Service as a registration and distributing clearing house for such labor. Manifestly, the present is the time to improve and enlarge the service in order that our farm-labor organizations may be fully organized and prepared for any eventuality.

REGULATION OF PRIVATE EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

It has been urged by many that employment agencies be operated only by the State, Federal or Municipal authorities, and the operation of private agencies be entirely prohibited. There can be no doubt but that much occasion for this feeling has arisen out of the abuses practiced by some private agencies, not all of them. It would, however, seem to me that if the Federal-State-Municipal Employment Service is the success that it now promises to be, private agencies should be very largely eliminated through the natural operation of competition.

At the present time private employment agencies are licensed by the municipalities, but because they are doing business outside of their own cities and in the interest of a uniform regulation, I believe that they should be licensed by and regulated under the supervision of the Department of Labor.

SYSTEMATIZING OF PENSION METHODS.

The system of pensioning public employees of various descriptions is really not a system at all; it is the chaotic outgrowth of a mass of laws, many of them framed without regard to the common interests of the State. For months a legislative commission has been investigating this condition. They will have an enlightening report, but I am informed cannot complete their labor at this time. It is an important question, and the State is

greatly involved. It must not be set aside until a solution is reached, and in the budget I am recommending a sufficient appropriation to make a thorough financial enquiry. Later it should be seized upon as the guide for legislation aimed to standardize and coördinate pensions throughout the State by providing regulations of a uniform kind and by insisting on absolute solvency.

SOLDIERS' NEEDS—POLL TAX EXEMPTION—COMPENSATION—MORATORIUM.

War has made it of paramount importance that as a State we pay close attention to the needs and comforts of our fellow-Jerseymen called to the colors. I would mention specifically the need of laws exempting soldiers from paying poll tax, clarifying the intention of the last Legislature to authorize State Departments or municipalities to compensate employees called to the military service, enabling soldiers to exercise their constitutional right of voting when away from home with intelligence and without so much red tape, and perhaps an act in the nature of a moratorium for New Jersey soldiers and more especially safeguarding all of the civil rights and privileges of the soldier in order that none may be forfeited by reason of his being in the military service.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF HOME GUARD UNITS.

While discussing military matters I should direct your attention to the Home Guard organizations in our State. They are performing a useful function in providing a means of efficient community defense in case of stress and in constituting a valued school for familiarizing the youth of the State with military tactics. I bespeak for these organizations legislation designed to extend State recognition and to provide for their further encouragement through municipalities. Our new State Militia, which was so quickly and satisfactorily created and organized last summer, when it became necessary to provide an adequate

substitute for the Federalized National Guard, requires no legislation in addition to that which the last Legislature gave us, and is now ready for duty.

WELFARE WORK FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

Not altogether on account of the war, but for various reasons bringing about a change in industrial conditions, thousands of negroes are migrating from the South. This has created a problem of health, due to the newcomers lack of sufficient clothing and acclimation, which it is the duty of the State to meet and solve. From motives of economy in treating the condition at the beginning, as well as common humanity, I believe that the continuance of the present experimental Welfare Bureau by establishing it in the Department of Labor would prove effective, and I recommend your careful consideration of legislation to that end.

RESENTENCING POWER OF JUDGES.

The power of county judges to resentence a prisoner at any time during his incarceration has frequently given rise to the criticism that the constitutional principles concerning pardons and paroles have been violated. The criticism appears to be in every way justified, and I urge a statute repealing this power.

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU—A SUGGESTION.

You are familiar with the fact that last year the Legislature paved the way for an equalization of taxation as between districts within this State and also joined in the call for a conference of States which will tend to equalize taxation as between States and Federal Government; that the latter conference has been held and the Governor of New Jersey honored with the permanent chairmanship of the National Committee in Charge. All of this leads inevitably to the conclusion that greater care ought to be taken to see that laws enacted in individual States do not

clash wantonly with laws on similar subjects in other States or in the Federal statute books. It has been suggested before that one way of securing uniform legislation is to provide a legislative reference bureau. I am strongly in favor of establishing such an institution, which in addition to uniformity would make for intelligent law-making and exact draftsmanship. Whether this is the best time to provide such a department, or whether it should be temporarily deferred as a needless expense in war times, I leave to your good judgment; but I do regard it as a progressive proposition which ought to be kept in mind. Coöperation between the State and some of our universities, for instance, could easily result in a legislative reference bureau, which, with competent management and up-to-date files of laws of all States on all subjects, public reports, monographs and treatises on current industrial, social and legal problems, would prove an invaluable guide and help to our lawmakers and insure legislation of a character avoiding costly duplication, making effectively for desired ends and eliminating the possibility of ill-considered, loosely-drawn acts dealing with important subjects and apt to be upset by the courts.

FULL COÖPERATION WITH FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN WAR.

The personal acquaintance which it is my privilege to enjoy with you gentlemen of the Legislature counsels against the necessity of urging that the session be in perfect accord with the war aims and purposes of the National Government. The public confidence which you enjoy is a guarantee of your loyalty. Your patriotism is not on trial. But perhaps this may not be an inopportune time to let the Country know that every ounce of New Jersey's weight in man-power, official authority and material wealth will be at all times cheerfully thrown in the balance on the side of the Nation and her Allies in the war. Our Legislature, whether in regular session or in any extraordinary sessions that unforeseen developments may warrant, can be counted upon to shape all legislation with the war program of the Country clearly in mind. We must be ready to stimulate and help to advance every possible movement requiring public support in-

tended to assist the Government in the prosecution of the war and to benefit the soldier at the front and the family at home, and yet we must be equally careful to recognize by our official action only those efforts which are coördinated and authorized by the Federal Government, in order to avoid costly duplications and conserve our energies. It is my firm belief that all State-wide activities should be through the well-organized State Council of Defense, which provides an opportunity to present the problem in an official manner to the smallest municipal unit. Statutes found desirable in peace may have to be repealed temporarily in war, and I ask the Legislature to hold itself ready to meet any such contingency. There will be conflict in nothing, coöperation in everything. New Jersey is not merely ready—New Jersey is determined to transform her assets and resources into war energy by the shortest cuts and to do her full part as a dynamic instrumentality in helping the U. S. A. to reach the zenith of her fighting power. No State can do more. Every State is reasonably expected to do as much. I feel you have given me much power in this regard. If I need more I shall ask it with confidence.

New Jersey and the United States, hand-in-hand in war, will likewise travel the same path of progress in industrial and commercial development. The way must be blazed by constructive statesmanship of large vision, seeing far beyond war times and through glasses that detect all latent possibilities. New Jersey took the initiative by agreeing to give the land when Washington digs the cross-State canal from river to ocean, a project which would come in very handy in these war times. In the development of our ports and waterfront as in the successful maintenance of the new State Militia and the aim to properly administer food and fuel and equalize taxation, it is plainly seen that the Federal Government needs the help of New Jersey and New Jersey needs Federal aid. New Jersey's place on the map, her waterfront, her industries, her comprehensive railroad system, will contribute heavily to her advantage as a commonwealth in the modern doctrine that the country must go forward with State lines eliminated and nothing but united action. Preparedness for the industrial and commercial eventualities of

the future is quite as important as recent experience has shown military preparedness. It is a common cause. It demands mutual enterprise. With broad, sound cultivation the harvest can be ultimately nothing less than a finished product of public business efficiency as our contribution to a greater country.

WALTER E. EDGE,

TRENTON, NEW JERSEY, *Governor.*

January 8th, 1918.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

BUDGET MESSAGE.

To the Legislature:

Pursuant to Chapter 15, Laws of 1916, I am herewith transmitting my recommendations covering the budget or appropriations for the State's fiscal year, November 1st, 1918, to October 31st, 1919. The Budget Act specifically prohibits the Governor from recommending a total amount in excess of the estimated income for the year for which the budget is proposed to cover, such income to be estimated by the State Comptroller, which computation is herewith attached.

The State Comptroller anticipates an income of $9,038,870.00 covering the fiscal year November 1st, 1918, to October 31st, 1919. Therefore, under the provisions of the act, my recommendations must be confined within this amount, which requirement of the law I have, of course, complied with, the budget recommending a total of $8,828,656.98.

However, it seems to me perfectly proper that I should further call your attention to the fact that by the report of the State Comptroller, already referred to, there is shown to have been a net balance on hand November 1st, 1917, over and above all appropriations and obligations of the State, of $2,458,591.28, and I am further informed that the receipts for November and December, 1917, have been more than double the income of the same months of 1916, $830,279.18, as compared to 1917, $1,662,341.09. It will be plainly evident, therefore, that the State's finances are in a most healthy and prosperous condition. In fact, I believe showing a larger free balance than

ever before in the history of the State. The current appropriation bill totals $9,157,085.64, including $500,000 in lieu of the usual supplemental bill now eliminated.

It will be seen, therefore, that my recommendations of $8,828,656.98 are $328,428.66 less than the current appropriations. However, in view of the very unusual times through which we are passing and the elimination of the supplemental bill, the Legislature would seem to be justified in appropriating not less than $750,000 to be utilized as a revolving fund for the State Purchasing Agency, working capital for State Use, and an emergency supplemental appropriation in the hands of the State House Commission, following the policy of the current year. This appropriation would represent an increase of $250,000 over the appropriation now current.

It is unnecessary for me to point out that in preparing this budget the necessity for economy and conservatism was constantly kept before us, and the recommendations as made have only been arrived at after much study of the unusual financial needs of the State. Of course, any portion of this $750,000 not expended reverts to the State Treasury, and is in lieu of a supplemental bill.

As contemplated by the Budget Act, public hearings were conducted covering every State agency. These hearings were participated in by the State Comptroller, State Treasurer and myself, constituting the State House Commission, and the members of the Appropriation Committees of the Senate and House, who were designated by the President-elect of the Senate and the Speaker-elect of the House in advance of the session, so that they might have the benefit of the evidence adduced at these public hearings. I want to express my sincere appreciation for the interest these legislators and State officials manifested in the budget work, and I am of the opinion that these hearings will obviate the necessity for many of the hearings which have heretofore been held by the Appropriation Committee, and thus greatly expedite the Committee's work.

It was plainly evident that an increase over normal times would be necessitated because of the undisputed fact that the cost of living during the past year had noticeably increased and

salaries as generally paid in the State of New Jersey had not advanced in proportion to similar positions in private business and commercial life. Therefore, in the budget recommended, a noticeable increase will be observed in salaries and wages and maintenance in practically every institution and department in the State. Effort has been made by the Budget Commissioners and myself to recommend such raises in the salary account that would permit the head of the department to advance those attaches under the position of head or deputy approximately ten per cent. over the salary received previous to the war, except in individual cases, where salaries have been beyond the average.

For example, the Salary and Wages item included in the current appropriation bill amounts to $3,376,266, while the salaries and wages recommended for the incoming year total $3,658,954. These figures in each case include all the statutory officers as well, deducting such salaries as is not, of course, contemplated to change them or their main assistants, and it will be found that the increase of $292,688 is approximately ten per cent., as intended. Even this, however, is but slightly greater than was allowed in the current bill over the salary total of the 1917 fiscal year, which amounted to $3,131,732. Therefore, it can be plainly appreciated that the raise here recommended is in nowise exorbitant.

Our work has been made all the more difficult in this regard inasmuch as in some cases departments or institutions had already made such increases from balances in their hands, and in some cases without having balances, explaining that it was urgent to do so in order to retain absolutely necessary help, especially in the institutions. Of course, this practice cannot be commended, and I am glad to say, so far as investigation could develop, it only prevailed in a few isolated cases. Every effort has been made to rearrange salary appropriations so that there would be no reasonable difficulty during the year this budget is to cover.

The State House Commission must in the meantime assume the burden of taking care of the abnormal situation as best it can from the emergency appropriation of five hundred thousand dollars, which the last Legislature allowed for emergency

purposes. This incident demonstrates the wisdom of the policy of placing in the hands of the State House Commission a sum to take care of emergencies in the interim of a legislative session. No supplemental bill of the old type, passed at the regular sessions of the Legislature, could scientifically meet this situation, and, of course, would have been entirely ineffective. As it is now, the State House Commission will consider each case entirely on its own merits, in the light of comparison with other cases, and reach its conclusions accordingly, which will take care of this item until the appropriation contemplated in this budget becomes available, November 1st, 1918.

I will not attempt to discuss the details of the appropriation bill, as that would be impossible because of the time and space it would consume. Generally, however, it will be noticed that very few physical changes or additions to institutions have been recommended. This, of course, is caused simply by the uncertainty of the times. The State House Commission, for illustration, felt it would be good business in normal times to build a new wing to the Capitol and do away with the scattered official quarters all over the city of Trenton, now being leased, not to speak of the inconvenience and lost motion resulting in inefficient work which follows in the train of the present insufficient facilities. Realizing the conditions, however, the four hundred thousand dollars it was estimated would be required for this work is not included in the budget I am transmitting at this time. The same judgment and policy applies to many other desirable, and even needed, improvements.

The appropriation for the new normal school at Glassboro is now available under the current bill, but it is my judgment that the actual contract for the building of the edifice should be delayed, as I am informed that the operation would cost almost double what it would cost in normal times, and as much as we need a new school, it is my firm opinion this does not seem to be warranted. Teachers can be secured, even though it would, of course, be more desirable to have them mainly graduates of our own institutions. There need be no fear of the ultimate erection of the school, as, of course, the ownership of the ground is vested in the State and this is sufficient guarantee that the com-

pletion of the school will follow as soon as conditions in the building world are settled.

Among the physical changes of consequence recommended are an addition to the accommodations for the insane to house five hundred patients. This addition it is proposed to build on the colony plan on the ground owned by the State connected with the Trenton State Hospital at an estimated cost of $350,000. This expense falls in the class of absolute necessities. At the present time hundreds of insane are crowded in the halls at Morris Plains, and as a result the percentage of cures has been greatly reduced and the State is helpless to look after these unfortunates. Regardless of the cost, this condition must be rectified.

The children's unit at the State Institution for Feeble-Minded at Vineland, at an estimated cost of $60,000 belongs in the same class. The Feeble-Minded menace is one of the most formidable in the State. The present facilities for caring for this class of State dependents are so overcrowded that where there is an opportunity to effect a cure the chances thereof are so reduced that this appropriation at this time likewise becomes an absolute necessity.

The only other physical improvements to speak of are two additions to the Women's Reformatory at Clinton, one for colored and one for white inmates, estimated at $22,000. I am assured by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees that the completion of the two wings contemplated by this appropriation will permit the transferral of all female prisoners now in the State Prison at Trenton to Clinton Farms, for which purpose this institution was originally planned.

This is the second year of the budget policy and the first year under my supervision. The wisdom of the system cannot be disputed. The main weakness is the short time given to handle the work, between November 15th, two weeks after the close of the State's fiscal year, and the opening of the Legislature, which this year falls on January 8th. This difficulty can only be removed by changing the date of closing the fiscal year. I am, therefore, herewith attaching a report from Messrs. Fer-

nald and Riley, recommending a change in closing the State's fiscal year to June 30th.

There are many points which could be made demonstrating the advantage of this change. Of course, it would cause some confusion and considerable extra labor in the Comptroller's Department, until it was satisfactorily adjusted. If changed this year, the Current appropriations would be reduced approximately one-third, and the new appropriation bill would go into effect July 1st instead of November 1st. Perhaps it might be wiser to institute this change in 1919. It is, however, simply a matter of financial readjustment and must be done some day, if those working on the budget are to be given the time necessary to properly investigate the requests made before the convening of the legislative session. There are many other arguments in its favor, and the matter should have your earnest consideration.

As a result of the Budget Assistants' investigation and the public hearings extending over a period of two weeks, many new thoughts have suggested themselves, which would greatly improve the present financial methods of the State. These will be summarized, and where amendments to existing legislation are required will, when time permits, be put in the form of suggested bills. Many of these matters can be adjusted by mere regulation arranged between the Executive and Comptroller's Departments and the affected State Agencies. The necessity for a central board of control over all institutions, however, has become more and more apparent by this investigation. When such a board, which it is hoped will be established by pending legislation, is actually in operation, the work of the budget commission will be greatly reduced, and there will be much more consistency between cost of maintenance, salaries, etc., in the various institutions. They are now conducted absolutely without relation to each other. Maintenance costs vary all the way from two to five dollars and a fraction per capita per week. Food costs show similar inconsistencies. This can be adjusted on anything like a uniform basis only through centralized control.

During the course of the hearings we have taken occasion to bring to the attention of the different institutions the compara-

tive costs in other institutions for similar work, and we believe it has developed an interest which, if backed up by a central board of control together with the now smoothly operating central purchasing agency, will result in advantage and saving to the State.

Many incidents could be cited as to the wisdom of the installation of the Purchasing Department. That institutions to date have been kept in coal and other vital commodities is one of the ready evidences of its efficiency.

The budget has been made up in as convenient form as possible, so that the Appropriation Committee will be able to transform it, with any changes deemed necessary into an appropriation bill, without great difficulty. Of course, some of the items herewith recommended are necessarily subject to change because of legislation which may be or may not be enacted by the incoming session. These adjustments must be made by the Appropriation Committee after legislative action.

I want to take this occasion to give full credit to Mr. Henry B. Fernald and Mr. Marvin A. Riley, Special Assistants, for their intelligent study and disposition of the many complex problems which arose in the completion of the budget. Their examination has not been a cursory one, and they have been indefatigable in their work. One of them has visited every institution in the State and personally investigated the necessity of requisitions requested.

In considering our financial policy, it must be a matter of pride and satisfaction to our citizens to realize that the State faces the unusual and trying times through which we are passing with absolutely no State debt of any kind, and in addition the largest free balance in the history of the State.

When we review the financial reports of neighboring States, and realize that in one, for instance, the annual budget requires an item of approximately $9,000,000.00 to provide for interest on borrowed money or debt, the improvements represented thereby probably to a great extent obsolete or inadequate to the day, we must feel that our "pay-as-you-go" policy is well worth while. Our citizens are not asked to discharge the debt of their fathers,

but rather to join in partnership in present-day developments, financed at the time, and to be left to posterity as this generation's contribution towards a greater New Jersey.

Enterprise and industry must not be halted, but at least for the advantages of the day we should pay and inculcate in those who follow the same spirit of self-dependency and ambition.

With additional expression of my great appreciation for the splendid coöperation and help extended by all State agencies, officers and others in connection with this work, I am,

Respectfully,

Attest: WALTER E. EDGE,

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE, *Governor.*
Secretary to the Governor.

To His Excellency,
The Honorable Walter E. Edge,
Governor of New Jersey.

SIR:

In our work in preparation of the Budget this year, we have been greatly handicapped because of the short time which exists between November 15th, when the Budget Requests are received, and January 8th, when the Legislature convenes. During this short time, all Budget Requests must be examined, analyzed, tabulated and investigated, all hearings held, conclusions reached and the Budget Message prepared and printed. Furthermore, the two weeks allowed between October 31st and November 15th is not sufficient time to permit the various institutions properly to close their accounts for the year and properly to prepare their Budget Requests. Some of the Budget Requests thus hastily prepared have upon review or hearings been so unsatisfactory that the institutions themselves have requested permission to withdraw and revise the request originally submitted. Several requests were revised three or four times.

An earlier date for the Budget Requests could hardly be obtained, except by providing for an earlier closing of the fiscal year. The plan hereby proposed would be as follows:

June 30.—Close of fiscal year.
July 31.—Annual financial statements of institutions, departments, etc., submitted to Comptroller or Treasurer.
Sept. 30.—Reports of Comptroller and Treasurer issued and Budget Requests submitted.

This would give ample time for careful preparation of Budget Requests, and the Comptroller's full report on the finances and transactions of the various departments and institutions would be at hand when consideration of the Budget Requests was begun. It would also allow a fuller consideration of the requests than can now be given.

Another difficulty in regard to the present fiscal year is the long period which elapses between the time of making the request and the time the appropriation goes into effect. This is particularly bad as regards Repairs and Replacements, which, perhaps, cannot be made during the winter months and so must be asked for a year and a half in advance, with the result that either an excessive appropriation is allowed to provide for contingencies or that an insufficient appropriation is given, and when the contingencies arise, no moneys are available to meet them. The situation would be greatly improved if the new fiscal year began on July 1st, as there should rarely be an emergency which could not be tided over the few months until the new appropriation became available.

The date of June 30 is chosen, not only because it is generally satisfactory, but particularly because it is the date for the closing of the school year, and the one fiscal year could conveniently apply to schools as well as other institutions.

In making the change, it is proposed to shorten the current fiscal year for which the appropriations have already been made, rather than to make appropriations now for a short period, beginning on November 1, 1918. This is the plan which was recently successfully used in New York State, and it has the great advantage that it does not interfere with a comparison of the annual appropriations which thus stand in all cases as applicable to a full twelve months' period.

In thus shortening the fiscal year, some limitation would have to be placed to prevent the expenditure within eight months of amounts appropriated for twelve. A flat reduction of one-third in the appropriations could not be insisted upon since some items apply entirely or principally to the period prior to June 30th. The situation is therefore met by a declaration of intention to be carried out by the Comptroller, subject to review by the State House Commission.

Since this act would govern to some extent the financial accounts and reports, it seems fitting that it should also make provision for placing the accounts and financial reports of the departments and institutions on a proper basis. While the accounting methods, as they stand to-day, seem to provide against misuse of cash, they are inadequate and unsatisfactory as a basis for business judgment of what is being or should be done. There seems hardly an institution which can state with any assurance of accuracy the actual cost of food furnished the inmates and employees. In several cases, heads of institutions who first stated that a farm or shop was run at a profit, after reviewing the figures with us admitted that they were run at a loss. Where appropriations have heretofore been made for working capital, no one seems now to know whether or not the revolving fund is intact. These conditions call for some definite step for their correction, and the natural official to be charged with such duty is the Comptroller. He should have the necessary powers conferred upon him, and by having the rules and regulations he may prescribe be subject to approval of the State House Commission, a sufficient safeguard is provided against any danger of arbitrary and unnecessary requirements of a single official.

We would, therefore, urgently recommend that some legislation be enacted at the coming session to remedy these conditions.

Respectfully,

H. B. FERNALD,
M. A. RILEY,
Special Assistants.

January 2, 1918.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY,
TRENTON, N. J., November 15, 1917.

Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor:

In compliance with Section 7, Chapter 15, Laws of 1916, the following statements relating to the financial condition of the State are herewith submitted:

STATE FUND.

Gross Receipts,	$15,188,353 79
Balance, October 31st, 1916,	4,078,242 33
Total,	$19,266,596 12
Gross Disbursements,	12,870,890 90
Balance, October 31st, 1917,	$6,395,705 22

The cash balance in the treasury at the close of the year amounted to $6,395,705.22, an increase over the balance at the close of the preceding year of $2,317,462.89. Included in this balance is the sum of $1,031,432.44, which is the unexpended balance of $1,350,000.00, transferred from the Motor Vehicle receipts to the credit of the Highway Commission, as provided in the highway acts. The balance October 31st, 1917, incident to State Fund, is as follows:

Balance, October 31st, 1917,	$6,395,705 22
Allotment of Railroad Taxes to Counties for School purposes,	6,630 80
Balance, October 31st, 1917, for State uses,	$6,389,074 42
Less Requisitions,	3,930,483 14
Net Balance,	$2,458,591 28

The State Fund shows receipts over disbursements during the year amounting to $2,317,462.89, an increase in receipts of $2,270,695.24, and an increase in disbursements of $1,573,787.29, as compared with the preceding year.

The following statement shows in condensed form the gross receipts and disbursements of the State Fund for the fiscal year 1917:

RECEIPTS.

From	Railroad Corporations,		$5,268,582 47
"	Transfer Inheritance Tax,		3,626,386 38
"	Miscellaneous Corporations,		2,427,536 28
"	State Road Fund (State Highway Department),		1,350,000 00
"	Department of Banking and Insurance,		462,693 27
"	State Hospital at Morris Plains,		280,834 03
"	State Hospital at Trenton,		183,296 54
"	Interest on Deposits,		182,740 60
"	Secretary of State,		181,268 43
"	Allowance from Motor Vehicle Account, 1917,		130,840 00
"	State Prison,		127,188 16
"	State Normal School, Trenton, Model School and Boarding Halls,	$98,104 51	
"	State Normal School, Trenton,	264 18	
			98,368 69
"	Industrial Education,		98,000 00
"	Village for Epileptics,		92,145 21
"	Office of Clerk of the Supreme Court,		86,045 35
"	Agricultural Experiment Station,		69,192 45
"	Office of Clerk in Chancery,		66,564 25
"	U. S. Appropriation for Agricultural College,		50,000 00
"	New Jersey Reformatory,		42,744 21
"	Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny,		38,789 89
"	National Guard,		34,089 48
"	Judicial Fees,		32,215 00
"	Board of Shell Fisheries,		30,345 90
"	Vocational Schools,		21,845 00
"	Department of Labor,		21,644 65
"	State Normal School, Montclair, and Boarding Hall,	$20,152 63	
"	State Normal School, Montclair,	50 00	
			20,202 63
"	Board of Fish and Game Commissioners,		19,198 35
"	Dividends,		18,870 00
"	Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases,		13,919 69
"	Commissions,		12,410 00
"	Colonies for Feeble-Minded Males,		11,950 08
"	State Home for Boys,		11,450 49
"	Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, etc., Vineland,		11,222 73
"	Department of Health,		9,920 55
"	Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,		9,318 99
"	State Institute for Feeble-Minded,		7,495 68
"	State House Commission,		7,447 08
"	Department of Agriculture,		7,149 53
"	Department of Conservation and Development,		6,837 31

From	Academic Certificate Fund,	$2,515 00
"	State Board of Architects,	1,805 21
"	County Lunatic Asylums,	1,481 63
"	Detective Bureau Licenses,	1,350 00
"	State Board of Children's Guardians,	1,300 00
"	New Jersey School for the Deaf,	1,241 06
"	Board of Commerce and Navigation,	1,191 25
"	State Board of Taxes and Assessment,	931 90
"	State Reformatory for Women,	846 17
"	State Home for Girls,	836 30
"	Office of the Treasurer, Department of Municipal Accounts,	555 00
"	Health Officers, Port of Perth Amboy,	474 00
"	State Board of Pharmacy,	438 49
"	Trenton Battle Monument,	427 30
"	Public Library Commission,	414 65
"	Attorney-General's Department,	372 31
"	Public Roads (State Highway Department),	280 38
"	Summer Courses in Agriculture, etc.,	260 00
"	Adjutant-General's Department,	175 90
"	Licenses from Private Asylums,	175 00
"	State Board of Tenement House Supervision,	170 16
"	Department of Public Reports,	126 56
"	Board of Public Utility Commissioners,	116 75
"	Teachers' Institutes,	53 63
"	State Normal School, Newark,	50 00
"	Legislature,	10 66
"	County Boards of Taxation,	2 63
"	Office of the State Treasurer,	2 50
	Total Receipts for Year 1917,	$15,188,353 79

DISBURSEMENTS.

For	Apportionment of Railroad Tax for School Purposes,	$2,977,124 32	
"	State School Tax,	100,000 00	
"	Railroad Tax (Previous to 1917),	79,358 63	
			$3,156,482 95
"	State Hospital at Morris Plains,	$698,274 63	
"	State Hospital at Trenton,	585,534 91	
"	Village for Epileptics,	319,052 95	
"	County Lunatic Asylums,	298,905 74	
"	Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases,	147,321 28	
"	State Institution for Feeble-Minded,	144,444 33	
"	Blind and Feeble-Minded,	129,696 34	
"	County Tuberculosis Hospitals,	71,670 46	
"	Additional Accommodations for Insane,	57,787 03	

For State Board of Children's Guardians,	$42,658 14		
" Home for Feeble-Minded Women, Vineland,	42,351 09		
" Colonies for Feeble-Minded Males,	25,391 78		
" Commission for Ameliorating the Condition of the Blind,	13,413 88		
" State Hospitals,	878 90		
" State Charities Aid Association,	600 00		
" New Jersey Conference of Charities and Corrections,	593 69		
" Commission on Revision of Laws Concerning Insane,	500 00		
" Investigation of Hudson County Tuberculosis Hospital,	354 00		
		2,579,429 15	
" Industrial Education,	$337,543 21		
" State Normal School, Trenton, $120,327 96			
" State Normal School, Trenton, Model School and Boarding Halls, 88,984 32			
	209,312 28		
" Vocational Schools,	142,630 00		
" State Agricultural College,	106,912 68		
" State Normal School, Newark,	106,773 22		
" State Normal School, Montclair, and Boarding Hall,	105,683 39		
" Commissioner of Education,	86,958 21		
" County Superintendents,	62,975 00		
" New Jersey School for the Deaf,	60,660 67		
" Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored Youth,	54,831 40		
" U. S. Appropriation for Agricultural College,	50,000 00		
" Summer Courses in Agriculture, etc.,	14,188 49		
" Teachers' Retirement Fund,	11,995 30		
" State Board of Examiners,	7,671 02		
" Evening Schools for Foreign-Born Residents,	4,602 79		
" Practice Teaching,	3,315 75		
" Academic Certificate Fund,	2,811 41		
" State Board of Education,	2,733 12		
" Teachers' Institutes,	1,110 43		
" Teachers' Libraries,	50 00		
		1,372,758 37	
" State Highway Department,	$482,141 25		
" Public Roads,	454,870 28		
" State Highway Commission,	750 00		
		937,761 53	

For State Prison,		$407,242 39	
" New Jersey Reformatory,		247,451 65	
" State Home for Boys,		137,059 10	
" State Home for Girls,		83,660 25	
" State Reformatory for Women,		52,212 96	
" Prison Labor Commission,		4,001 86	
			931,628 21
" National Guard,		418,191 32	
" Quartermaster-General's Department,		17,843 88	
" Adjutant-General's Department,		13,777 07	
" Naval Reserve,		13,580 41	
" Sea Girt Cottage,		3,500 00	
			466,892 68
" Supreme Court,		$185,688 57	
" Court of Chancery,		154,750 21	
" Office of Clerk in Chancery,		48,922 27	
" Office of Clerk of the Supreme Court,		25,686 03	
" Court of Errors and Appeals,		17,582 60	
" Stenographic Reporters,		15,765 04	
" Law and Equity Reports,		6,151 69	
" Court of Pardons,		3,893 70	
" Court Expenses,		320 00	
			458,760 11
" Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, etc., Vineland,		$132,144 56	
" Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny,		123,546 60	
			255,691 16
" Agricultural Experiment Station,		$156,858 29	
" Department of Agriculture,		93,951 70	
" State Horticultural Society,		2,400 25	
" State Board of Agriculture,		454 50	
			253,664 74
" Transfer Inheritance Tax,			247,729 63
" Pensions of Teachers and School Officers,		$215,350 07	
" Pensions,		11,645 48	
" Judicial Retirement Fund,		6,722 04	
" Annuity for Governors' Widows,		2,200 00	
			235,917 59
" State House Commission,			203,278 45
" Office of Secretary of State, Department of Motor Vehicles,		$118,360 73	
" Office of the Secretary of State,		52,612 54	
			170,973 27
" County Boards of Taxation,		$100,596 96	
" State Board of Taxes and Assessment,		60,193 95	
			160,790 91
" Board of Public Utility Commissioners,			148,601 10

For	Department of Health,	$139,960 75	
"	Health Officers, Port of Perth Amboy,	1,250 00	
			$141,210 75
"	Morris Canal Company, Basin Lands,		126,146 63
"	Department of Labor,		124,273 45
"	Legislature,		104,224 45
"	Department of Conservation and Development,		95,445 63
"	Commissioners of the Palisades Inter-State Park,		86,189 16
"	State Board of Tenement House Supervision,		69,006 50
"	Board of Commerce and Navigation,	$61,181 04	
"	Commission on Port Development,	4,165 41	
"	Department of Inland Waterways,	1,769 36	
"	Shark River Inlet, Monmouth County,	1,029 59	
			68,145 40
"	Department of Banking and Insurance,		64,604 27
"	Printing,	$52,188 84	
"	Department of Public Reports,	2,757 36	
"	Advertising,	42 90	
			54,989 10
"	Civil Service Commission,	$51,325 04	
"	Civil Service Investigating Committee,	1,243 07	
			52,568 11
"	Board of Shell Fisheries,	$31,541 41	
"	Board of Fish and Game Commissioners,	14,574 21	
			46,115 62
"	Office of the Comptroller,		45,383 01
"	Attorney-General's Department,		36,016 58
"	Public Library Commission,	$20,954 92	
"	State Library,	10,424 33	
			31,379 25
"	Office of the Treasurer,		27,400 22
"	Executive Department,		23,527 87
"	Department of Charities and Corrections,		21,296 12
"	Department of Architecture,		11,994 35
"	Department of Weights and Measures,		11,971 46
"	Inauguration Ceremonies at Washington,	$7,356 41	
"	Inauguration Expenses (Governor),	3,627 92	
			10,984 33
"	Washington Association of New Jersey,	$2,500 00	
"	Washington Rock Park Commission,	1,235 63	
"	Trenton Battle Monument,	725 46	
"	Monmouth Battle Monument,	535 56	
"	Red Bank Battle Monument,	500 00	
			5,496 65
"	Office of the Comptroller and Treasurer,		5,000 00
"	Emergency,		4,655 36
"	Home Rule Commission,		3,367 44
"	Budget Act Expenses,		3,362 45

For Preservation of Records,		$2,988 22
" Commission for Survey of Municipal Financing,		2,286 50
" Commission to Investigate the High Cost of Living,		1,565 80
" Old Barracks Association,		1,200 00
" Commission to Investigate Toll Roads and Bridges,	$998 54	
" Commission on Elimination of Toll Bridges,	167 93	
		1,166 47
" State Board of Examiners of Nurses,		1,081 00
" Electoral College and State Board of Canvassers,		1,000 00
" Commission upon Reorganization and Consolidation of Inter-Related Departments of State,		710 90
" Commission on Military Training in High Schools,		695 72
" Portraits,		600 00
" Commission to Investigate Explosives,		500 00
" Valley Forge Revolutionary Encampment Commission,		498 99
" Commission to Revise, Simplify, Arrange and Consolidate the Primary and Election Laws,		483 60
" New Jersey Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission,		424 25
" Refunding Taxes on Miscellaneous Corporations,		370 49
" Morris Canal Investigating Committee,		109 05
" Burial Grounds,		50 00
" Commission to Consolidate Acts Relating to Married Persons, etc.,		45 90
Total Disbursements for Year 1917,		$12,870,890 90

This statement shows an increase of $1,655,806.13 in the ordinary disbursements, and a decrease of $82,018.84 in the extraordinary disbursements as compared with the previous year:

STATE SCHOOL TAX.

Receipts,	$7,005,872 37
Disbursements,	7,005,872 37

LOCAL TAX ON RAILROAD CORPORATIONS.

Receipts,	$2,197,651 79
Disbursements,	2,197,651 79

SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND REGULATION.

Balance on hand, November 1, 1916,	$1,070,309 19
Receipts, 1917,	1,876,325 08
Total,	$2,946,634 27
Disbursements,	2,190,030 14
Balance, October 31, 1917,	$756,604 13

HUNTERS' AND ANGLERS' LICENSE FUND.

Balance on hand, November 1, 1916,	$34,885 84
Receipts, 1917,	108,653 65
Total,	$143,539 49
Disbursements,	107,064 56
Balance, October 31, 1917,	$36,474 93

INCOME FROM INSURANCE FUND.

Balance, November 1, 1916,	$3,212 78
Receipts, 1917,	5,112 12
Total,	$8,324 90
Balance, October 31, 1917,	$8,324 90

STATE WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION, SPECIAL SURVEY FUND.

Balance, November 1, 1916,	$631 17
Disbursements,	589 10
Balance, October 31, 1917,	$42 07

INSURANCE FUND.

Securities—	
Riverside Township, Burlington County School Bonds, 5 per cent.,	$50,000 00
City of Wildwood, Cape May County, Water Bonds, 5 per cent.,	41,000 00
Bergenfield, N. J., Registered School Bonds, 5 per cent.,	9,000 00
	$100,000 00

FOREST RESERVE FUND.

Receipts, 1917,	$8,264 00
Balance, October 31, 1917,	$8,264 00

TREASURY BALANCES, OCTOBER 31, 1917.

Accounts.	*Balances.*	*Available for State Uses.*	*Unavailable for State Uses.*
State School Fund—			
Income,	$456,965 08	.....	$456,965 08
Investment,	115,009 06	.....	115,009 06
Motor Vehicle Fund,	756,604 13	.....	756,604 13
Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund,	36,474 93	.....	36,474 93
Forest Reserve Fund,	8,264 00	.....	8,264 00
Special Survey Fund,	42 07	.....	42 07
Income from Insurance Fund,	8,324 90	.....	8,324 90
State Fund,	6,395,705 22	.....	.....
Railroad Tax to Counties for Schools,	.....	.....	6,630 80
State Road Fund,	.....	.....	1,031,432 44
Available for State Uses,	.....	$5,357,641 98	.....
Balances,	$7,777,389 39	.....	.....
Available for State Uses,	.....	$5,357,641 98	.....
Unavailable for State Uses,	.....	.....	$2,419,747 41

DEBT OF THE STATE.

Certificates of the State issued to the Commissioners of the Agricultural College, pursuant to Chapter 417 of the Laws of 1895, amounting to $116,000.00, is the only debt of the State.

Under an act of Congress of the United States, approved July 2d, 1862, entitled "An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," there was invested for the benefit of the State Agricultural College the sum of $116,000.00 in the war bonds of the State, being the proceeds from sales of land scrip. The war bonds have all matured and been paid. Owing to the inability of the Commissioners to invest the said sum of $116,000.00 conformably to the said act of Congress, which provides, "That all moneys derived from the sale of the lands aforesaid by the States to which the lands are apportioned, and from the sales of land scrip hereinbefore provided for, shall

be invested in stocks of the United States, or of the States, or some other safe stocks, *yielding not less than five per centum upon the par value of said stocks,"* the Legislature, at the session of 1895, passed an act authorizing the Commissioners to transfer and pay over, as money shall be by them received, to the Sinking Fund of this State, and authorizing the State Treasurer and Comptroller to issue and deliver therefor to said Commissioners a certificate of this State to the effect that the State will pay to said Commissioners five per centum annually of the amount so paid into or transferred to the Sinking Fund.

Under an act approved April 8th, 1903, the Sinking Fund has been assigned and is now a part of the permanent School Fund of the State.

The assets of the State Fund consist of 1,887 shares of stock of the United Railroad and Canal Company of New Jersey, the market value of which amounts to about $390,000.00.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1918.

The estimate of receipts from all sources for State uses for the fiscal year ending October 31, 1918, is shown in the following statement:

From Railroad Corporations, amount to be apportioned and paid to counties for School Purposes, pursuant to Chapter 341, Laws of 1913,	$3,000,000 00
" Transfer Inheritance Tax,	3,300,000 00
" Miscellaneous Corporations,	2,400,000 00
" Railroad Corporations,	2,150,000 00
" Department of Banking and Insurance,	400,000 00
" Secretary of State,	150,000 00
" Interest on Deposits,	150,000 00
" Allowance from Motor Vehicle Fund,	120,000 00
" Clerk of the Supreme Court,	85,000 00
" State Prison,	70,000 00
" Clerk in Chancery,	65,000 00
" Judicial Fees,	30,000 00
" Board of Shell Fisheries,	30,000 00
" Miscellaneous Sources,	30,000 00
" Dividends,	18,870 00
" Department of Labor,	15,000 00

From Department of Health,	$8,000 00
" Commissions,	6,000 00
" Department of Agriculture,	6,000 00
" Department of Conservation and Development,	5,000 00
Total,	$12,036,870 00
Balance on hand, November 1, 1917, for State Uses,	6,389,074 42
Estimated Resources for the Year 1918,	$18,427,944 42

The above estimate does not include receipts from institutions and commissions as provided by Chapter 288, Laws of 1907, as such receipts are available for maintenance, pursuant to Chapter 41, Laws of 1908. No estimate of road tax or amount to be transferred from Motor Vehicle receipts has been included, as the entire amount received from these sources are available for road purposes only.

Resources—		
Balance for State Uses,		$6,389,074 42
Estimated Receipts for the Current Fiscal Year,		12,038,870 00
Total Resources for the Current Fiscal Year,		$18,427,944 42
Obligations—		
Amount of Annual Appropriation Act, Now Current,	$9,157,085 64	
Estimated Amount to be Apportioned and Paid to Counties, for School Purposes, Pursuant to Chapter 341, Laws of 1913,	3,000,000 00	
Amounts Due and to Become Due on Requisition for Which Reservation of Appropriation Has Been Made, and Obligations Incurred, Including All Contractual Obligations,	3,930,483 14	
		16,087,568 78
Excess of Resources,		$2,340,375 64

FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 31ST, 1918.

Estimated revenue for State support and its application under existing laws:

From.	*Total Revenue.*	*General State Uses.*	*To Counties for School Purposes.*	*Public Roads.*	*Fish and Game Purposes.*
Railroad Corporations, ...	$5,150,000	$2,150,000	$3,000,000	.....	.....
Transfer Inheritance Tax, ...	3,300,000	3,300,000	.....	.....	.....
State Road Fund, ...	3,000,000	.....	.....	$3,000,000	.....
Miscellaneous Corporations, ..	2,400,000	2,400,000	.....	.....	.....
Motor Vehicle Fund, ...	1,700,000	120,000	.....	1,580,000	.....
Department of Banking and Insurance, ...	400,000	400,000	.....	.....	.....
Secretary of State, ...	150,000	150,000	.....	.....	.....
Interest on Deposits, ...	150,000	150,000	.....	.....	.....
Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund, ...	100,000	.....	.....	.....	$100,000
Clerk of the Supreme Court, ..	85,000	85,000	.....	.....	.....
State Prison, ...	70,000	70,000	.....	.....	.....
Clerk in Chancery, ...	65,000	65,000	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous Sources, ...	30,000	30,000	.....	.....	.....
Judicial Fees, ...	30,000	30,000	.....	.....	.....
Board of Shell Fisheries, ...	30,000	30,000	.....	.....	.....
Licenses, Fines and Penalties, Fish and Game Commission,	20,000	.....	.....	.....	20,000
Dividends, ...	18,870	18,870	.....	.....	.....
Department of Labor, ...	15,000	15,000	.....	.....	.....
Department of Health, ...	8,000	8,000	.....	.....	.....
Commissions, ...	6,000	6,000	.....	.....	.....
Department of Agriculture, ..	6,000	6,000	.....	.....	.....
Department of Conservation and Development, ...	5,000	5,000	.....	.....	.....
Total, ...	$16,738,870	$9,038,870	$3,000,000	$4,580,000	$120,000

This act requires a statement showing the probable estimate of the sources of revenue and the State's income available for appropriations for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1919.

There is no available guide upon which to base such probable estimate other than the estimate for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1918, which is based upon the actual receipts for

the year ending October 31st, 1917, and the only probable estimate possible must be based upon the assumption that current statutory conditions will remain unchanged, and court issues, if any arise, will result favorably to the State. With these features properly comprehended, there is no substantial reason upon which to found a probable estimate for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1919, that will differ materially from the estimate made for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1918, to wit:

The probable estimate of receipts from all sources for State uses for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1919, is shown in the following statement:

Railroad Corporations,	$5,150,000 00	
Amount to be apportioned and paid to Counties for School Purposes, pursuant to Chapter 341, Laws of 1913,	3,000,000 00	
		$2,150,000 00
Transfer Inheritance Tax,		3,300,000 00
Miscellaneous Corporations,		2,400,000 00
Department of Banking and Insurance,		400,000 00
Secretary of State,		150,000 00
Interest on Deposits,		150,000 00
Allowance from Motor Vehicle Fund,		120,000 00
Clerk of the Supreme Court,		85,000 00
State Prison,		70,000 00
Clerk in Chancery,		65,000 00
Miscellaneous Sources,		30,000 00
Judicial Fees,		30,000 00
Board of Shell Fisheries,		30,000 00
Dividends,		18,870 00
Department of Labor,		15,000 00
Department of Health,		8,000 00
Commissions,		6,000 00
Department of Agriculture,		6,000 00
Department of Conservation and Development,		5,000 00
Probable estimate of income available for appropriation for fiscal year, November 1st, 1918, to October 31st, 1919,		$9,038,870 00

The State Road Tax, approximating $3,000,000.00 and the Motor Vehicle Receipts, approximating $1,700,000.00, are not involved in the above statement as said sums are available for road purposes only.

This form has been adopted as meeting the requirements of the act. Should you desire any further statement or information, the same will be promptly compiled and furnished.

Respectfully submitted,

NEWTON BUGBEE,
Comptroller of the Treasury.
W. T. READ,
State Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS

Last Year 1917	Current Year 1918		Next Year 1919 Requested	Next Year 1919 Recommended
$799,895.00	$715,834.00	I—Executive and Administrative,	$1,245,658.00	$814,350.00
122,615.52	120,533.32	II—Legislative,	125,783.32	116,783.32
484,241.04	491,866.00	III—Judicial,	505,641.00	498,591.00
988,141.00	919,560.00	IV—Regulative,	1,307,318.00	958,945.00
1,363,429.50	1,515,873.59	V—Educational,	2,207,848.12	1,316,918.00
3,257,232.15	3,305,358.84	VI—Charities and Corrections,	5,615,833.20	3,683,833.00
318,340.81	351,840.00	VII—Agriculture,	412,790.00	349,100.00
551,452.62	409,742.23	VIII—Military,	319,717.00	317,927.00
24,216.66	24,116.66	IX—Pensions and Retirement Funds, etc.,	24,766.66	24,766.66
109,682.92	67,343.00	X—General,	242,643.00	34,143.00
808,160.00	731,500.00	XI—Constructive—Roads, Bridges and Port Development,	1,811,000.00	711,000.00
6,300.00	3,518.00	XII—Refunds (of stated amounts),	2,300.00	2,300.00
100,000.00	500,000.00	XIII—Revolving and Supplemental Fund,	750,000.00	.....
$8,933,707.22	$9,157,085.64	*Total Appropriations from Treasury,*	$14,571,298.30	$8,828,656.98
$253,000.00	$253,000.00	Appropriations from Income of School Fund,	$253,000.00	$253,000.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

I—EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE

1917	1918	Account No.		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$23,100.00	$23,100.00	1	Executive Department,	$27,560.00	$27,560.00
112,400.00	109,900.00	2	Comptroller's Department,	125,800.00	125,800.00
31,430.00	34,630.00	3	Treasurer's Department,	37,250.00	37,250.00
57,275.00	54,300.00	5	Secretary of State,	56,700.00	54,200.00
36,800.00	38,424.00	7	Attorney General,	38,450.00	38,250.00
332,000.00	212,000.00	16	State House Commission,	643,500.00	243,400.00
127,540.00	139,500.00	6	Motor Vehicles Department,	173,598.00	168,540.00
53,200.00	55,680.00	37	Civil Service Commission,	80,000.00	64,550.00
.....	25,000.00	75	Department of Architecture,	34,500.00	26,500.00
10,000.00	10,000.00	88	Governor's Emergency Fund,	10,000.00	10,000.00
12,500.00	10,000.00	113	Budget Act Expenses,	15,000.00	15,000.00
2,700.00	2,700.00	39	Department of Public Reports,	2,700.00	2,700.00
600.00	600.00	92	Advertising,	600.00	600.00
350.00	.....	..	Conference of Governors,	.....	.....
$799,895.00	$715,834.00			$1,245,658.00	$814,350.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

II—LEGISLATIVE

1917	1918	Account No.		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$103,583.32	$106,283.32	91	Legislature,	$106,783.32	$104,783.32
.....	2,000.00	118	Commission on Pension and Retirement Funds,	15,000.00	10,000.00
500.00	.....	..	Commission to Revise Election Laws,	1,500.00	1,500.00
2,500.00	1,000.00	117	Commission for the Survey of Municipal Finance,	2,000.00	1,000.00
2,000.00	500.00	116	Commission on High Cost of Living,	500.00	.....
.....	500.00	108	Passaic Valley Sewage Commission,	.....	.....
3,381.30	9,000.00	109	Home Rule Commission,	.....	.....
1,000.00	1,000.00	115	Judicial Investigating Commission,	.....	.....
5.00	250.00	120	Commission to Revise Corporation Laws,	.....	.....
500.00	.....	..	Commission for Revision of Laws Concerning Insane,	.....	.....
100.00	.....	..	Morris Canal Investigating Committee,	.....	.....
3,000.00	.....	..	Commission to Codify Road Laws,	.....	.....
2,500.00	.....	..	Commission on Consolidating State Departments,	.....	.....
1,000.00	.....	..	Civil Service Investigating Committee,	.....	.....
1,000.00	.....	..	Commisson on Toll Roads and Bridges,	.....	.....
1,000.00	.....	..	Commission on Military Training in High Schools,	.....	.....
45.90	.....	..	Commission to Investigate Rights of Married Persons,		
500.00	.....	..	Commission to Investigate Explosives,		
$122,615.52	$120,533.32			$125,783.32	$116,783.32

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

III—JUDICIAL.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$177,050.00	186,050.00	18	Supreme Court (L. C.),	$189,150.00	$188,150.00
27,760.00	28,900.00	19	Clerk of Supreme Court,	29,400.00	29,400.00
24,900.00	25,150.00	22	Court of Errors and Appeals,	26,000.00	25,700.00
160,566.00	160,566.00	20	Court of Chancery,	160,566.00	160,566.00
49,500.00	54,000.00	21	Clerk in Chancery,	56,500.00	56,000.00
5,750.00	6,500.00	23	Court of Pardons,	9,575.00	8,525.00
14,950.00	12,450.00	25	Law and Equity Reports,	16,200.00	12,000.00
500.00	750.00	24	Court Expenses,	750.00	750.00
15,765.04	17,500.00	26	Stenographic Reporters,	17,500.00	17,500.00
7,500.00	.....	..	First Supplement to Compiled Statutes,	.....	.....
$484,241.04	$491,866.00			$505,641.00	$498,591.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

IV—REGULATIVE.

1917	1918	Account No.		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$145,000.00	$131,500.00	38	Board of Public Utility Commissioners,	$143,350.00	$138,350.00
67,800.00	70,350.00	8	Banking and Insurance Department,	82,705.00	74,930.00
120,000.00	126,000.00	15	Labor Department,	150,000.00	139,600.00
63,960.00	66,500.00	9	State Board of Taxes and Assessment,	66,500.00	65.500.00
145,000.00	145.000.00	10	Department of Health,	301,820.00	158,040.00
100,800.00	100,800.00	11	County Boards of Taxation,	100,800.00	100,800.00
119,200.00	71,000.00	17	Department of Conservation and Development,	119,500.00	66,450.00
109,200.00	82,000.00	41	Board of Commerce and Navigation,	186,452.00	82,000.00
12,000.00	12,310.00	42	Department of Weights and Measures,	14,000.00	14,000.00
33,500.00	36,450.00	59	Board of Shell Fisheries,	41,791.00	40,175.00
69,000.00	75,200.00	36	Board of Tenement House Supervision,	76,650.00	76,650.00
.....	.....	121	Fish and Game Commission,	20,800.00	.....
1,081.00	.....	..	State Board of Examiners of Nurses,	500.00	.....
1,250.00	1,250.00	102	Health Officers—Port of Perth Amboy,	1,250.00	1,250.00
350.00	1,200.00	107	Commission on Old Age Insurance and Pensions,	1,200.00	1,200.00
$988,141.00	$919,560.00			$1,307,318.00	$958,945.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

V—EDUCATIONAL.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$2,600.00	$2,900.00	43	State Board of Education,	$3,500.00	$3,500.00
97,070.00	103,900.00	44	Commissioner of Education,*	111,201.00	100,000.00
132,100.00	138,428.59	45	State Normal School—Trenton,	406,670.00	142,000.00
86,221.50	97,825.00	46	State Normal School—Montclair,	115,263.00	105,938.00
126,250.00	127,000.00	47	State Normal School—Newark,	319,900.00	129,150.00
.....	300.000.00	119	State Normal School—Glassboro,	76,000.00	.....
.....	10,000.00	125	State Normal School—Elizabeth,	.....	.....
105,000.00	73,700.00	48	School for the Deaf—Trenton,	285,656.50	85,500.00
91,000.00	76,000.00	49	Bordentown Industrial School,	172,980.00	75,700.00
63,000.00	63,000.00	50	County Superintendents' Salaries,	63,000.00	63,000.00
10,000.00	12,000.00	51	State Board of Examiners,	12,000.00	12,000.00
338,000.00	280,000.00	52	Industrial Education,	362,000.00	362,000.00
142,645.00	53,000.00	53	Vocational Schools,	100,320.00	60,320.00
5,800.00	12,000.00	54	Evening Schools for Foreign Born,	8,350.50	8,350.00
12,983.00	12,900.00	55	Teachers' Retirement Fund,	15,523.12	14,700.00
2,000.00	2,000.00	56	Teachers' Institutes,	2,000.00	2,000.00
400.00	300.00	57	Teachers' Libraries,	300.00	300.00
14,000.00	14,000.00	58	Summer Schools,	14,000.00	14,000.00
11,100.00	11,800.00	13	State Library,	11,900.00	11,900.00
23,260.00	25,120.00	14	Public Library Commission,	27,284.00	26,560.00
100.000.00	100,000.00	87	State School Tax,	100,000.00	100,000.00
$1,363,429.50	$1,515,873.59			$2,207,848.12	$1,316,918.00

* Appropriation is also made under No. 44, Commissioner of Education, for an unstated amount, "For Teachers' Pensions, pursuant to Chap. 268, Laws of 1914."

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

VI—CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS.

1917	1918	Account No.		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$37,500.00	$15,700.00	34	Department of Charities and Corrections,	$17,300.00	$16,000.00
43,000.00	50,280.00	73	State Board of Children's Guardians,	72,596.20	66,000.00
5,000.00	7,640.00	110	Prison Labor Commission,	6,500.00	5,200:00
1,400.00	1,400.00	60	State Hospitals,	1,400.00	1,400.00
498,653.13	496,450.00	61	State Hospital—Morris Plains,	698,810.00	563,500.00
479,500.00	463,300.00	62	State Hospital—Trenton,	958,986.00	730,000.00
332,100.00	342,100.00	63	County Lunatic Asylums,	344,028.00	344,028.00
367,551.00	384,200.00	64	State Prison, Trenton,	324,463.00	309,984.00
207,660.00	212,260.00	65	New Jersey Reformatory—Rahway,	318,860.00	189,360.00
150,415.00	180,450.00	66	State Home for Boys—Jamesburg,	283,800.00	179,830.00
96,621.58	115,160.00	67	State Home for Girls—Trenton,	366,550.00	114,390.00
56,110.00	46,200.00	72	State Reformatory for Women—Clinton Farms,	273,590.00	67,885.00
171,600.00	169,000.00	68	Village for Epileptics—Skillman,	282,880.00	173,092.00
140,300.00	134,350.00	69	Sanitorium for Tuberculous Diseases,	177,500.00	147,525.00
126,000.00	126,000.00	70	Blind and Feeble-Minded,	153,000.00	138,000.00
208,500.00	205,000.00	71	State Institution for Feeble-Minded,	803,800.00	262,500.00
15,000.00	45,550.00	124	Colonies for Feeble-Minded—New Lisbon,	164,930.00	32,130.00
15,000.00	16,650.00	74	New Jersey Commission for the Blind,	25,981.00	19,450.00
600.00	600.00	35	Conference of Charities and Corrections,	600.00	600.00
600.00	600.00	106	State Charities Aid Association,	600.00	600.00
50.00	50.00	104	Bodies Thrown on Shores by Shipwreck,	50.00	50.00
75.00	75.00	105	State Burial Grounds,	75.00	75.00
.....	2,500.00	40	Additional Accommodations for Insane,	.....	.....
2,000.00	1,000.00	101	Commission on Charitable Institutions,	.....	.....
114,000.00	108,400.00	76	Soldiers' Home—Vineland,	137,800.00	121,500.00
92,000.00	85,500.00	77	Soldiers' Home—Kearny,	112,390.00	111,390.00
95,896.44	95,943.84	111	County Tuberculosis Hospitals,	89,344.00	89,344.00
100.00	.....	..	Board of Examiners of Feeble-Minded,	.....	.....
$3,257,232.15	$3,305,358.84			$5,615,833.20	$3,683,833.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

VII—AGRICULTURE.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$96,785.00	$120,000.00	79	Department of Agriculture,	$130,000.00	$120,360.00
98,400.00	103,500.00	82	Agricultural Experiment Station,	132,300.00	104,400.00
120,440.00	125,840.00	81	State Agricultural College,	147,340.00	121,840.00
2,715.81	2,500.00	86	State Horticultural Society,	3,150.00	2,500.00
$318,340.81	$351,840.00			$412,790.00	$349,100.00

VIII—MILITARY.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$16,500.00	$16,300.00	30	Adjutant General's Department,	$23,744.00	$23,744.00
19,950.00	20,889.00	31	Quartermaster General's Deaprtment,	24,409.00	23,653.00
485,302.62	345,453.23	27	National Guard,	258,064.00	257,030.00
26,200.00	23,600.00	28	Naval Reserve,	.....	.....
3,500.00	3,500.00	29	Sea Girt Cottage,	3,500.00	3,500.00
.....	.....	..	State Council of Defense,	10,000.00	10,000.00
$551,452.62	$409,742.23			$319,717.00	$317,927.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

IX—PENSIONS AND RETIREMENT FUNDS, ETC.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$15,100.00	$15,000.00	96	Pensions,	$15,100.00	$15,100.00
6,666.66	6,666.66	97	Judicial Retirement Fund,	6,666.66	6,666.66
2,400.00	2,400.00	98	Annuity for Widows of Governors,	3,000.00	3,000.00
50.00	50.00	78	Soldiers State Pay,	.....	.....
$24,216.66	$24,116.66			$24,766.66	$24,766.66

For Teachers' Retirement Fund, see notation under "Educational."

X—GENERAL.

1917	1918	Account No.		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$92,500.00	$50,000.00	83	Palisades Park Commission,	$130,000.00	$25,000.00
2,500.00	2,150.00	84	Washington Rock Commission,	2,500.00	2,000.00
2,500.00	7,500.00	85	Old Barracks Association,	2,500.00	2,500.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	99	Washington Association of New Jersey,	2,500.00	2,500.00
500.00	643.00	94	Monmouth Battle Monument Association,	643.00	643.00
500.00	500.00	123	Red Bank Battle Monument Association,	500.00	500.00
500.00	500.00	95	Trenton Battle Monument Association,	500.00	500.00
50.00	50.00	103	Obstructions to Navigation,	.....	.....
.....	.....	..	Association for Mosquito Extermination,	100,000.00	.....
3,000.00	3,000.00	80	Preservation of Records,	3,000.00	.....
.....	500.00	122	Report of Kearney Commission,	.....	.....
3,632.92	.....	..	Inauguration Expenses,	.....	.....
1,000.00	.....	..	State Board of Canvassers,	500.00	500.00
500.00	.....	..	Commission on Valley Forge Revolutionary Encamp.,	.....	.....
$109,682.92	$67,343.00			$242,643.00	$34,143.00

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS—*Continued.*

XI—CONSTRUCTIVE.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$699,160.00	$620,000.00	12	State Highway Commission,	$1,600,000.00	$500,000.00
101,000.00	101,500.00	112	Elimination of Toll Bridges,	101,000.00	101,000.00
7,500.00	10,000.00	114	Commission on Port Development,	100,000.00	100,000.00
500.00	.....	..	Commission on Tunnels and Bridges,	10,000.00	10,000.00
$808,160.00	$731,500.00			$1,811,000.00	$711,000.00

XII—REFUNDS.

1917	1918	*Account No.*		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
Amount necessary.		32	Transfer Inheritance Tax—Comptroller,	Amount Necessary.	
$5,000.00	$2,000.00	33	Collateral Inheritance Tax,	$1,000.00	$1,000.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	89	Miscellaneous Corporations Tax,	$1,000.00	$1,000.00
Any over payment.		90	Railroad Tax,	Any Over-payment.	
.....	218.00	..	P. R. R. Company Secretary of State,	.....	.....
300.00	300.00	5	Motor Vehicle Applicants,	300.00	300.00
$6,300.00	$3,518.00			$2,300.00	$2,300.00

XIII—REVOLVING AND SUPPLEMENTAL FUND.

1917	1918			1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$100,000.00	$500,000.00	100	Revolving and Supplemental Fund,	$750,000.00	.....

Account No. 1

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$10,000.00	$10,000.00	Salary of Governor,	$10,000.00	$10,000.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Salary of Secretary to the Governor,	4,000.00	4,000.00
5,400.00	5,400.00	Compensation of Assistants,	7,060.00	7,060.00
$19,400.00	$19,400.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$21,060.00	$21,060.00
1,000.00	1,250.00	Blanks and Stationery,	1,500.00	1,500.00
2,700.00	2,450.00	Traveling Expenses, Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expenses,	5,000.00	5,000.00
$23,100.00	$23,100.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$27.560.00	$27.560.00
5	6	Number of Employees,	6	6

Transfers made in 1917 and 1918 to Salary account provided for ncreases in salaries in August, 1917, and one additional clerk. Other expenses are increased because of increased cost and greater volume of business.

Account Nos. 2, 32, 33 and 4.

COMPTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary of Comptroller,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Salary of Deputy,	5,000.00	5,000.00
12,100.00	13,600.00	Clerical Salaries and Expenses,	17,500.00	17,500.00
18,500.00	14,500.00	Auditors Salaries and Expenses,	18,000.00	18,000.00
3,000.00	3,500.00	Requisition Act Expenses,	3,500.00	3,500.00
50,000.00	50,000.00	Transfer Inheritance Tax Salaries,	55,000.00	55,000.00
$94,600.00	$92,600.00	*Total Salaries and Wages* (Including certain expenses),	$105,000.00	$105,000.00
3,200.00	2,500.00	Blanks and Stationery,	4,000.00	4,000.00
4,300.00	5,500.00	Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expenses,	6,500.00	6,500.00
300.00	300.00	Premium on Surety Bonds of Comptroller and Deputy,	300.00	300.00
10,000.00	9,000.00	Transfer Inheritance Tax Expenses,	10,000.00	10,000.00
$112,400.00	$109,900.00	*Total Appropriation for Expenses,*	$125,800.00	$125,800.00
		For Payments to Counties, Refunds, &c.—		
(Amount Necessary)		Under Transfer Inheritance Tax,	(Amount Necessary)	
5,000.00	2,000.00	Under Collateral Inheritance Tax,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$117,400.00	$111,900.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$126,800.00	$126,800.00
80	80	Employees (Office and Inheritance Tax Dis.),	85	85

The above consolidate the appropriations heretofore made as for No. 2, Office of the Comptroller, No. 32, Transfer Inheritance Tax, and No. 33, Collateral Inheritance Tax Refund, and one-half of No. 4, Office of the State Comptroller and State Treasurer. The Auditors Salaries and Expenses for 1917 includes $5,000 transferred from State House Commission State Purchasing item. Increased salary appropriations are for additional employees, and for salary adjustment to men in military service. The payments under the Transfer Inheritance Tax Law cover the 5 per cent. payable to counties and for necessary refunds of overpayments. The amount for Collateral Tax Refunds is a nominal amount of $1,000.

Account Nos. 3 and 4

1917	1918	TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary of Treasurer,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
18,000.00	18,300.00	Clerical Services,	18,300.00	18,300.00
2,100.00	3,600.00	Salary—Commissioner of Municipal Accounts,	3,600.00	3,600.00
980.00	1,680.00	Clerical Services—Department of Municipal Accounts,	4,100.00	4,100.00
$27,080.00	$29,580.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$32,000.00	$32,000.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	Blanks and Stationery, Treasurer's Office,	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,000.00	1,200.00	Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expenses,	1,300.00	1,300.00
450.00	450.00	Premium on Surety Bond, Treasurer and Deputy Treasurer,	450.00	450.00
1,400.00	2,400.00	Blanks, Stationery, Postage and Traveling Expenses, Department of Municipal Accounts,	2,400.00	2,400.00
500.00	.....	Office Furniture, Equipment and Other Incidental Expenses, Department of Municipal Accounts,	100.00	100.00
$31,430.00	$34,630.00		$37,250.00	$37,250.00
12	13	Employees,	14	14

The above includes one-half of former appropriation, No. 4, Offices of the State Comptroller and State Treasurer. Increased salary appropriation is to provide for an auditor (new in the Department of Municipal Accounts.)

Account No. 5

1917	1918	SECRETARY OF STATE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary, Secretary of State,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
3,000.00	3,000.00	Salary of Assistant Secretary of State,	3,000.00	3,000.00
23,475.00	24,100.00	Clerical Services,	24,500.00	24,500.00
$32,475.00	$33,100.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$33,500.00	$33,500.00
16,500.00	13,500.00	Blanks and Stationery,	11,700.00	11,700.00
4,000.00	4,400.00	Postage, Expressage, etc.,	6,500.00	6,000.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	Preserving Early Probate Records,	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,000.00	.....	Purchase of Metallic Cases for Corporation Records,	1,000.00	500.00
.....	.....	Purchase of Corporation Folders,	1,000.00	500.00
2,000.00	2,000.00	Purchase of Pamphlet Copies of Corporation Act,	2,000.00	1,000.00
300.00	300.00	Compiling Election Laws and Instructions,	.....	.....
$57,275.00	$54,300.00	*Total Appropriation for Expenses,*	$56,700.00	$54,200.00
.....	218.00	Refund to Pennsylvania Railroad Co.,	.....	.....
$57,275.00	$54,518.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$56,700.00	$54,200.00
17	17	Employees,	18	18

The amount of $24,500 for Clerical Salaries, and $11,700 for Blanks and Stationery is after transferring to the Motor Vehicle Department $600 for Salaries and $1,800 for Blanks and Stationery applicable to that department, which have heretofore been expended from the Secretary of State's appropriation.

The Assistant Secretary receives as Commissioner of Motor Vehicles $1,500 additional. The entire $4,500 should be charged to Motor Vehicle Department, but statute requires otherwise.

Account No. 6

1917	1918	MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,500.00	$1,500.00	Salary of Commissioners,	$1,500.00	$1,500.00
1,800.00	1,800.00	Salary of Chief Inspector,	2,100.00	2,000.00
.....	1,500.00	Salary of Deputy Chief Inspector,	1,800.00	1,680.00
37,800.00	43,200.00	Compensation for 32 Inspectors,	47,500.00	*43,200.00
11,250.00	12,000.00	Compensation for Clerical Service,	14,398.00	13,860.00
$52,350.00	$60,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$67,298.00	$62,240.00
34,690.00	40,000.00	Markers (also by Transfer in 1918, $22,031.10),	60,000.00	60,000.00
21,000.00	22,000.00	Expenses and Equipment of Inspector,	25,000.00	25,000.00
6,000.00	5,000.00	Postage, Express and Incidentals,	6,000.00	6,000.00
8,000.00	7,000.00	Blanks and Stationery,	9,800.00	9,800.00
500.00	500.00	Liability Insurance of Inspectors,	500.00	500.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Purchase of Automobiles,	5,000.00	5,000.00
$127,540.00	$139,500.00	*Total Appropriations for Expenses,*	$173,598.00	$168,540.00
300.00	300.00	Refunds to Applicants,	300.00	300.00
$127,840.00	$139,800.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$173,898.00	$168,840.00
41	46	Employees,	47	47

The increase in salaries is to provide for a 10% increase, for employee being in the United States service, and for clerk now paid from Secretary of State's appropriation.

Blanks and Stationery includes $1,800 similarly transferred from Secretary of State's Department.

* Providing legislation is enacted increasing pay of inspectors, this item should be increased to $47,500.

Account No. 7

1917	1918	ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT	*Requested* 1919	*Recommended* 1919
$7,000.00	$7,000.00	Salary of Attorney-General,	$7,000.00	$7,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Salary of Assistant Attorney-General,	5,000.00	5,000.00
4,800.00	4,800.00	Salary of Second Assistant Attorney-General,	4,800.00	4,800.00
16,624.00	16,624.00	Compensation of Assistants,	17,500.00	17,500.00
$33,424.00	$33,424.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$34,300.00	$34,300.00
500.00	750.00	Blanks and Stationery,	900.00	800.00
876.00	1,000.00	Traveling Expenses,	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	Postage, Telephone, Telegraph, Court Cases, Supplies and Incidentals	1,750.00	1,650.00
500.00	250.00	Compensation and Expense of Foreign Counsel,	500.00	500.00
.....	1,500.00	Compensation for Special Counsel,	.....	.....
$36,800.00	$38,424.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$38,450.00	$38,250.00
10	10	Employees,	10	10

Account No. 8

DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary of Commissioner,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
3,500.00	3,500.00	Salary of Deputy,	3,500.00	3,500.00
.....	.....	Salary of Special Deputy,	*4,000.00	*.....
19,500.00	19,500.00	Assistant, Clerks, &c.,	24,775.00	23,000.00
23,000.00	23,000.00	Building Loan Examiners,	22,680.00	22,680.00
.....	.....	Compensation of Examiners in Miscellaneous Investigations, Attending Hearings, &c.,	1,100.00	1,100.00
		Additional Employees,	2,000.00	.....
$52,000.00	$52,000.00		$64,055.00	$56,280.00
1,500.00	4,000.00	Salaries and Expenses of Compensation Rating and Inspection Bureau,	.....	.....
$53,500.00	$56,000.00		$64,055.00	$56,280.00
5,000.00	5,500.00	Blanks and Stationery,	6,500.00	6,500.00
5,000.00	4,550.00	Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expenses,	5,325.00	5,325.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Traveling Expenses,	6,275.00	6,275.00
300.00	300.00	Appraisals of Real Estate,	300.00	300.00
.....	.....	Cost of Suits and Other Incidental Items,	250.00	250.00
$67,800.00	$70,350.00		$82,705.00	$74,930.00
34	38	Employees,	39	..

In 1917, Receipts of the Department turned into State Treasury amounted to $462,720.27. Receipts not turned into the State Treasury were expended as follows:

N. J. Firemens Home,	$20,000.00
Firemen's Relief Associations,	70,223.20
Paid to Actuary out of fees collected from N. J. Life Insurance Companies for computing value of policies and annuity bonds,	14,286.00
Paid to Examiners, charges for examinations, collected form Insurance Companies, Banks, etc.,	60,832.53
	$165,341.73

The Special Deputy, ex-officio Chairman of the Compensation Rating and Inspection Bureau, has heretofore been paid his compensation out of the funds of such Bureau. If legislation is enacted to assess this against the Insurance Companies, the $4,000 should then be appropriated to the Department.

* The salary increases recommended are based on a 10 per cent. increase over similar salary items for 1918 and some provision is made for additional employees.

Account No. 9

STATE BOARD OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$4,000.00	$4,000.00	Salary of President of Board,	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
12,000.00	12,000.00	Salaries of Members of Board,	12,000.00	12,000.00
.....	1,500.00	Salary of Stenographer,	1,500.00	1,500.00
36,960.00	39,500.00	Secretary, Field Secretary, Engineer and Clerks,	39,500.00	39,500.00
$52,960.00	$57,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$57,000.00	$57,000.00
4,004.71	3,000.00	Stationery and Supplies,	3,000.00	3,000.00
1,937.05	2,000.00	Printing,	2,000.00	2,000.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	Traveling Expenses,	1,500.00	1,500.00
1,000.00	1,725.00	Postage,	1,725.00	1,725.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	Equipment,	1,000.00	.....
258.24	275.00	Telephone, Express and Incidentals,	275.00	275.00
1,300.00	.....	Stenographer,	.....	.....
$63,960.00	$66,500.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$66,500.00	$65,500.00
29	29	Employees,	29	29

Account No. 10

1917	1918	HEALTH DEPARTMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$4,000.00	$4,000.00	Salary of Director,	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
3,600.00	3,600.00	Salary of Assistant Director,	3,600.00	3,600.00
85,597.43	87,400.00	Bureau and Division Chiefs, Clerks, Stenographers, Chemists, Bacteriologists, Inspectors and Assistants,	102,400.00	95,140.00
$93,197.43	$95,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$110,000.00	$102,740.00
1,864.48	2,264.48	Postage and Stamped Envelopes,	2,800.00	2,800.00
7,011.06	7,011.06	Printing, Stationery and Office Supplies,	8,500.00	7,500.00
1,723.31	1,723.31	Office Furniture and Equipment,	2,500.00	2,000.00
1,154.67	1,354.67	Expenses Oyster Inspection Boat,	1,500.00	1,500.00
5,173.48	5,173.48	Laboratory Supplies,	8,000.00	6,000.00
2,720.25	2,720.25	Exhibit Equipment and Supplies,	3,000.00	3,000.00
3,469.07	3,469.07	Monthly Bulletin,	3,500.00	3,500.00
5,883.68	3,481.11	Incidentals,	4,200.00	4,000.00
17,802.57	17,802 57	Expenses (49 Employees),	21,000.00	20,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Enforcement of State Sanitary Code by Local Health Boards,	5,000.00	5,000.00
.....	.....	For Use in Case of Epidemics,*	10,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Child Hygiene,**	56,820.00	.....
.....	.....	Laboratory Building,	65,000.00	.....
$145,000.00	$145,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$301,820.00	$158,040.00
70	72	Employees,	75	72

* Already provided by State House Commission Emergency Fund.

** Very important, but State cannot assume it at this time. Every effort should be made through department of Education and other State and local agencies to disseminate necessary information and advice.

Account No. 11

1917	1918	COUNTY BOARDS OF TAXATION	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$100,800.00	$100,800.00	For Salaries of Members of the Twenty-One County Tax Boards of the State, ...	$100,800.00	$100,800.00

Account No. 12

1917	1918	STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$5,000.00	.....	Salary of State Engineer, ...	$10,000.00	.....
4,000.00	.....	Salary of Highway Engineer, ...	7,000.00	.....
8,000.00	.....	Salaries of Division Highway Engineers, ...	28,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Salaries of Clerical and Office Help, ...	25,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Salaries and Wages of Engineers, Foremen, Inspectors, Rodmen, Clerks and Other Employees for Service on the State Highway System—Expenses and Equipment, ...	330,000.00	.....
26,500.00	.....	Expenses of Department, Including Rent, Traveling, Stationery, Supplies, ...	.....	.....
$43,500.00	.....	*Total for Administration,*	$400,000.00	.....
75,000.00	90,000.00	Convict Labor, ...	400,000.00	.....
500,000.00	500,000.00	State Aid Road Fund, ...	800,000.00	500,000.00
75,000.00	25,000.00	State Aid for Roads in the County of Essex, ...	.....	.....
860.00	.....	Pressure Distribution, ...	.....	.....
4,800.00	.....	State Aid to Township Roads, ...	.....	.....
.....	5,000.00	State Aid to Counties Chap. 217 P. L. 1916), ...	.....	.....
$699,160.00	$620,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$1,600,000.00	$500,000.00

The request for a total appropriation of $400,000 for administration expenses from the Treasury Fund is not recommended because the administration of the department should be charged to the State Road Fund as in 1918. The administration of the State Highways System should be charged to the State Road Tax.

The request for $400,000 for convict labor is not recommended because in future convict labor will be used in the construction of the State Highway System, or State Aid work and charged against such accounts.

With the amounts of $500,000 above recommended to be appropriated for State Aid and approximately $2,000,000 from Motor Vehicle License receipts, which is all a part of the State Road Fund, it is expected the Highway Department will maintain necessary administrative equipment and overhead expenses. It is our judgment that the State Highway System maintenance should not be a tax upon ordinary Treasury Funds.

Account No. 13

1917	1918	STATE LIBRARY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,000.00	$3,000.00	Salary of State Librarian,	$3,000.00	$3,000.00
3,300.00	3,900.00	Salaries of Assistants,	3,900.00	3,900.00
$6,300.00	$6,900.00	*Total Salaries,*	$6,900.00	$6,900.00
3,000.00	3,500.00	Repair, Preservation and Purchase of Books,	3,500.00	3,500.00
1,000.00	400.00	Legislature Reference Department,	400.00	400.00
800.00	1,000.00	Blanks, Stationery and Incidentals,	1,000.00	1,000.00
.....	.....	Expenses of Librarian to National Conventions,	100.00	100.00
$11,100.00	$11,800.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$11,900.00	$11,900.00
3	3	Employees,	3	3

Account No. 14

1917	1918	PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$4,660.00	$4,920.00	Salaries of Secretary, Organizer and Librarian and Two Assistants,	$5,260.00	$5,260.00
11,450.00	12,900.00	Traveling Expenses, Books and Pamphlets, Stationary and Blanks, Printing, Postage, Express and Incidentals,	14,724.00	14,000.00
150.00	300.00	Donations to Libraries,	300.00	300.00
7,000.00	7,000.00	Formation and Aid of School Libraries,	7,000.00	7,000.00
$23,260.00	$25,120.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$27,284.00	$26,560.00
5	5	Employees,	5	5

The increase in salaries asked is less than 10 per cent. of the 1918 appropriation for salaries.

Account No. 15.

1917	1918	LABOR DEPARTMENT	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary of Commissioner,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
3,000.00	3,000.00	Salary of Assistant Commissioner,	3,000.00	3,000.00
82,280.00	86,000.00	Salaries of 66 Employees,	105,000.00	94,600.00
$91,280.00	$95,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$114,000.00	$103,600.00
28,720.00	31,000.00	Blanks, Stationery, Bulletins and other Publications, Traveling Expenses, Postage, Express, Telephone and Incidentals,	36,000.00	36,000.00
$120,000.00	$126,000.00		$150,000.00	$139,600.00
68	68	Employees,	75	75

Fees accruing from the license of explosive store houses to be used in the maintenance of that department pursuant to Chapter 243 P. L. 1917.

This Department is now receiving an income of approximately $30,000 annually and its increase is allowed mainly for the purpose of developing Departments, which through proposed legislation will increase its income to approximately $90,000.

Accounts Nos. 16 and 93

1917	1918	STATE HOUSE COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		Salary of Custodian,	$3,500.00	$3,500.00
$3,500.00	$3,500.00	Salary of Assistant Custodian,	1,500.00	1,500.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	Wages of Assistants, Helpers, etc.,	55,000.00	55,000.00
50,000.00	50,000.00	Salary of State Purchasing Agent,	5,000.00	5,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Salary of Expert Printer,	900.00	900.00
900.00	900.00			
		Total Salaries and Wages,	$65,900.00	$65,900.00
$60,900.00	$60,900.00			
		War Emergency Fund,	.....	.....
5,000.00	10,000.00	General Repairs to State House and Buildings,	10,000.00	10,000.00
20,000.00	25,000.00	Coal, Light, Telephone, Furnishings, Supplies and Tools,	30,000.00	30,000.00
65,000.00	10,000.00	and between Delaware River and Creek,	25,000.00	25,000.00
5,000.00	20,000.00	Purchasing Department Expenses,	25,000.00	25,000.00
70,000.00	80,000.00	Printing Public Documents,	80,000.00	80,000.00
6,000.00	6,000.00	Printing and Circulating Laws,	7,500.00	7,500.00
100.00	100.00	Preparing Index,	100.00	.....
$332,000.00	$212,000.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$243,500.00	$243,400.00
.....	.....	Construction of East Wing,	400,000.00	.....
$332,000.00	$212,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$643,500.00	$243,400.00
255,000.00	125,000.00	Account No. 16,		
77,000.00	87,000.00	Account No. 93,		
$332,000.00	$212,000.00	*Total,*		

Account No. 17

1917	1918	DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$4,200.00	$4,200.00	Salary of Director,	$5,000.00	$4,200.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Salary of State Geologist,	4,800.00	4,000.00
31,477.00	36,035.00	Assistants, Engineers, Chemists, Fire Wardens, Geologist, Foresters, Fire Watchers, Forest Rangers, Museum Organizer, Clerks, Stenographers, etc.,	43,300.00	36,150.00
4,000.00	5,000.00	State's Share of Township Fire Bills,	6,500.00	5,000.00
$43,677.00	$49,235.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$59,630.00	$49,350.00
23,023.00	21,765.00	Sundry Supplies, Including Fuel, Power, Blanks and Stationery, postage, Telegraph, Telephone, Freight, Express, Maps, Apparatus, Traveling Expense and Incidentals,	28,670.00	15,000.00
		State Forest Development,	2,100.00	1,000.00
		Miscellaneous, Including Books, Forest Tax, Insurance, Equipment, Museum Materials,	4,100.0	1,100.00
.....	.....	Washington Crossing Memorial,	25,000.00	.....
33,500.00	.....	Laboratory and Equipment (including $10,00 by transfer),	.....	.....
19,000.00	.....	Shark River Improvement,	.....	.....
$119,200.00	$71,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$119,500.00	$66,450.00
40	41	Employees,	45	40

It is our opinion that by a readjustment of the work and force a sufficient amount can be saved to permit justifiable salary increases for under clerks. We have disallowed the request for appropriation of $2,500.00 for Memorial at Washington Crossing. We believe the Commission should consider the possible disposal of the farm and purchase the historic McConkey ferry house, or arrange to have the farm cultivate rather than leasing it for $100 annually, as is the present policy.

Account No. 18

SUPREME COURT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$13,000.00	$13,000.00	Salary of Chief Justice,	$13,000.00	$13,000.00
96,000.00	96,000.00	Salaries Associate Justices,	96,000.00	96,000.00
63,000.00	72,000.00	Salaries of Circuit Court Judges,	72,000.00	72,000.00
1,300.00	1,300.00	Compensation (2) Sergeant-at-Arms,	1,300.00	1,300.00
$173,300.00	$182,300.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$182,300.00	$182,300.00
3,500.00	3,500.00	Expenses of Supreme Court,	3,500.00	3,500.00
250.00	250.00	Blanks, Stationery, Postage, Etc.,	350.00	350.00
.....	.....	Expense of Bar Examinations and Compensation to Clerk in Disbarments,	3,000.00	2,000.00
$177,050.00	$186,050.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$189,150.00	$188,150.00
19	19	Employees,	19	19

Account No. 19

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary Supreme Court Clerk,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
17,500.00	17,500.00	Salaries for Clerks,	19,000.00	19,000.00
$23,500.00	$23,500.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$25,000.00	$25,000.00
2,360.00	2,500.00	Blanks and Stationery,	2,500.00	2,500.00
1,900.00	1,900.00	Postage, Expressage, Incidentals,	1,900.00	1,900.00
.....	1,000.00	Steel Cases for Vault,	.....	.....
$27,760.00	$28,900.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$29,400.00	$29,400.00
13	13	Employees,	13	13

Salary increase asked is less than 10 per cent and includes $528 being paid to one employee in the U. S. Service.

Account No. 20

COURT OF CHANCERY

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$13,000.00	$13,000.00	Salary of Chancellor,	$13,000.00	$13,000.00
96,000.00	96,000.00	Salaries of Vice Chancellors,	96,000.00	96,000.00
6,700.00	6,700.00	Compensation of Sergeant-atArms,	6,700.00	6,700.00
15,000.00	15,000.00	Compensation of Advisory Masters,	15,000.00	15,000.00
21,000.00	21,000.00	Salaries of Stenographers,	21,000.00	21,000.00
600.00	600.00	Salary Chancellor's Stenographer,	600.00	600.00
$152,300.00	$152,300.00	*Total Salaries,*	$152,300.00	$152,300.00
500.00	500.00	Stationery,	500.00	500.00
7,616.00	7,616.00	Rent of Rooms,	7,616.00	7,616.00
150.00	150.00	Miscellaneous Expense,	150.00	150.00
$160,566.00	$160,566.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$160,566.00	$160,566.00
28	28	Employees,	30	30

Account No. 21

CLERK IN CHANCERY

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,000.00	$6,000.00	Salary Clerk in Chancery,	$6,000.00	$6,000.00
37,000.00	39,000.00	Salaries of Clerks,	41,000.00	41,000.00
$43,000.00	$45,000.00	*Total Salaries,*	$47,000.00	$47,000.00
3,000.00	5,000.00	Blanks and Stationery,	5,000.00	5,000.00
3,500.00	3,700.00	Postage, Expressage, Incidentals,	4,000.00	4,000.00
.....	300.00	Repairing Old Indices,	.....	.....
.....	.....	Repairing Old Dockets,	500.00	.....
$49,500.00	$54,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$56,500.00	$56,000.00
39	40	Employees,	42	42

The increase asked in Salaries is less than 10 per cent. on the regular salary appropriation for clerks in 1918.

Account No. 22

COURT OF ERRORS AND APPEALS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$22,000.00	$22,000.00	Salaries of Six Judges, $20.00 Per Diem,	$22,000.00	$22,000.00
1,750.00	1,750.00	Compensation of Court Officers,	2,250.00	2,250.00
$23,750.00	$23,750.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$24,250.00	$24,250.00
1,000.00	1,250.00	Typewritten Copies of Drafts, Opinions, Etc.,	1,500.00	1,250.00
150.00	150.00	Expressage, Postage, Etc.,	250.00	200.00
$24,900.00	$25,150.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$26,000.00	$25,700.00
19	19	Employees,	19	..

The salary increase is to change the per diem of two Sergeants-at-Arms from $3.00 to $4.00.

Account No. 23.

1917	1918	COURT OF PARDONS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$4,500.00	$5,000.00	Compensation of Judges at $20 Per Diem,	$5,500.00	$5,500.00
900.00	900.00	Salary of Clerk of Court of Pardons,	1,200.00	1,200.00
75.00	75.00	Salary of Stenographer,	75.00	75.00
$5,475.00	$5,975.00	*Total Salaries,*	$6,775.00	$6,775.00
275.00	525.00	Printing and Stationery, etc.,	1,800.00	750.00
.....	.....	Filing System and Securing Records of Convicts,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$5,750.00	$6,500.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$9,575.00	$8,525.00
8	8	Employees,	8	8

The appropriation is recommended for a filing system in order that a record of the convicts may be available in aiding the judges to determine teh merits of cases.

Account No. 24

1917	1918	COURT EXPENSES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	$750.00	Compensation for Common Pleas Judges,	$750.00	$750.00

Account No. 25

LAW AND EQUITY REPORTS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	$500.00	Salary of Chancery Reporter,	$500.00	$500.00
500.00	500.00	Salary of Law Reporter,	500.00	500.00
$1,000.00	$1,000.00	*Total Salaries,*	$1,000.00	$1,000.00
6,500.00	7,000.00	Publication of Chancery Reports,	7,000.00	5,000.00
6,500.00	3,500.00	Publication of Law Reports,	7,000.00	5,000.00
950.00	950.00	Binding of Chancery and Law Reports,	1,200.00	1,000.00
$14,950.00	$12,450.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$16,200.00	$12,000.00
2	2	Employees,	2	2

Account No. 26

STENOGRAPHIC REPORTERS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$15,765.04	$17,500.00	Amount to be Refunded to Counties for Salaries of Stenographic Reporters Appointed by Justices of the Supreme Court,	$17,500.00	$17,500.00
$15,765.04	$17,500.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$17,500.00	$17,500.00

Account No. 27

1917	1918	NATIONAL GUARD	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,400.00	$3,400.00	For Expenses of Battalion Headquarters,	$2,800.00	$2,800.00
30,000.00	37,500.00	For Allowance of 40 Companies of Infantry at $500 each,	20,000.00	20,000.00
9,000.00	10,000.00	For Compensation of the Superintendent and Employees and for Forage, Fuel and Maintenance of State Camp Grounds,	11,000.00	11,000.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	For Fuel, Light and Maintenance of the State Arsenal,	1,500.00	1,500.00
22,000.00	22,500.00	For Maintaining, Heating anl Lighting Regimental Armories at Jersey City, Camden, Newark, Paterson and Trenton at $4,500 each,	22,500.00	22,500.00
22,000.00	23,000.00	For Maintaining, Heating and Lighting Battery, Troop and Battalion Armories at Newark, East Orange, Camden, and Elizabeth, Red Bank and Orange,	23,000.00	23,000.00
9,000.00	13,500.00	For Maintaining, heating and lighting Company Armories at Somerville, Hackensack, Bridgeton, Asbury Park, New Brunswick and Englewood, at $1,500 each,	9,000.00	9,000.00
4,950.00	11,470.00	For Insuring Regimental Armories, Buildings at the State Camp Ground, Sea Girt, the State Arsenal and all Public Military Stores,	4,200.00	4,200.00
2,000.00	2,000.00	For Support and Maintenance of Headquarters Organizations and Detachments of Medical Corps,	1,000.00	1,000.00
10,000.00	10,000.00	For Ordnance Stores, Uniforms, Clothing, Camp and Garrison Equipage, Freight and Expressage and Miscellaneous Supplies,	40,000.00	40,000.00
600.00	600.00	For Pay of Clerk Attached to Instructor Inspector's Office,	600.00	600.00
1,200.00	1,200.00	For Salary of Caretaker of Military Equipment of Signal Corps Company,	1,200.00	1,200.00

1917	1918	*Account No. 27.*—NATIONAL GUARD—Continued.	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
10,000.00	10,000.00	For Extraordinary Repairs, Alterations, Additions and Furnishings for the Preservation, Equipment and Completion of Regimental, Battery Troop, Battalion and Company Armories, ...	10,000.00	10,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	For Transportation for Battalion Drills, Inspections, Parades and Pay and Expenses of Inspecting Officers, ...	8,000.00	8,000.00
9,000.00	9,000.00	For Compensation of Officers and Employees and Expenses Incurred in Connection with Rifle Practice, ...	9,000.00	9,000.00
70,000.00	70,000.00	For Pay of Officers and Enlisted Men, and Expenses in Connection with the Annual Encampment, ...	80,000.00	80,000.00
1,200.00	1,200.00	For Expenses of Military Boards and Court-martial, ...	1,200.00	1,200.00
30.00	30.00	For Transportation of Disabled Soldiers of the Late Rebellion and the Spanish-American War, ...	30.00	30.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	For Horse Allowance to Officers, ...	2,000.00	2,000.00
6,500.00	6,500.00	For Allowance for Uniforms and Equipment for Officers of Regiments, Troops, Batteries, Companies, Signal Corps, and the Naval Reserve, as provided in section one hunrred and twenty-seven of "An act concerning the militia of the State," approved May sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six, ...	5,000.00	5,000.00
.....	.....	For Settlement of Claims Filed by E. B. VanHorn, First Field Company, Signal Corps, and Troop C, 1st Squadron Cavalry, for Horses Lost in 1912 and 1915, ...	1,034.00	.....
6,000.00	6,000.00	For Allowances for Three Batteries of Artillery, Two Thousand Dollars Each, ...	.....	.....
8,000.00	8,000.00	For Allowances for Four Troops of Cavalry at Two Thousand Dollars Each, Including Rent of Armory, ...	.....	.....
2,000.00	2,000.00	For Allowance for One Signal Corps, ...	.....	.....

4,900.00	2,500.00	For Horse Allowance to Mounted Organizations Providing Horses for State Service, at Fifty Dollars Per Horse Per Annum, ...	.....	.....
1,000.00	1,000.00	For Traveling Expenses of United States Army Officers Detailed to the State by the War Department as Instructor-Inspectors of the National Guard, ...	.....	.....
1,500.00	1,500.00	For Salary of Caretaker of Military Equipment of Troop D, 1st Squadron Cavalry, ...	.....	.....
780.00	780.00	For Salary of Caretaker of Armories K and M, Fourth Infantry, at Hoboken, ...	.....	.....
1,000.00	.....	For Equipping and Furnishing Company Armory at New Brunswick, ...	.....	.....
5,000.00	.....	For Painting and Repairing and General Improvement of Buildings at State Camp Grounds, Sea Girt, ...	5,000.00	5,000.00
982.75	.....	For Settlement of Street Paving Assessment Levied Against the State Arsenal Property, City of Trenton, ...	.....	.....
50,000.00	.....	For Construction of Armory for 4th Infantry at Jersey City, pursuant to Chapter 177, Laws of 1914, ...	.....	.....
25,000.00	.....	For Construction of Armory for Co. L, 3d Infantry, at Atlantic City, pursuant to Chapter 32, Laws of 1915, ...	.....	.....
25,000.00	.....	For Construction of Armory for Co. K, 2d Infantry, at Plainfield, pursuant to Chapter 345, Laws of 1915, ...	.....	.....
25,000.00	.....	For Construction of Armory for Co. E, 3d Infantry, at Mt. Holly, pursuant to Chapter 266, Laws of 1913, ...	.....	.....
.....	3,107.00	For Settlement of Street Paving Assessment Levied Aagainst Battery B Property, City of Camden, ...	.....	.....
.....	6,000.00	For Furnishing and Equipping Armories of Co. L, 3d Infantry, Atlantic City; Co. K, 2d Infantry, Plainfield, and Co. E, 3d Infantry, Mt. Holly, ...	.....	.....

1917	1918	*Account No. 27.*—NATIONAL GUARD—Continued.	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
.....	1,440.00	For salary for Caretaker for Field Hospital and Ambulance Company at Elizabeth and Red Bank, ...	.....	.....
.....	160.00	For Bill of Robert M. Purdy, Manasquan, for Burial Expenses of Private John E. Smith, 5th Infantry, and Daniel Sullivan, 4th Infantry, who died while in State Service at Sea Girt, ...	.....	.....
.....	14,435.90	For Unpaid Balance due on Contracts dated in June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, conditioned for the purchase of public animals for use of the New Jersey Organizations ordered into Federal Service, ...	.....	.....
.....	1,000.00	For Expenses of Officers Attending Military Boards and Courts-martial and other Miscellaneous Claims, ...	.....	.....
.....	6,549.25	For Claims of Railroad Companies for Additional Transportation of Officers and Men and Military Equipment and Animals, ...	.....	.....
100,000.00	.....	Purchase of Supplies and Equipment and Payment of Expenses for the National Guard and Naval Reserve and for the payment of Members of said National Guard and Naval Reserve while in the Service of this State in Safeguarding Property, ...	.....	.....
.....	81.08	For Settlement of Street Paving Assessment Levied Against 3d Regiment Armory, ...	.....	.....
.....	25,000.00	For Construction of Armory at Salem pursuant to Chapter 226, Laws of 1913, ...	.....	.....
.....	25,000.00	For Construction of Armory in the Town of Bloomfield pursuant to Chapter 242, Laws of 1915, ...	.....	.....
116.67	.....	For Compensation of Edward W. Vaughn, Veterinarian, Attending Horses of N, J. Organizations at Douglas, Arizona, during the period from June 26th to July 31st, 1916, ...	.....	.....

179.20	.....	For Compensation of the Acting Adjutant-General during the absence of the AdjutantGeneral during the period from November 11th to December 6th, 1916, ...	.....	.....
2,250.00	.....	For Extending Water Supply and Improving and Extending Sewerage and Drainage System at Sea Girt, ...	.....	.....
2,400.00	.....	For Rental of Stables and Drill Ground Leased by Troop D, at Plainfield, pending the Acquisition of State-owned Stables and Drill Hall, ...	.....	.....
514.00	.....	For Compensation of Chester L. Nelson, Vet., accompanying 1st Sqd. Cav. to Douglas, Ariz., and employed during the period from June 20 to October 21, 1916, at pay of 2d Lieut., ...	.....	.....
800.00	.....	For Reimbursement to Troop D, 1st Squad. Cav., for Existing Liabilities incurred for the Maintenance of the Organizations pending State Support, ...	.....	.....
3,000.00	.....	For Additional Compensation for the Adjutant-General and Officers in his Department and the Quartermaster-General and Officers in his Department as approved by the Governor, ...	.....	.....
$485,302.62	$345,453.23	*Total Appropriation,*	$258,064.00	$257,030.00

Account No. 28.

1917	1918	NAVAL RESERVE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,500.00	$1,500.00	First Battalion, in Lieu of Company Allowances, ...	.....	.....
300.00	300.00	For Battalion Headquarters, ...	.....	.....
6,500.00	.....	For pay of Shipkeeper ,Maintenance and Expenses, ...	.....	.....
4,800.00	10,000.00	For Pay and Expenses of Officers and Men on Annual Cruise and Practice Cruises, ...	.....	.....
1,500.00	1,500.00	Second Battalion, in Lieu of Company Allowance, ...	.....	.....
300.00	300.00	For Battalion Headquarters, ...	.....	.....
6,500.00	.....	For Pay of Shipkeeper, Maintenance and Expenses, ...	.....	.....
4,800.00	10,000.00	For Pay and Expenses of Officers and Men on Annual Cruise and Practice Cruises, ...	.....	.....
$26,200.00	$23,600.00	*Total Appropriation,*	.....	.....

Account No. 29

1917	1918	SEA GIRT COTTAGE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,500.00	$3,500.00	Renewing Equipment and Maintenance of Cottage at Sea Girt and Entertainment therein, ...	$3,500.00	$3,500.00

Account No. 30

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,500.00	Salary of Adjutant,	$2,500.00	$2,500.00
10,950.00	9,750.00	Salaries of Assistant, Clerks and Stenographers and Additional Help Required,	16,944.00	16,944.00
$13,450.00	$12,250.00	*Total Salaries,*	$19,444.00	$19,444.00
3,050.00	3,150.00	Expenses of the Department, Including Blanks, Stationery, Postage, Express and Incidentals,	4,000.00	4,000.00
.....	900.00	Office Equipment,	300.00	300.00
$16,500.00	$16,300.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$23,744.00	$23,744.00
9	13	Employees,	16	16

Increase of expense in this department caused by abnormal activity required by the war.

Account No. 31.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,500.00	Salary of Quartermaster General,	$2,500.00	$2,500.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	Salary of Chief Clerk,	2,500.00	2,500.00
.....	2,100.00	Salary, Chief of Quartermaster's Corps,	2,500.00	2,500.00
9,100.00	7,000.00	Salaries of Clerks,	9,720.00	8,640.00
1,200.00	1,200.00	Salary, Military Storekeeper,	1,200.00	1,200.00
3,600.00	4,539.00	Wages, Carpenters, Machinists, etc.,	5,163.00	5,163.00
$18,900.00	$19,839.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$23,583.00	$22,503.00
500.00	500.00	Blanks and Stationery,	500.00	500.00
550.00	550.00	Postage, Expressage and Incidentals,	650.00	650.00
$19,950.00	$20,889.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$24,833.00	$23,653.00
16	15	Employees,	15	15

The salary increase recommended represents slight increases and a readjustment of the office force to meet conditions arising from the war.

Account No. 34

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$4,000.00	$4,000.00	Salary of Commissioner,	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
*24,100.00	6,700.00	Other Salaries and Clerical Services,	7,000.00	6,700.00
*$28,100.00	$10,700.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$11,000.00	$10,700.00
.....	2,000.00	Travelling Expenses,	2,600.00	2,600.00
*7,900.00	800.00	Blanks and Stationery,	1,800.00	1,000.00
.....	500.00	Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expenses,	700.00	700.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	Deportation of Aliens and Nonresidents,	1,000.00	1,000.00
.....	200.00	Office Furniture,	200.00	.....
*$37,500.00	$15,700.00		$17,300.00	$16,000.00
18	7	Employees,	7	7

* Appropriation for 1917 included office of State Architect, now separate.
If legislation is enacted, as suggested, providing for a central Board of Control, this appropriation to be increased to $25,000.

Account No. 35

NEW JERSEY CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$600.00	$600.00	For Printing Proceedings of Conference,	$600.00	$600.00

Account No. 36

STATE BOARD OF TENEMENT HOUSE SUPERVISION

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,600.00	$3,600.00	Salary of Secretary,	$3,600.00	$3,600.00
17,550.00	18,000.00	Plan Examiners and Clerical Services,	19,150.00	19,150.00
37,400.00	43,500.00	Chief Inspector and Inspectors,	43,600.00	43,600.00
$58,550.00	$65,100.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$66,350.00	$66,350.00
750.00	750.00	Printing and Stationery,	400.00	400.00
350.00	350.00	Traveling Expenses, Executive Officer and Plan Examiners,	350.00	350.00
400.00	300.00	Expenses, Members of the Board,	300.00	300.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Inspectors' Expenses,	4,300.00	4,300.00
200.00	200.00	Office Furnishings and Supplies,	200.00	200.00
2,250.00	2,000.00	Postage, Expressage and Other Incidental Expense,	2,250.00	2,250.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	Rent,	2,500.00	2,500.00
$69,000.00	$75,200.00		$76,650.00	$76,650.00
47	47	Employees,	48	48

Account No. 37

1917	1918	CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$9,666.70	$10,500.00	Salaries of Commissioners,	$10,500.00	$10,500.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Salary of Chief Examiner and Secretary,	4,000.00	4,000.00
2,550.00	2,350.00	Salary Assistant Secretary,	2,700.00	2,350.00
2,350.00	2,550.00	Salary of Examiner,	3,000.00	3,000.00
1,200.00	1,400.00	Salary of Examiner and Clerk,	1,800.00	1,800.00
17,376.68	18,158.83	Salaries of 22 Clerical Assistants,	22,000.00	20,000.00
5,755.50	3,381.17	Compensation for Special Employment,	7,700.00	5,000.00
1,826.16	840.00	Salaries Election Department,	2,500.00	.....*
.....	.....	Additional Clerical Help,	1,000.00	.....
.....	4,100.00	Salaries for Clerks in Standardization Department,	6,000.00	5,000.00
$44,725.04	$47,280.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$61,200.00	$51,650.00
3,500.00	3,900.00	Stationery,	10,900.00	7,000.00
3,712.53	3,991.00	Incidentals, Including Postage, Telephone, Telegraph, Traveling Expenses, Etc.,	6,977.00	5,000.00
681.20	509.00	Office Supplies and Equipment,	923.00	900.00
581.23	.....	Carried Forward on Requisition,	.....	.....
$53,200.00	$55,680.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$80,000.00	$64,550.00
26	26	Employees,	Not Estimated	

The $4,000 for Chief Examiner and Secretary is statutory and appropriation is accordingly recommended, although the position is now vacant.

The increase in salaries recommended is in view of a rearrangement of positions and responsibilities. The other increases are due to an increased volume of business.

* Expenses of election examination disallowed, as new method of selecting election officers is contemplated.

Account No. 38

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$22,500.00	$22,500.00	Salaries of Commissioners,	$22,500.00	$22,500.00
.....	10,000.00	Salaries of Counsel and Assistants,	10,000.00	10,000.00
70,500.00	4,000.00	Salaries of Secretary, Inspectors, Engineers, Clerical and Other	4,000.00	4,000.00
.....	58,000.00	Employees,	69,000.00	64,000.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Stenographers at Hearings and Transcripts of Their Notes,	5,000.00	5,000.00
24,300.00	10,000.00	Temporary Employment of Engineers and Other Experts for Special Work,	10,000.00	10,000.00
$122,300.00	$109,500.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$120,500.00	$115,500.00
9,150.00	8,650.00	Traveling Expenses and Incidentals,	9,000.00	9,000.00
5,350.00	5,350.00	Rent and Insurance,	5,350.00	5,350.00
7,500.00	7,500.00	Printing and Stationery,	7,500.00	7,500.00
700.00	500.00	Office Equipment,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$145,000.00	$131,500.00		$143,350.00	$138,350.00
38	Not Estimated	Employees,	Not Estimated	Not Estimated

The increase recommended in salaries is practically 10% over the current year's appropriation.

Account No. 39

1917	1918	PUBLIC REPORTS DEPARTMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,000.00	$2,000.00	Salary of Commissioner,	$2,000.00	$2,000.00
600.00	600.00	Salary of Clerk,	600.00	600.00
100.00	100.00	Blanks, Stationery and Incidentals,	100.00	100.00
$2,700.00	$2,700.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$2,700.00	$2,700.00
2	2	Employees,	2	2

Account No. 40

1917	1918	ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS FOR THE INSANE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	$2,500.00	For Conserving the Property and for the Expense of the Commission Pursuant to Chapter 120, Laws of 1916.	.....	.....

This Commission was appointed to secure a site for a new insane hospital to relieve the conditions at Morris Plains, and the appropriation available in 1918 was to defray the expense of such work.

Account No. 41

1917	1918	BOARD OF COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		Salary, Chief Engineer,	$5,000.00	$5,000.00
		Salary, Consulting Engineer,	4,500.00	4,500.00
$32,910.00	$36.000.00	Assistant Engineers, Draughtsmen, Inspectors, Clerks and Other Employees,	21,952.00	21,500.00
		Special Counsel Fee,	5,000.00	5,000.00
$32,910.00	$36,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$36,452.00	$36,000.00
3,000.00	.....	Supplemental Appropriation for Salaries and Expenses,	.....	.....
10,290.00	11,000.00	Traveling Expenses, Blanks, Stationery, Express, Postage and Other Incidentals,	11,000.00	11,000.00
3,000.00	5,000.00	Maintenance, Dredging of Inland Waterway from Cape May to Bay Head,	10,000.00	10,000.00
50,000.00	25,000.00	Continuing Construction of Bay Head-Manasquan Canal,	125,000.00	25,000.00
.....	5,000.00	Survey of New Jersey Ship Canal,	.....	.....
		Engine for Cargo Boat,	4,000.00	.....
10,000.00	.....	Expenses, FreeLighterage Case,	.....	.....
$109,200.00	$82,000.00		$186,452.00	$82,000.00
20	12	Employees,	13	13

Account No 42

1917	1918	WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,500.00	Salary of Superintendent,	$2,500.00	$2,500.00
6,700.00	6,240.00	Salaries of Assistants and Clerks,	7,080.00	7,080.00
$9,200.00	$8,740.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$9,580.00	$9,580.00
2,554.00	3,270.00	For Traveling Expenses, Postage, Express, Telephone and Incidentals,	4,000.00	4,000.00
224.92	300.00	For Stationery,	420.00	420.00
21.08	.....	Unused Balance,	.....	.....
$12,000.00	$12,310.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$14,000.00	$14,000.00
5	5	Employees,	5	5

Account No. 43

1917	1918	STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$800.00	$800.00	Clerical Services,	$800.00	$800.00
1,800.00	2,100.00	Stationery, Postage and Supplies,	800.00	800.00
		Traveling Expenses,	1,900.00	1,900.00
$2,600.00	$2,900.00		$3,500.00	$3,500.00
1	1	Employees,	1	1

Account No. 44

1917	1918	COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$10,000.00	$10,000.00	Salary of Commissioner,	$10,000.00	$10,000.00
18,000.00	18,000.00	Salary of Four Assistants,	18,000.00	18,000.00
27,070.00	29,000.00	Clerical Services, Examiners, Inspectors and Other Employees,	35,401.00	32,000.00
4,948.58	8,000.00	Instructors, Physical Training,	9,000.00	4,000.00
.....	100.00	Indexing School Laws,	.....	.....
$60,018.58	$65,100.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$72,401.00	$64,000.00
16,000.00	19,000.00	Blanks, Forms, Stationery and Printing,	21,000.00	19,000.00
12,000.00	12,000.00	Traveling Expenses,	5,000.00	5,000.00
		Office Fixtures, Postage, Express and Incidentals,	8,000.00	7,200.00
1,500.00	1,300.00	Education Bulletin,	1,300.00	1,300.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	Legislative Manuals for School Use,	2,500.00	2,500.00
5,051.42	4,000.00	Printing, Traveling and Other Incidental Expenses for Physical Training Work,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$97,070.00	$103,900.00		$111,201.00	$100,000.00
26	26	Employees,	26	26

Account No. 45

1917	1918	STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, TRENTON	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		Salaries, Instructors,	$79,790.00	$73,600.00
$82,000.00	$88,000.00	Salaries, Administrative Employees,	10,990.00	10,900.00
		Salaries, Employees,	10,890.00	10,000.00
$82,000.00	$88,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$101,670.00	$94,500.00
13,000.00	19,000.00	Maintenance, Including Fuel and Power, School, Laboratory and Other Supplies and Incidental Expenses,	22,000.00	19,000.00
14,500.00	16,428.59	Repairs and Replacements,	18,000.00	16,500.00
.....	.....	Practice Teaching,	10,000.00	10,000.00
.....	.....	Insurance,	2,000.00	2,000.00
22,600.00	15,000.00	Additional Lockers,	2,250.00	.....
.....	.....	Athletic Field Equipment,	.....	.....
.....	.....	Athletic Field Improvement,	750.00	.....
$132,100.00	$138,428.59	*Total Current Appropriations,*	$156,670.00	$142,000.00
.....	.....	New Buildings,	250,000.00	.....
$132,100.00	$138,428.59	*Total Appropriations,*	$406,670.00	$142,000.00
700.00	630.00	Students—Normal School,	700.00	700.00
525.00	255.00	Students—Training School,	300.00	300.00
1,225.00	855.00		1,000.00	1,000.00
79	64	Employees,	67	67

Account No. 46

1917	1918	STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, MONTCLAIR	1919	
			Requested	*Recommended*
$53,778.00	$59,265.00	Salaries of Teachers and Principal,	$53,025.00	$51,500.00
.....	.....	Salaries of Employees,	13,650.00	13,650.00
$53,778.00	$59,265.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$66,675.00	$65,150.00
13,252.50	12,785.00	Maintenance, Including Fuel and Power, School and Other Supplies and Incidentals,	21,800.00	15,000.00
6,000.00	10,000.00	Repairs and Replacements,	9,000.00	9,000.00
.....	.....	Insurance,	838.00	838.00
691.00	775.00	Miscellaneous,	950.00	950.00
12,500.00	15,000.00	Practice Teaching,	16,000.00	15,000.00
$86,221.50	$97,825.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$115,263.00	$105,938.00
658	600	Students,	725	725
36	38	Employees,	39	39

Account No. 47

1917	1918	STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, NEWARK	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$75,000.00	$80,000.00	Salaries, Teachers, Principal, Secretary and Physician, ...	$95,000.00	$78,600.00
		Salaries of Employees, ...	10,000.00	9,400.00
$75,000.00	$80,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$105,000.00	$88,000.00
33,000.00	27,000.00	Maintenance, Including Fuel and Power, School, Laboratory and Other Supplies and Incidental expenses, ...	17,850.00	17,850.00
2,500.00	4,000.00	Repairs and Replacements, ...	6,300.00	6,300.00
2,000.00	2,000.00	Miscellaneous, ...	2,150.00	2,000.00
13,750.00	14,000.00	Practise Teaching, ...	15,000.00	15,000.00
$126,250.00	$127,000.00	*Total Current Appropriations,*	$146,300.00	$129,150.00
.....	.....	Purchase of School (Part Payment), ...	173,600.00	.....
$126,250.00	$127,000.00		$319,900.00	$129,150.00
900	1,000	Students, ...	1,000.00	1,000.00
60	65	Employees, ...	70	70

Account No. 48

1917	1918	THE NEW JERSEY SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, TRENTON	1919	
			Requested	*Recommended*
$29,500.00	$30,000.00	Maintenance, including Fuel and Power, School and Other Supplies and Incidental Expenses,	$55,500.00	$40,000.00
2,000.00	1,300.00	Less Receipts,	2,000.00	2,000.00
$27,500.00	$28,700.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$53,500.00	$38,000.00
33,300.00	35,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	50,848.00	42,000.00
$60,800.00	$63,700.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$104,348.00	$80,000.00
2,000.00	7,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	2,508.50	2,500.00
2,200.00	2,500.00	Miscellaneous,	3,800.00	3,000.00
$65,000.00	$73,700.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$110,656.50	$85,500.00
$40,000.00	.....	New Buildings,	175,000.00	.....
$105,000.00	$73,700.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$285,656.50	$85,500.00
200	200	Employees,	250	200
58	62	Students,	73	..

The appropriations for 1917 and 1918 were made in lump amounts and were, by the institution budgeted as above, estimating receipts at $2,000. The actual receipts for 1917 are now reported as $1,254.98. The 1917 appropriation of $40,000 for a south wing for girls was allowed to lapse. There is no question regarding the need of providing new buildings for the school, as present buildings do not furnish adequate and proper accommodations. Such appropriation should not, however, be made until a definite policy for the institution is determined upon, and proper plans and estimates made as to the nature and cost of the contemplated program.

A substantial increase is recommended in the maintenance appropriation, not only because of increased cost, but also to replenish depleted supplies. The amount recommended for salaries and wages provides for a 10% increase over the 1918 appropriation and for some needed additional employees.

Account No. 49

1917	1918	BORDENTOWN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$23,206.48	$26,870.00	Maintenance, including Fuel and Power, School and Other Supplies, and Incidental Expenses,	$29,200.00	$27,500.00
9,301.42	9,000.00	Less Receipts,	9,000.00	9,000.00
$13,905.06	$17,870.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$20,200.00	$18,500.00
17,464.93	21,780.00	Salaries and Wages,	27,380.00	25,100.00
$31,369.99	39,650.00	*Total Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$47,580.00	$43,600.00
3,188.81	1,850.00	Repairs and Replacements—Sundry,	.....	.....
1,000.00	4,000.00	Materials for Permanent Improvements,	4,000.00	3,000.00
.....	500.00	Trees and Fences,	.....	.....
.....	1,000.00	Building and Improving Roads,	950.00	.....
.....	.....	Partitions in Girls' Dormitory,	1,500.00	1,500.00
.....	.....	Repairs to Boys' Dormitory and Digging Cellar,	2,500.00	2,500.00
.....	.....	Coal Bin, Ash Pit and Storage Rooms,	1,800.00	.....
2,213.68	.....	Miscellaneous—Sundry,	.....	.....
227.52	.....	Fire Insurance,	1,300.00	1,300.00
6,000.00	.....	Equipment for New Trade Building,	3,000.00	2,000.00
.....	.....	Farm Truck,	1,050.00	.....
$44,000.00	$47,000.00	*Current Appropriations,*	$63,680.00	$53,900.00

Account No. 49 (Continued).

1917	1918	*New Buildings*	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
12,000.00	.....	Trade Building,	.....	.....
25,000.00	.....	Dormitory and Equipment,	4,200.00	4,200.00
10,000.00	.....	Teachers' Home,	.....	.....
.....	11,500.00	Land and Buildings, and Moving and Improving them,	3,600.00	3,600.00
.....	7,500.00	Administration Building,	12,500.00	.....
.....	5,000.00	Water Supply System,	.....	.....
.....	5,000.00	Sewer System,	.....	.....
.....	.....	Farm, Barn and Silos,	14,000.00	14,000.00
.....	.....	Boys' Dormitory,	75,000.00	.....
$91,000.00	$76,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$172,980.00	$75,700.00
188	200	Students,	225	225
24	25	Employees,	29	26

The amount recommended for salaries provides a 10% increase for subordinates, with an additional instructor for the new Industrial Trades Department.

The requests for new construction are not recommended, with the exception of the farm extension buildings, the moving and improving of the buildings recently purchased and the equipment of the new girls' dormitory.

Account No. 50

1917	1918	COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS' SALARIES	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$63,000.00	$63,000.00	Salaries of 21 County Superintendents,	$63,000.00	$63,000.00

Account No. 51

1917	1918	STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,800.00	$7,700.00	Salaries of Supervisors and Clerks, Per Diem of Members, and Other Services,	$7,760.00	$7,760.00
3,000.00	4,000.00	Blanks, Stationery, Postage and Other Incidental Expenses,	4,000.00	4,000.00
200.00	300.00	Traveling Expenses of Board and Secretary,	240.00	240.00
$10,000.00	$12,000.00		$12,000.00	$12,000.00

Account No. 52

1917	1918	INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$30,000.00	$30,000.00	Payments to Schools for Industrial Education—Hoboken, Newark, Trenton,	$27,000.00	$27,000.00
308,000.00	250,000.00	Payments to Schools for Manual Training, Art. 22, Sec. 230, School Law of 1903,	335,000.00	335,000.00
$338,000.00	$280,000.00		$362,000.00	$362,000.00

Account No. 53

1917	1918	VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$141,845.00	$40,000.00	For Carrying Into Effect the Provisions of Chapter 76, P. L. 1916,	$80,000.00	$40,000.00
800.00	13,000.00	For Carrying Into Effect the Provisions of Chapter 119, P. L. 1917,		
		Teacher Training,	19,320.00	19,320.00
		State Supervision,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$142,645.00	$53,000.00		$100,320.00	$60,320.00

Account No. 54

1917	1918	EVENING SCHOOLS FOR FOREIGN-BORN RESIDENTS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$5,800.00	$12,000.00	Payments to School Districts,	$8,350.50	$8,350.00

Account No. 55

1917	1918	BOARD OF TRUSTEES TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,500.00	Salary Assistant Secretary,	$3,000.00	$2,500.00
1,200.00	1,200.00	Salary of Chief Clerk,	1,200.00	1,200.00
2,254.10	2,254.10	Salaries of Stenographers and Clerks,	3,328.16	3,100.00
$5,954.10	$5,954.10	*Total Salaries,*	$7,528.16	$6,800.00
3,467.73	3,145.90	Office Rent, Postage, Telephone, Printing, Stationery, Equipment, Supplies, Fees and Incidentals,	4,044.96	4,000.00
361.17	400.00	Traveling Expenses,	450.00	400.00
$9,783.00	$9,500.00		$12,023.12	$11,200.00
5	6	Employees,	6	6

The increase in salary represents $600 for one additional clerk and a 10% advance on clerks' salaries as allowed by appropriations for the current year.

Account No. 55 (Continued).

1917	1918	TREASURER, TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND.	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
2,600.00	2,800.00	Salaries of Clerks, ...	2,800.00	2,800.00
600.00	600.00	Stationery and Other Expenses, ...	700.00	700.00
3,200.00	3,400.00		3,500.00	3,500.00
$12,983.00	$12,900.00	*Total for Teachers' Retirement Fund,*	$15,523.12	$14,700.00

Account No. 56

1917	1918	TEACHERS' INSTITUTES		
$2,000.00	$2,000.00	Instructors and Expenses for Teachers' Institutes, ...	$2,000.00	$2,000.00

Account No. 57

1917	1918	TEACHERS' LIBRARIES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$400.00	$300.00	State Aid for Teachers' Libraries, ...	$300.00	$300.00

Account No. 58

1917	1918	SUMMER SCHOOLS		
$13,206.50	$13,000.00	For Instructors' and Employees' Traveling Expenses, Printing,	$13,000.00	$13,000.00
793.50	1,000.00	Postage and Other Incidentals, ...	1,000.00	1,000.00
$14,000.00	$14,000.00		$14,000.00	$14,000.00

Account No. 59

1917	1918	BOARD OF SHELL FISHERIES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
	$2,000.00	Salary of Director,	$2,000.00	$2,000.00
	.....	Salary of Research Clerk,	600.00	600.00
	3,700.00	Salaries of Chiefs of Bureaus,	3,700.00	3,700.00
	21,520.00	Salaries of Captains of Boats, Crews, Guards and Clerks,	25,275.00	25,275.00
	$27,220.00	*Total Salaries,*	$31,575.00	$31,575.00
$33,500.00	880.00	Maintenance of Crew of "Cypher,"	1,116.00	1,000.00
	1,750.00	Repairs to Boats,	1,800.00	1,000.00
	200.00	Rent of Offices,	200.00	200.00
	800.00	To C. R. Bacon for Loss of Son,	.....	.....
		Coal and Gasoline,	2,500.00	2,000.00
		Surveying and Mapping,	500.00	500.00
	5,600.00	Blanks, Books and Stationery,	600.00	400.00
		Traveling Expenses,	2,500.00	2,500.00
		Postage, Telephone, Telegraph and Incidentals,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$33,500.00	$36,450.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$41,791.00	$40,175.00
43	45	Employees,	49	49

Account No. 60

1917	1918	STATE HOSPITALS.	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,400.00	$1,400.00	For Traveling Expenses of Managers for Expenses in Transferring Insane Convicts and for Medical Examination of Insane Convicts, ...	$1,400.00	$1,400.00

If the contemplated legislation is enacted, this appropriation would go to the Board of Control.

Account No. 61

1917	1918	STATE HOSPITAL—MORRIS PLAINS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
2,663	2,700	Inmates, ...	2,800	2,800
534	550	Employees, ...	550	550
$470,533.13	$485,000.00	Maintenance, including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals, ...	$500,000.00	$500,000.00
278,150.00	288,000.00	Less Recipts, ...	290,000.00	290,000.00
$192,383.13	$197,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$210,000.00	$210,000.00
25,900.00	27,000.00	Salaries of Officers, ...	27,000.00	27,000.00
222,450.00	223,000.00	Other Salaries and Wages, ...	250,000.00	250,000.00
$440,733.13	$447,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$487,000.00	$487,000.00
.....	.....	Repairs and Replacements, ...	.....	.....

.....	.....	Sewage Disposal System, ...	$50,000.00	$10,000.00
.....	.....	Reservoir Dam, ...	15,000.00	15,000.0
.....	.....	Watermains, etc., ...	10,000.00	10,000.00
.....	.....	Fixtures and Rewiring Dormitory Building, ...	13,500.00	13,500.00
3,000.00	2,000.00	Railroad Equipment, ...	2,000.00	2,000.00
31,000.00	12,600.00	Other Repairs and Replacements, ...	53,660.00	7,800.00
		Miscellaneous—		
6,000.00	6,000.00	nsurance, ...	6,000.00	6,000.00
.....	.....	Furnishings of two Bungalow,s	3,000.00	2,000.00
.....	.....	Operating Room—Women's Department, ...	3,000.00	2,500.00
200.00	200.00	Appraisal of Property, ...	200.00	200.00
.....	.....	Conduit and Piping to Physician's Cottage, ...	2,000.00	500.00
.....	.....	Two Automobiles for Medical and for Warden's Departments,	4,000.00	800.00
$6,220.00	6,150.00	Other Miscellaneous Expenditures, ...	29,250.00	5,000.00
$487,153.13	$473,950.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$678,610.00	$562,300.00
.....	.....	New Buildings, ...	.....	.....
.....	.....	Root Cellar, ...	1,200.00	1,200.00
2,500.00	22,500.00	Other Construction, ...	19,000.00	.....
$489,653.13	$496,450.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$698,810.00	$563,500.00

The Morris Plains State Hospital requests $300,000 for food, to which amount will be added the food production of the farm, the value of which is estimated at $89,000. This will give the institution a total for food of $389,000.

The cost of food for 2,800 inmates and 550 employees at $2.00 per week per capita will be $348,000, leaving a balance of $41,000 for other maintenance expenditures.

From this balance sufficient funds will be available for the purchase of maintenance items that have been requested but not recommended.

Account No. 62

1917	1918	TRENTON STATE HOSPITAL	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
1,774	1,900	Inmates,	2,000	2,000
325	330	Employees,	346	346
$346,824.00	$370,024.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$396,010.00	$367,024.00
207,024.00	207,024.00	Less Receipts,	207,024.00	207,024.00
$139,800.00	$163,00.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$188,986.00	$160,000.00
163,000.00	170,00.00	Salaries and Wages,	175,000.00	175,000.00
$302,800.00	$333,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$363,986.00	$335,000.00
8,000.00	6,800.00	Repairs and Replacements,	6,000.00	6,000.00
		Miscellaneous—		
3,000.00	4,000.00	Insurance,	4,000.00	4,000.00
200.00	200.00	Appraisement of Personal Property,	200.00	200.00
8,500.00	5,800.00	Other Miscellaneous Requests,	4,800.00	4,800.00
$322,500.00	$349,800.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$378,986.00	$350,000.00
		New Buildings—		
110,000.00	10,000.00	Completing House of Detention,	100,000.00	.....
.....	3,500.00	Wall to Enclose Building,	5,000.00	5,000.00
25,000.00	10,000.00	Walls for fireproof stairs,	25,000.00	25,000.00
.....	.....	Psychopathic Building,	100,000.00	.....

.....	.... ..	Additional Accommodations for 500 Insane, ...	350,000.00	350,000.00
22,000.00	90,000.00	Other Construction, ...	.....	.....
$479,500.00	$463,300.00	*Net Appropriation,*	$958,986.00	$730,000.00

The recommendation of $35,000 for additional accommodation for insane patients is a crying need. This is with the expectation that legislation will be enacted to remove patients from already overcroweded Morris Plains, as the ground owned by the State surrounding the Trenton institution is adapted for the enlarged facilities, and likewise cost of maintenance at Trenton is less pro rata, because of the location near a large city.

Account No. 63

COUNTY LUNATIC ASYLUMS

1917	1918		1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
		For the Support of Patients in County Lunatic Asylums—		
$187,000.00	$190,000.00	Essex County, ...	$190,000.00	$190.000.00
80,000.00	82,000.00	Hudson County, ...	85,000.00	85,000.00
25,000.00	25,000.00	Camden County, ...	25,000.00	25,000.00
15,000.00	15,000.00	Burlington County, ...	14,000.00	14,000.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Passaic County, ...	4,000.00	4,000.00
800.00	800.00	Gloucester County, ...	800.00	800.00
13,000.00	13,000.00	Cumberland County, ...	13,000.00	13,000.00
800.00	800.00	Salem County, ...	728.00	728.00
11,500.00	11,500.00	Atlantic County, ...	11,500.00	11,500.00
$337,100.00	$342,100.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$344,028.00	$344,028.00

Account No. 64

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY STATE PRISON	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
1,137	937	Inmates,	850	850
105	104	Employees,	96	..
$258,080.50	$215,800.00	Maintenance, including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$194,219.00	$186,000.00
51,680.50	2,500.00	Less Receipts,	.....	.....
$206,400.00	$213,300.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$194,219.00	$186,000.00
130,000.00	131,700.00	Salaries and Wages,	117,844.00	117,844.00
$336,400.00	$345,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$312,063.00	$303,844.00
14,050.00	400.00	Repairs and Replacements,	.....	.....
		Refrigerator Plant,	4,300.00	.....
		Cemetery Fence,	500.00	.....
		Bread-mixing Eqiupment,	1,500.00	.....
12,101.00	7,200.00	Miscellaneous,		
		Payment to Discharged Convicts,	3,000.00	3,000.00
		Fire Insurance Premiums,	$2,500.00	2,500.00
		Annual Appraisement,	200.00	200.00

.....	.....	Automobile Insurance, ...	200.00	200.00
.....	.....	Railroad Pass Suit, ...	200.00	200.00
$362.551.00	$352,600.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$324,463.00	$309,984.00
5,000.00	31,600.00	New Buildings, ...	.....	.....
$367,551.00	$384,200.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$324,463.00	$309,984.00

In 1917 the general maintenance account of the State Prison was charged with the support of the convicts and guards at the road camps, and also with the salaries of road camp guards, and the maintenance account was credited with the earnings of the convicts in the road camps. The road camp earnings for 1918 and 1919 will not be credited to the prison maintenance account, neither will the care and support of the road camp convicts be a charge against the prison maintenance appropriation. This change in policy accounts for the decrease in the number of inmates and in both the receipts of the institution and in the appropriation recommended.

Account No. 65.

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY REFORMATORY—RAHWAY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
503	570	Inmates,	580	580
64	64	Employees,	64	64
$95,962.00	$96,000.00	Maintenance, including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidental. Expenses,	$110,000.00	$97,000.00
5,962.00	6,000.00	Less Receipts,	6,000.00	6,000.00
$90,000.00	$90,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$104,000.00	$91,000.00
4,000.00	4,000.00	Salary of Superintendent,	4,000.00	4,000.00
66,000.00	70,000.00	Farm Director and two Guards—Annandale,	3,500.00	3,500.00
		Other Salaries and Wages,	71,500.00	71,500.00
$160,000.00	$164,000.00	*Total Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$183,000.00	$170,000.00
18,000.00	13,000.00	Repairs and Replacements,	15,000.00	10,000.00
		Miscellaneous—		
500.00	500.00	Traveling Expenses of Commissioners,	500.00	500.00
1,800.00	1,500.00	Traveling Expenses of Parole Officers,	1,500.00	1,000.00
200.00	200.00	Traveling Expenses of Superintendent,	200.00	200.00
5,000.00	5,000.00	Payments to Discharged Inmates and Recapturing Escaped Inmates,	5,000.00	5,000.00
2,000.00	.....	Payments to Inmates for Wages,	.....	.....

660.00	660.00	Superintendent—Salary in Lieu of Residence,	660.00	660.00
1,000.00	900.00	Farm—Live Stock and Implements,	1,000.00	.....
$189,160.00	$185,760.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$206,860.00	$187,360.00
		New Buildings—		
.....	.....	Materials for Construction of Storage Building,	10,000.00	.....
.....	2,500.00	Materials for Constructtion of Officers' Quarters,	.....	.....
		State Use System—		
3,500.00	9,000.00	Machinery,	2,000.00	2,000.00
15,000.00	15,000.00	Working Capital,	100,000.00	.....
$207,660.00	$212,260.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$318,860.00	$189,360.00

The amounts recommended for maintenance are based on an allowance of $2.00 per week for food (the food production of the Rahway farm being valued at $20,000) and an annual clothing allowance of $25 per inmate. For fuel and water the allowance is 30% more than the expenditures of 1917.

The amount requested and recommended for salaries and wages provides an increase of practically 10% in the salaries of subordinate employees over 1918 appropriation.

The storage building, although desirable, is not an absolute necessity.

No further appropriation to the Reformatory for working capital is recommended as it is believed that working capital can best be supplied from the Revolving Fund under the control of the State House Commission, as in the case of the working capital for the manufacture of license tags at the State Prison.

Account No. 66

1917	1918	STATE HOME FOR BOYS—JAMESBURG	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
609	640	Inmates,	650	650
90	93	Employees,	96	93
$77,407.00	$65,400.00	Maintenance, including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$103,000.00	$85,000.00
13,085.00	5,400.00	Less Receipts,	10,200.00	10,200.00
$64,322.00	$60,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$92,800.00	$74,800.00
55,678.00	56,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	66,000.00	61,280.00
$120,000.00	$116,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$158,800.00	$136,080.00
26,915.00	10,000.00	Repairs and Replacements,	.....	.....
.....	.....	General Repairs to Buildings,	20,000.00	10,000.00
.....	.....	Radial Smokestack,	8,500.00	8,500.00
.....	.....	Repairing Steam Heating System,	48,000.00	15,000.00
.....	.....	Other Repairs and Replacements,	3,500.00	.....
3,500.00	.....	Miscellaneous,	.....	.....
.....	250.00	Expenses of Trustees,	500.00	250.00
.....	.....	Altering Sewage System,	10,000.00	10,000.00
.....	12,200.00	Other Miscellaneous Requests,	24,500.00	.....
$150,415.00	$138,450.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$273,800.00	$179,830.00
.....	42,000.00	New Buildings,	$10,000.00	.....
$150,415.00	$180,450.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$283,800.00	$179,830.00

The substantial increase in the appropriations for this institution is for absolutely necessary repairs, replacements and additions.

Account No. 67

1917	1918	STATE HOME FOR GIRLS—TRENTON	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
247	240	Inmates,	270	270
61	63	Employees,	69	63
$60,000.00	$60,000.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$82,400.00	$65,500.00
33,060.00	33,500.00	Salaries and Wages,	41,500.00	36,490.00
$93,060.00	$93,500.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$123,900.00	$101,990.00
4,000.00	4,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	10,000.00	10,000.00
		Miscellaneous—		
561.58	660.00	Insurance,	900.00	900.00
500.00	500.00	Trustees' Expenses,	500.00	500.00
500.00	1,000.00	Hospital Fund,	1,000.00	1,000.00
.....	2,000.00	Other Miscellaneous Requests,	35,250.00	.....
$98,621.58	$102,160.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$171,550.00	$114,390.00
.....	13,000.00	New Buildings,	195,000.00	.....
$98,621.58	$115,160.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$366,550.00	$114,390.00

Request for extensive plan of new buildings not recommended because of contemplated legislation to create a board of control which should decide such a policy of construction.

The amount requested for maintenance and salaries and wages is excessive, and the amount recommended is considered a liberal allowance compared with the costs at other institutions.

Account No. 68

1917	1918	STATE VILLAGE FOR EPILEPTICS, SKILLMAN	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
692	800	Inmates,	930	930
190	195	Employees,	200	195
$249,448.00	$140,480.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$165,652.00	$165,000.00
88,848.00	95,480.00	Less Receipts,	110,080.00	110,000.00
$160,600.00	$45,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$55,572.00	$55,000.00
.....	145,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	109,250.00	108,000.00
$160,600.00	$145,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$164,822.00	$163,000.00
.....	7,000.00	Repairs and Replacements,	8,675.00	5,000.00
11,000.00	.....	Miscellaneous,	5,092.00	5,092.00
$171,600.00	$152,000.00	Current Appropriation,	$178,589.00	$173,092.00
.....	17,000.00	New Buildings,	104,291.00	.....
$171,600.00	$169,000.00	*Net Appropriations,*	$282,880.00	$173,092.00

There seems no urgent demand for new construction at this institution which cannot be met from existing appropriations, or which cannot await the recommendations as to furture policy, which should come from the proposed Central Board of Control. The $14,000 available in 1918 for water system can be made to cover present necessities.

Account No. 69

1917	1918	STATE SANITORIUM FOR TUBERCULOUS DISEASES, GLEN GARDNER	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
245	283	Inmates,	283	275
100	105	Employees,	105	100
$83,773.14	$75,000.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$92,150.47	$88,000.00
12,456.84	10,000.00	Less Receipts,	10,000.00	10,000.00
$71,316.30	$65,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$82,150.47	$78,000.00
51,915.54	57,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	57,000.00	57,000.00
$123,231.84	$122,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$139,150.47	$135,000.00
3,267.32	4,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	5,019.98	4,000.00
1,181.35	500.00	Automobile,	1,000.00	.....
4,319.49	2,200.00	Miscellaneous, Including Postage, Telephone, Telegraph, Freight, Traveling Expense, Insurance and Incidentals,	4,829.55	1,025.00
$132,000.00	$129,200.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$150,000.00	$140,025.00
.....	.....	New Buildings,		
		Piggery,	2,000.00	2,000.00

Account No. 69—STATE SANITORIUM (Continued).

.....	.....	Farm Additions and Improvements, ...	5,500.00	5,500.00
8,300.00	5,150.00	Other New Construction, ...	20,000.00	.....
$140,300.00	$134,350.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$177,500.00	$147,525.00

While the increase in maintenance in the appropriation for this institution does not appear great, the amount allowed, plus $20,000 food production, makes an allowance oaf $3.50 a week for each inmate and employee, which is considered liberal. The appropriation for new construction is made to increase farm production. Requests for other new construction have not been recommended because of conditions existing at this time.

Account No. 70

1917	1918	BLIND AND FEEBLE-MINDED	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$24,000.00	$25,000.00	For Maintenance, Clothing, Support and Instruction of Blind Persons, Inhabitants of this State,	$27,000.00	$27,000.00
100,000.00	100,000.00	For Maintenance, Clothing, Support and Instruction of Feeble-Minded Persons, Inhabitants of this State,	125,000.00	110,000.00
2,000.00	1,000.00	For Tuition for the Higher Education of the Blind as Provided for in Chapter 336, Laws of 1912,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$126,000.00	$126,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$153,000.00	$138,000.00

The increase in this appropriation represents a 10% increase in the cost of maintenance demanded by the Institution where the State wards are being maintained.

Account No. 71

1917	1918	STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED, VINELAND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
548	750	Inmates,	800	800
66	75	Employees,	85	80
$174,339.00	$139,000.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$140,050.00	$140.050.00
9,339.00	9,000.00	Less Receipts,	9,000.00	9,000.00
$165,000.00	$130,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$131,050.00	$131,050.00
.....	37,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	43,950.00	39,950.00
2,500.00	5,000.00	Research Work,	12,500.00	5,000.00
$167,500.00	$172,000.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$187,500.00	$176,000.00
		Repairs and Replacements—		
.....	.....	Roof Over Old Bakery,	500.00	500.00
.....	.....	Repainting Building,	4,300.00	4,000.00
.....	.....	Flooring Old Dining Hall, etc.,	3,000.00	3,000.00
5,500.00	5,000.00	Other Repairs and Replacements,	3,000.00	.....
		Miscellaneous—		
.....	.....	Insurance,	1,000.00	1,000.00
.....	.....	Enlarging Patients' Bath Room,	4,000.00	4,000.00
8,000.00	11,000.00	Other Miscellaneous Requests,	30,500.00	.....
$181,000.00	$188,000.00	Current Appropriation,	$233,800.00	$188,500.00

.....	.....	New Buildings:		
.....	.....	Children's Unit, ...	60,000.00	60,000.00
.....	.....	Dairy Barn and Equipment, ...	10,000.00	10,000.00
.....	.....	Hennery and Equipment, ...	2,000.00	2,000.00
.....	.....	Piggery and Equipment, ...	2,000.00	2,000.00
27,500.00	17,000.00	Other New Buildings, ...	496,000.00	.....
$208,500.00	$205,000.00	*Net Appropriation,*	$803,800.00	$262,500.00

Salary increases on about 10% basis. Additional Children's Unit seems abso lutely imperative. Farm buildings allowed to increase production.

Account No. 72

1917	1918	STATE REFORMATORY FOR WOMEN—CLINTON	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
78	98	Inmates,	100	100
17	20	Employees,	20	20
$34,000.00	$30,300.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$31,357.00	$27,000.00
8,260.00	10,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	19,316.00	12,000.00
$42,260.00	$40,300.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$50,673.00	$39,000.00
4,500.00	4,000.00	Repairs and Replacements,	6,000.00	4,000.00
.....	.....	Other Repairs and Replacement Requests,	19,562.00	.....
1,350.00	1,300.00	Miscellaneous,		
.....	.....	Farm Equipment,	655.00	655.00
.....	.....	Insurance,	1,500.00	1,500.00
.....	.....	Equipment for Sewing and Cooking,	2,000.00	530.00
.....	.....	Automobiles,	2,000.00	.....
$48,110.00	$45,600.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$82,390.00	$45,685.00
.....	.....	New Buildings,		
.....	.....	Addition to Disciplinary Wing (White),	7,200.00	7,200.00
.....	.....	Disciplinary Wing (Colored),	10,000.00	15,000.00
8,000.00	600.00	Other New Buildings,	174,000.00	.....
$56,110.00	$46,200.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$273,590.00	$67,885.00

The per capita at this institution is very high, and a reduction seems entirely possible. New accommodations for white and colored is allowed on the understanding that all present female inmates in the State Prison at Trenton will, on completion, be removed to Clinton.

Account No. 73

STATE BOARD OF CHILDREN'S GUARDIANS—GUARDIANS.

DEPENDENT CHILDREN.

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$14,659.92	$16,100.00	For Salaries,	$20,940.00	$20,940.00
7,261.30	9,250.00.	For Maintenance, including Traveling Expenses, Supplies, Stationery, Printing, Postage, Express, Advertising, Car Fare, Meals, Lodging and Incidentals,	13,510.00	13,510.00
1,078.78	940.00	Miscellaneous, including Office Equipment, Rent, Telephone and Insurance,	1,554.20	1,550.00
$23,000.00	$26,290.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$36,004.20	$36,000.00

The increase in the appropriation recommended is necessary to provide for the rapidly growing work of the board due to existing conditions.

WIDOWS' PENSION ACT

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$12,723.00	$13,340.00	Salaries and Wages,	$19,320.00	$16,000.00
6,028.70	8,373,80	Maintenance, including Traveling Expenses, Supplies, Stationery, Printing, Postage, etc.,	14,664.00	11,400.00
1,248.30	2,276.20	Miscellaneous, including Office Supplies, Rent, Telephone, Telegraph, Insurance, etc.,	2,608.00	2,600.00
$20,000.00	$23,990.00		$36,592.00	$30,000.00
$43,000.00	$50,280.00	*Total Appropriation for Both Departments,*	$72,596.20	$66,000.00

The increase is due to advanced traveling expenses, cost of suppl ies and growth of the work.

Account No. 74

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND.	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,226.00	$7,314.00	Salaries and Wages,	$7,776.00	$7,700.00
5,274.00	5,086.00	For Expenses of the Activities of the Commission, Including Traveling, Fuel, Supplies, Books, Postage, Printing, Stationery, Express, Telephone, Telegraph, Office Furniture, Insurance, Rent and Repairs,	8,405.00	6,000.00
1,500.00	1,000.00	Revolving Industrial Fund,	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,000.00	1,500.00	Extension of Home Industries,	2,800.00	2,500.00
750.00	1,500.00	Prevention of Blindness,	5,000.00	2,000.00
250.00	250.00	Publicity Demonstration and Sales,	1,000.00	250.00
$15,000.00	$16,650.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$25,981.00	$19,450.00
13	14	Employees,	14	14

The increase in salary requested is less than 10% of the amount appropriated for salaries for the current year and is considered necessary. The increase in the amount recommended for extention of home industries is justified by he results of the last year.

Account No. 75

1917	1918	DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
	$4,000.00	Salary of State Architect,	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
	15,500.00	Salary of Engineer, Draughtsmen, Inspectors, Clerk and Stenographer,	18,000.00	15,500.00
	$19,500.00	*Total Salaries,*	$22,000.00	$19,500.00
	5,500.00	Supplies, including Telephone, Telegraph, Freight, Express, Office Equipment and Materials, Stationery, Postage,	8,500.00	5,000.00
		Traveling Expenses,	4,000.00	2,000.00
	$25,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$34,500.00	$26,500.00
	7	Employees,	7	7

This department operated separately for only seven months of 1917, having been previously included as part of the Department of Charities and Corrections.

Account No. 76

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY HOME FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS, SAILORS, MARINES AND THEIR WIVES, VINELAND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
388	400	Inmates,	400	400
64	65	Employees, ...*U*	65	65
$96,002.00	$86,000.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$111,000.00	$100,000.00
11,002.00	11,000.00	Less Receipts,	11,000.00	11,000.00
$85,000.00	$75,000.00	*Maintenance Appropriation,*	$100,000.00	$89,000.00
23,500.00	24,500.00	Salaries and Wages,	30,000.00	26,700.00
$108,500.00	$99,500.00	*Total for Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,*	$130,000.00	$115,700.00
.....	7,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	7,000.00	5,000.00
1,500.00	1,400.00	Miscellaneous,	800.00	800.00
$110,000.00	$108,400.00	*Current Appropriation,*	$137,800.00	$121,500.00
4,000.00	.....	New Buildings,	.....	.....
$114,000.00	$108,400.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$137,800.00	$121,500.00

The increased amount of the appropriation recommended for maintenance is due to the advanced cost of food and supplies. While the maintenance per capita of $4.80 per week appears high when compared with other institutions, it is explained by the fact that the average age of the soldier is about 77 years, and an almost constant hospital diet is required. The salary increase is 10% on current appropriation for salaries of subordinates.

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY HOME FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS, KEARNY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
430	425	Inmates,	425	425
66	64	Employees,	70	64
$79,660.00	$74,450.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$105,000.00	$105.000.00
38,660.00	37,450.00	Less Receipts,	37,450.00	37,450.00
$41,000.00	$37,000.00	Maintenance Appropriations	$67,550.00	$67,550.00
40,000.00	40,000.00	Salaries and Wages,	41,000.00	40,000.00
$81,000.00	$77,000.00	Total Maintenance, Salaries and Wages,	$108,550.00	$107,550.00
6,500.00	8,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	1,800.00	1,800.00
Included in Maintenance)		Miscellaneous—Insurance, Out-patients' Allowance and Traveling Expenses,	2,040.00	2,040.00
$87,500.00	$85,500.00	Current Appropriation,	$112,390.00	$111,390.00
4,500.00	.....	New Buildings—Storeroom,	.....	.....
$92,000.00	$85,500.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$112,390.00	$111,390.00

The appropriation recommended for maintenance shows a considerable increase in comparison with the two previous years of 1917 and 1918. These prior appropriations have, however, been inadequate for the proper maintenance of the institution with the increased cost of supplies and the careful diet which should be furnished these aged men. It is believed that there should be a standard of maintenance in such absolutely similar institutions as the Soldiers' Home at Vineland, and Kearney, and their maintenance appropriations should be on a uniform basis.

The amount requested for salaries and wages at Kearny includes $9,290 for members of the Home on the roll and also $408 for one employee in military service. This leaves $31,302 requested for other employees. No increase in the amount of the appropriation of prior years is recommended, as it is believed that a readjustment of the operating force should provide an increase in compensation for an adequate number of employees.

Account No. 78

1917	1918	SOLDIERS' STATE PAY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$50.00	$50.00	For Claims of Volunteers in Civil War,	.....	.....

Account No. 79

1917	1918	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		Salaries and Wages—		
.....	$10,840.00	Administration Bureau,	$13,160.00	$10,840.00
.....	17,500.00	Animal Industry Bureau,	20,500.00	17,500.00
.....	9,973.00	Lands, Crops and Market Bureau,	10,693.00	9,973.00
$42,615.00	14,830.00	Statistics and Inspection Bureau,	16,030.00	14,830.00
.....	650.00	Extra Clerk Hire,	650.00	650.00
.....	1,400.00	Lecturers for Farmers' Institutes,	1,400.00	1,400.00
.....	307.00	Lecturers for Agricultural Week,	307.00	307.00
.....	1,500.00	Veterinary Service,	1,500.00	1,500.00
$42,615.00	$57,000.00	*Total Salaries and Wages—*	$64,240.00	$57,000.00
15,275.00	17,350.00	Traveling Expenses,	20.110.00	20,110.00
4,560.00	6,250.00	Postage, Expressage, Telephone and Telegraph,	6,250.00	6.250.00
4,350.00	8,550.00	Printing, Office Supplies and Stationery,	8,550.00	8,550.00
200.00	500.00	Furniture,	500.00	.....
.....	250.00	Instruments and Repairs to Same,	250.00	.....
1,000.00	1,350.00	Tuberculin, Tags, Rings, etc.,	1,350.00	1,350.00

.....	1,150.00	Exhibits, ...	1,150.00	.....
.....	500.00	Demonstrations—State Farms and Pines District, ...	500.00	.....
300.00	500.00	Advertising and Other Expenses, ...	500.00	500.00
26,000.00	25,600.00	Appraisements of Condemned Cattle, ...	25,600.00	25,600.00
785.00	1,000.00	To County Boards, for Statistics, etc., ...	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,500.00	.....	Stallion Maintenance, ...	.....	.....
200.00	.....	Labor, ...	.....	.....
$96,785.00	$120,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$130,000.00	$120,360.00
29	29	Employees, ...	35	35

Substantial increases were made in the appropriation for 1918 over that for 1917. The amounts for furniture, instruments, exhibits and demonstrations which are included in 1918 are not recommended as necessarily recurring expenditures for 1919.

Account No. 80

1917	1918	PRESERVATION OF RECORDS	1919	
			Requested	*Recommended*
$3,000.00	$3,000.00	For Publishing and Completing the Early Records of the State of New Jersey, ...	$3,000.00	.....

This appropriation is not recommended because of the many extraordinary expenses the State must meet in 1919, and it is thought that the 1918 appropriation of $3,000 available can be spread over the current and the following year.

Account No. 81

1917	1918	STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
$20,000.00	$20,000.00	Short Courses in Agriculture,	$20,000.00	$20,000.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	Reference Books, etc.,	3,500.00	2,500.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	College Farm Grounds,	3,000.00	2,500.00
9,000.00	9,000.00	Long Courses in Agriculture,	12,000.00	9,000.00
15,000.00	14,000.00	Summer Session,	15,000.00	14,000.00
1,000.00	1,500.00	Maintenance and Repair of Farm Buildings,	2,000.00	1,500.00
7,500.00	7,500.00	Clay Working and Ceramics,	10,000.00	7,500.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	Maintenance Agricultural Building,	1,500.00	1,500.00
4,000.00	2,500.00	Chemistry Courses,	5,000.00	2,500.00
4,000.00	6,000.00	Engineering Courses,	9,000.00	6,000.00
3,000.00	3,000.00	Sanitary Science and Engineering,	3,000.00	3,000.00
2,500.00	2,500.00	Military Science,	3,000.00	2,500.00
2,000.00	5,000.00	Courses in Education,	5,000.00	5,000.00
.....	.....	Botany Courses,	3,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Physics Courses,	3,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Business and Finance Courses,	5,000.00	.....
50.00	50.00	Board of Visitors Expense,	50.00	50.00
90.00	90.00	Board of Visitors Advertising,	90.00	90.00
35,000.00	38,400.00	Scholarships,	38,400.00	38,400.00
5,800.00	5,800.00	Interest, Agricultural College Fund,	5,800.00	5,800.00
$115,440.00	$121,840.00	*Total Current Disbursements,*	$147,340.00	$121,840.00
5,000.00	4,000.00	Calf Barns,	.....	.....
$120,440.00	$125,840.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$147,340.00	$121,840.00

STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE (Continued)

1917	1918	Summary of Nature of Disbursements	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended	
$52,048.34	$59,555.00	Salaries and Wages—			
		Administrative,	$11,300.00		
		Instructors,	59,145.00		
		Laborers,	5,620.00	$76.065.00	$59,555.0
9,713.16	10,135.00	Maintenance—			
		Fuel and Power,	2,460.00		
		Travel,	750.00		
		Classroom Supplies,	7,300.00		
		Incidentals,	3,965.00	14,475.00	10,135.00
993.57	1,500.00	Maintenance and Repair of Farm Buildings,	.....	2,000.00	1,500.00
2,499.02	2,500.00	Reference Books,	.....	3,500.00	2,500.
9,195.74	3,950.00	Classroom Equipment,	.....	7,100.00	3,950.00
119.20	.....	Stump Puller,	.....	.....	.....
31,360.00	38,400.00	Scholarships,	.....	38,400.00	38,400.00
5,800.00	5,800.00	Interest, Agricultural College Fund,	.....	5,800.00	5,800.00
3,710.97	.....	Lapsed,	.....	.....	.....
$115,440.00	$121,840.00	*Total Current Disbursements,*	.....	$147,340.00	$121,840.00
5,000.00	4,000.00	Calf Barn,	.....	.....	.....
$120,440.00	$125,840.00	*Total Appropriation,*	.....	$147,340.00	$147,340.00
98	102	Employees,	106		106

Same appropriation as last year recommended. Calf barn in last year.

Account No. 82

1917	1918	AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$29,000.00	$30,000.00	For Salaries and Expenses of Station,	$36,000.00	$33,000.00
7,000.00	7,000.00	For Printing Bulletins,	9,000.00	7,000.00
10,000.00	15,000.00	For Mosquito Act,	25,000.00	15,000.00
900.00	900.00	For Oyster Investigation,	1,500.00	900.00
7,000.00	7,500.00	For Poultry Husbandry,	9,000.00	7,500.00
5,000.00	.....	For Fences and Equipment,	.....	.....
4,000.00	3,500.00	For Seed Inspection,	4,000.00	4,000.00
3,000.00	3,500.00	For Floriculture Experimentation,	4,000.00	3,500.00
1,000.00	1,000.00	For Insecticide Act,	1,000.00	1,000.00
25,000.00	28,000.00	For Farm Demonstration,	36,000.00	28,000.00
1,500.00	1,500.00	For Cranberry Investigation,	1,800.00	1,500.00
3,000.00	3,000.00	For Egg Laying and Breeding Tests,	3,000.00	3,000.00
.....	600.00	For Repairs to Building,	.....	.....
.....	2,000.00	For Tractors and Machinery,	.....	.....
2,000.00	.....	For Purchase of Specimen Types of Meat Animals,	.....	.....
.....	.....	For Construction of Irrigation,	2,000.00	.....
$98,400.00	$103,500.00	*Total Net Appropriation,*	$132,300.00	$104,400.00
		All Fees and Receipts Estimated as Follows:		
19,201.66	25,000.00	Dairy and Horticulture,	25,000.00	25,000.00
5,677.75	8,000.00	Poultry Husbandry,	8,000.00	8,000.00
1,922.78	2,500.00	Floriculture,	2,500.00	2,500.00
19,077.77	21,000.00	Feed Inspection,	21,000.00	21,000.00
23,325.63	25,000.00	Fertilizer Inspection,	25,000.00	25,000.00
$69,205.59	$81,500.00	*Total Estimated Receipts,*	$81,500.00	$81,500.00
$167,605.59	$185,000.00	*Total Estimated Expenditures,*	$213,800.00	$185,900.00

Account No. 83

1917	1918	PALISADES PARK COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$17,500.00	$25,000.00	Expenses of Commissioners in the Operation of the Palisades Interstate Park,	$30,000.00	$25,000.00
75,000.00	25,000.00	For Continuing Construction of Henry Hudson Drive,	100,000.00	.....
$92,500.00	$50,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$130,000.00	$25,000.00
39	43	Employes,	43	43

We realize our obligation in this connection, but elsewhere are recommending $100,00, looking toward the improvement of New York harbor for commercial and industrial purposes and believe this more imperative at this time.

Account No. 84

1917	1918	WASHINGTON ROCK PARK COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,150.00	For Insurance Improvement and Maintenance, ...	$2,500.00	$2,000.00
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Account No. 85

1917	1918	OLD BARRACKS ASSOCIATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$7,500.00	For Maintenance and Administration, ...	$2,500.00	$2,500.00

The 1918 appropriation includes $5,000 for restoration.

Account No. 86

1917	1918	STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,715.81	$2,500.00	For Expenses of the Society, ...	$3,150.00	$2,500.00

Account No. 87

1917	1918	STATE SCHOOL TAX	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$100,000.00	$100,000.00	For the Purpose of Reducing the State School Tax to be Assessed for 1919, ...	$100,000.00	$100,000.00

Account No. 88

1917	1918	GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY FUND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$10,000.00	$10,000.00	For the Governor to Meet Any Emergency Requiring the Expenditure of Money Not Otherwise Appropriated	$10,000.00	$10,000.00

Account No. 89

1917	1918	REFUND TAXES OF MISCELLANEOUS CORPORATIONS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,000.00	$1,000.00	For Refund of Taxes Improperly Levied Upon or Paid by Corporations, ...	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

Account No. 90

1917	1918	REFUND OF RAILROAD TAX	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
Any Overpayment		Such amount as shall be equal to any over payment that may be made on tax assessed and penalty thereon by any railroad or canal company.		Any Overpayment

Account No. 91

1917	1918	LEGISLATURE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$40,833.32	$40,833.32	Compensation of Senators and Members,	$40,833.32	$40,833.32
49,450.00	49,450.00	Compensation of Officers and Employees,	49,450.00	49,450.00
$90,283.32	$90,283.32	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$90,283.32	$90,283.32
2,000.00	2,500.00	Manuals of the Legislature,	2,500.00	2,500.00
10,500.00	12,500.00	Indexing Journal and Minutes and Other Incidental and Contingent Expenses,	13,000.00	10,500.00
800.00	1,000.00	Toilet and Other Necessary Supplies,	1,000.00	1,000.00
$103,583.32	$106,283.32		$106,783.32	$104,283.32
81	81	Members,	81	81
113	113	Officers and Employees,	113	113

Account No. 92

1917	1918	ADVERTISING	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$600.00	$600.00	For State Advertising,	$600.00	$600.00

Account No. 94

1917	1918	MONMOUTH BATTLE MONUMENT ASSOCIATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	$643.00	For Upkeep of Monmouth Battle Monument, ...	$643.00	$643.00

Account No. 95

1917	1918	TRENTON BATTLE MONUMENT ASSOCIATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	$500.00	For Upkeep of Trenton Battle Monument, ...	$500.00	$500.00

Account No. 96

1917	1918	PENSIONS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$15,100.00	$15,000.00	For Pensions Irrespective of Any Provisions that May Be Made by the Department of Public Service from Which the Pensioner May Be Retired, ...	$15,100.00	$15,100.00

Account No. 97

1917	1918	JUDICIAL RETIREMENT FUND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$6,666.66	$6,666.66	For Pensions for Retired Judges, ...	$6,666.66	$6,666.66

Account No. 98

1917	1918	ANNUITY FOR WIDOWS OF GOVERNORS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,400.00	$2,400.00	For Pensions to Widows of Governors of the State of New Jersey, ...	$3,000.00	$3,000.00

Slight increase recommended because of increased cost of living.

Account No. 99

1917	1918	WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF NEW JERSEY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$2,500.00	For Expenses of Association, ...	$2,500.00	$2,500.00

Account No. 100

1917	1918	REVOLVING AND SUPPLEMENTAL FUND	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$100,000.00	$500,000.00	For the Governor, the State Treasurer, and the State Comptroller, ex officio, constituting the State House Commission, to meet any condition of emergency until legislation appropriate therefor shall be enacted, the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars; *provided, however,* that all disbursements therefrom shall be made only upon the written authority of each and all of the officials recited herein; *and provided, further,* that of the amount herein set forth it shall be lawful for the said officials to set aside therefrom a specific sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of making payments for purchases in the operation of chapter sixty-eight, pamphlet laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, said payments when so made, to be apportioned among the various using agencies and the appropriations current for their use as provided for in said act under the direction of the officials hereinbefore named, in such manner that the whole of said fund will be reimbursed and the disbursements therefrom returned to the State Treasury through said fund; it being the purpose to hereby establish a "Purchase Fund,"	$750.000.00	.....

Account No. 101

1917	1918	COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE CONDITIONS OF CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,000.00	$1,000.00	For Expenses of Commission Pursuant to a Joint Resolution Approved March 23, 1917, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 102

1917	1918	HEALTH OFFICERS OF THE PORT OF PERTH AMBOY	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,000.00	$1,000.00	Salary of Health Officer, ...	$1,000.00	$1,000.00
250.00	250.00	Salary of Assistant, ...	250.00	250.00
$1,250.00	$1,250.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$1,250.00	$1,250.00

Account No. 103

1917	1918	OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$50.00	$50.00	For Expenses in Moving Boats Sunk in Navigable Rivers of the State, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 104

1917	1918	BODIES THROWN UPON THE SHORES OF THE STATE BY SHIPWRECK..	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$50.00	$50.00	Care of Bodies Thrown Upon the Shore by Shipwreck, ...	$50.00	$50.00

Account No. 105

1917	1918	STATE BURIAL GROUNDS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$75.00	$75.00	Care of State Burial Grounds, ...	$75.00	$75.00

Account No. 106

1917	1918	STATE CHARITIES AID ASSOCIATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$600.00	$600.00	Expenses of Association, ...	$600.00	$600.00

Account No. 107

1917	1918	COMMISSION OF OLD-AGE INSURANCE AND PENSIONS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$350.00	$1,200.00	Expense of Commission, ...	$1,200.00	$1,200.00

Account No. 108

1917	1918	PASSAIC VALLEY SEWERAGE COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	$500.00	For Expenses of Commission Pursuant to a Joint Resolution Approved March 16, 1917, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 109

1917	1918	HOME RULE COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,381.30	$9,000.00	For Salaries and Expenses of the Commission Pursuant to a Joint Resolution Approved March 26, 1917, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 110

1917	1918	PRISON LABOR COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,900.00	$2,940.00	Salaries of Investigator and Stenographer, ...	$4,100.00	$3,200.00
.....	3,000.00	Purchase of Land, ...	.....	.....
600.00	600.00	Printing, Postage, Express, Incidentals, ...	900.00	900.00
1,000.00	600.00	Expenses of Commissioner, ...	800.00	600.00
500.00	500.00	Expenses of Investigator, ...	500.00	500.00
.....	.....	Office Equipment, ...	200.00	.....
$5,000.00	$7,640.00		$6,500.00	$5,200.00

This appropriation to be transferred to Central Board if legislation is enacted transferring responsibilities of this Commission to such Board.

Account No. 111

1917	1918	COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITALS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		For the Support of Patients at the Rate of $3.00 Per Week. Pursuant to Chapter 217, Laws of 1912, in the Following County Hospitals—		
$2,372.57	$4,869.86	Atlantic County,	$5,460.00	$5,460.00
7,253.35	6,000.00	Camden County,	6,800.00	6,800.00
26,097.00	14,500.00	Essex County,	14,500.00	14,500.00
31,921.91	44,561.98	Hudson County,	33,072.00	33,072.00
2,560.25	6,100.00	Mercer County,	9,600.00	9,600.00
2,969.13	4,212.00	Morris County,	4,212.00	4,212.00
22,722.23	15,700.00	Union County,	15,700.00	15,700.00
$95,896.44	$95,943.84	*Total Appropriation,*	$89,344.00	$89,344.00

Account No. 112

1917	1918	COMMISSION ON ELIMINATION OF TOLL BRIDGES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,000.00	$1,500.00	Expenses of Commission,	$1,000.00	$1,000.00
100,000.00	100,000.00	Purchase of Toll Bridges,	100,000.00	100,000.00
$101,000.00	$101,500.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$101,000.00	$101,000.00

Account No. 113

1917	1918	BUDGET ACT EXPENSES.	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$12,500.00	$10,000.00	Expenses of Budget Commission in Accordance With the Provisions of Chapter 15, Laws of 1915, Known as the 'Budget Act,"	$15,000.00	$15,000.00

One year's experience in this responsibility has demonstrated the necessity of keeping constantly in touch with the spending agencies, in order that salaries, maintenance, overhead, etc., be checked up and systematized, so as to give fair and proper basis for action on appropriations. Many times the expense should ultimately be saved to the State, not to speak of the check on extravagance and duplicates.

Account No. 114

1917	1918	COMMISSION ON PORT DEVELOPMENT	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$7,500.00	$10,000.00	For Expenses of Commission in Pursuing Investigation and Preparing Report in Connection with the Development of the Port of New York, ...	$100,000.00	$100,000.00

This appropriation to be contingent upon the New York Legislature appropriates a like amount.

Account No. 115

1917	1918	JOINT JUDICIAL INVESTIGATING COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,000.00	$1,000.00	For Expenses of the Commission, pursuant to a Joint Resolution approved March 29, 1917, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 116

1917	1918	COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE THE HIGH COST OF LIVING	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,000.00	$500.00	For Expenses of Commission, ...	$500.00	.....

The report of this commission has been received and legislation recommended. Further appropriation would seem unnecessary at this time.

Account No. 117

1917	1918	COMMISSION FOR THE SURVEY OF MUNICIPAL FINANCE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$2,500.00	$1,000.00	For Expenses of Commission, ...	$2,000,00	$1,000.00

This commission has given valuable service in bettering municipal financing, but has not yet completed its work, therefore an appropriation is recommended as above.

Account No. 118

1917	1918	COMMISSION ON PENSION AND RETIREMENT FUNDS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	$2,000.00	For Expenses of Commission, ...	$15,000.00	$10,000.00

The commission in its preliminary investigations during the past year has shown a condition that demands a full investigation of pension and retirement funds in order to determine the actual liability of the State. The amount recommended would be necessary for such an investigation.

Account No. 119

1917	1918	STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, GLASSBORO	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	.....	Salaries of Teachers and Principal,	$46,850.00	.....
.....	.....	Salaries of Employees,	10,700.00	.....
.....	.....	*Total Salaries and Wages,*	$57,550.00	.....
.....	.....	Maintenance, ncluding Fuel and Power, School and Other Supplies and Incidental Expenses,	13,100.00	.....
.....	.....	Repairs and Replacements,	750.00	.....
.....	.....	Miscellaneous,	850.00	.....
.....	.....	Practice Teaching,	3,750.00	.....
.....	$300,000.00	Purchase of Site and Erection of Buildings,	$76,000.00	.....
.....	$300,000.00	*Total Appropriation,*	$76,000.00	.....

It is our conviction that actual construction of the proposed new Normal School should be postponed until building cost is nearer normal. The securing of the site can be consummated, and plans prepared for construction, but with building cost practically double, as much as a new Normal School is desired, it does not seem warranted at this time. Teachers can be secured.

It is likewise evident that at present cost a building suitable for the purpose could not be constructed for the sum now available. Certainly money should not be appropriated for teachers and maintenance until the building is constructed.

Account No. 120

1917	1918	COMMISSION TO REVISE CORPORATION LAWS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$5.00	$250.00	For Expenses of Commission to Revise Corporation Laws, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 121

1917	1918	BOARD OF FISH AND GAME COMMISSIONERS	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
.....	.....	Construction, ...	.....	.....
.....	.....	Bass and Breeding Ponds, ...	$8,000.00	.....
.....	.....	Trout Ponds, ...	3,200.00	.....
.....	.....	Lake and Excavation and Dam, ...	6,400.00	.....
.....	.....	Dam, Seminary Pond, ...	3,200.00	.....
.....	.....	*Total Appropriation,*	$20,800.00	.....
62	65	Employees, ...	Not Estimated	Not Estimated

The receipts from Licenses and Fines are expended by the Board without specific appropriation.
The receipts for 1917 were—

Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund (Chapter 152 P. L. 1914), ...	$108,653.65
Chapter 41 Act of 1908 Account—Menhaden Licenses, Pound Licenses, Breeders' Licenses, Sales from Farm and Hatchery, and Sundries, ...	10,940.82
Fines (Chapter 246 P. L. 1911), ...	8,865.53
Total Receipts for 1917, ...	$128,460.00

Account No. 121—BOARD OF FISH AND GAME COMMISSIONERS (Continued)..

The Expenditures for 1917 were—

General Administration—Salaries and Wages,	$34,898.23	
Maintenance,	39,097.33	
		73,995.56
Game Farm Administration—Salaries and Wages,	$7,744.04	
Mantenance,	10,173.83	
		17,917.87
Fish Hatchery Administration—Salaries,	12,512.20	
Maintenance,	17,630.21	
		30,142.41
Total Expenditures for 1917,		$122,055.84
Cash Balance on hand October 31, 1917,		$36,133.94
Less Requisitions,	$8,281.89	
Probable Lapses,	3,121.47	
		11,403.36
Working balance, November 1, 1917 (being balance of Hunters' and Anglers' License Fund,		$24,730.58

If legislation is enacted providing that all receipts go into State Treasury, this amount is hereby appropriated in full to the work of this Commission.

Account No. 122

1917	1918	REPORT OF KEARNY COMMISSION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	$500.00	For Printing Report of Commission Pursuant to a Joint Resolution Approved April 14, 1915, ...	.....	.....

Account No. 123

1917	1918	RED BANK BATTLE MONUMENT ASSOCIATION	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	$500.00	For Upkeep of Red Bank Battle Monument, ...	$500.00	$500.00

Account No. 124

1917	1918	STATE COLONIES FOR FEEBLE-MINDED, NEW LISBON	1919 *Requested*	1919 *Recommended*
45	75	Inmates,	100	75
9	15	Employees,	22	15
$15,000.00 For all Purposes	$15,000.00	Maintenance, Including Food, Clothing, Fuel and Power, Sundry Supplies and Incidentals,	$25,300.00	$18,500.00
	7,150.00	Salaries and Wages,	14,980.00	8,830.00
	1,500.00	Repairs and Replacements,	500.00	500.00
		Miscellaneous—		
		Office Equipment,	500.00	500.00
		Insurance,	400.00	400.00
		Orchard Trees,	400.00	400.00
		Septic Tank and Drainage,	3,000.00	3,000.00
	4,300.00	Other Miscellaneous Items,	13,850.00	.....
		Current Appropriation,	$58,930.00	$32,130.00
$15,000.00	$27,950.00			
.....	16,600.00	New Buildings,	106.000.00	.....
$15,000.00	$44,550.00	*Total Appropriations,*	$164,930.00	$32,130.00

The appropriation for maintenance is based on $2.00 per week for food and $20.00 per year per inmate for clothing.

The salary increase recommended represents an increase of $10.00 a month for 14 employees.

The request for new buildings is not recommended because of the present abnormal cost of construction and the lack of a definite policy relative to the future operation of the Colony.

Certain requests for miscellaneous items are not recommended because they are based on contemplated new construction and extension of the work of the Colony.

Account No. 125

1917	1918	ELIZABETH NORMAL SCHOOL	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	$10,000.00	For the Purchase of Site and Other Expenses Pursuant to Chapter 274, P. L. 1916, ...	.....	.....

Account, New

1917	1918	COMMISSION ON TUNNELS AND BRIDGES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	.....	For the Expenses of the Commission to Co-operate With Similar Commissions from New York and Pennsylvania, Provided Contemplated Legislation is Enacted.	$10,000.00	$10,000.00

Account, Supplemental

1917	1918	INAUGURATION EXPENSES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$3,632.92	.....	For ..xpenses in Connection With the Inaguration of Walter E. Edge, ...	.....	.....

Account—New

1917	1918	STATE BOARD OF CANVASSERS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,000.00	.....	For Expenses of State Board of Canvassers, ...	$500.00	$500.00

Account No.—New

1917	1918	COMMISSION ON REVISION OF ELECTION LAWS	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$500.00	.....	For Compensation of Commission, ...	$1,500.00	$1,500.00

Account No.—New

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY STATE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
.....	.....	Salaries and Clerical Service, ...	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
.....	.....	Office Expenses, ...	2,000.00	2,000.00
.....	.....	Campaigns, Printing and Other Activities, ...	4,000.00	4,000.00
.....	.....	*Total Appropriation,*	$10,000.00	$10,000.00

Account No.—New

1917	1918	NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSES	1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
$1,081.00	.....	For Expenses of Board, ...	$500.00	.....

As the fees of this board are available for its expenses, such fees should be sufficient for its needs as is the case with similar boards. If the present fee charged is not sufficient for the purpose, it should be increased accordingly.

Account No.—New

1917	1918	STATE ASSOCIATION FOR MOSQUITO EXTERMINATION	1919	
			Requested	*Recommended*
.....	.....	For the Extermination of Mosquitos in the State of New Jersey,..	$100,000.00	.....

We agree absolutely with this work and the good accomplished, but under present conditions do not feel warranted in the expenditure. $15,000 has been appropriated for this purpose to the Agricultural Experiment Station.

APPROPRIATIONS FROM INCOME OF THE SCHOOL FUND

1917	1918		1919 Requested	1919 Recommended
		1		
		Free Public Schools		
$250,000.00	$250,000.00	For the Support of Free Public Schools, ...	$250,000.00	$250,000.00
		2		
		Premiums and Accrued Interest		
Amount Required		For Payment of Premiums and Accrued Interest on Bonds Purchased by the Trustees, ...	Amount Required	
		3		
		School Fund Expenses		
3,000.00	3,000.00	For Necessary Legal and Other Expenses Incurred in Investment and Protection of School Fund and Collection of Income, ...	3,500.00	3,500.00
$253,000.00	$253,000.00		$253,000.00	$253,000.00

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

Of all the duties devolving upon the Governor in his constitutional function of enforcing the laws of the State, there is none more important or vital than the enforcement of the laws governing the sanctity of the ballot. This is the keystone of our representative form of government. For this reason I deem the recent election scandals resulting in the return of a number of indictments in one of the counties of this State of sufficient importance to warrant my directing the attention of the Senate and General Assembly to the situation through the channel of a special message.

Members of the board of elections, at a recent city election, have been indicted for conspiracy to permit persons who were not legally entitled to vote to do so under the names of persons who were legally and illegally registered. Men unknown to the members of such boards were permitted to vote under names of registrants who were dead, in prison, inmates of hospitals for the insane or nonresidents. In some instances persons who were legally registered to vote were surprised, upon presenting themselves at the polling places to cast their ballots, to find others had been permitted to exercise the privilege of suffrage under their registration. The indictment of these election officers charges that no comparison of signatures, either as to the spelling of the names or general characteristics of penmanship of the alleged voters, had been made, and that a large number of illegal votes were cast from the same houses in which certain election officers lived.

It is not my purpose to merely direct the light of further publicity upon these frauds for the sake of revelation or adding to sensation, without the suggestion of a remedy. I, therefore, attach a proposed bill designed to correct some existing evils for your consideration. It is plainly evident that the root of the evil, as demonstrated by the indictments of the Grand Jury, is in the character of the election officers appointed under the present system. In theory the selection of these officers, after a competitive civil service examination, would seem to be sound, but in practice it has been, in my judgment, an absolute failure. It is a well-known fact that the Civil Service Commission has

had difficulty in securing a sufficient number of candidates to take examinations to fill the office of election officer, and members of the Commission freely admit the law's ineffectiveness. A candidate for election officer may be entirely able to qualify so far as answering the civil service questions is concerned, but he may be otherwise entirely unqualified for responsibility, of which fact the Commission would have no local knowledge.

I have discussed the subject with a Justice of the Supreme Court familiar with the situation, and, after further investigation, am convinced that the entire present method of selecting election officers must be changed, if honest elections are to be reasonably guaranteed.

It is an established principle that party political organization, honestly administered, is a proper and correct theory of government. I firmly believe that party organizations should be encouraged and accorded recognition when by their performance they show themselves worthy of recognition. But it is equally as well established that the first duty of party organization to the people is to guarantee an equal and proper opportunity to the electors to cast their ballots and a fair and honest count of the ballots so cast.

I have, therefore, prepared for your consideration a bill which permits the county organizations in the various counties of the State to recommend the names for appointment as election officers, but in order that such officers shall be removed from politics the power of appointment of these officers is vested in a bipartisan county board of four members, appointed by the Supreme Court Justice for the circuit of which such county is a part. The bill reserves to the county boards appointed by the court the power of summary removal of district election officers, and further permits such county boards to insist upon the submission of other names if those first submitted are not satisfactory. Recounts may be authorized by the county board, to be conducted by the Justice of the Supreme Court, or by a Supreme Court Commissioner designated by the Justice. The bills also provide a method of counting so-called marked ballots, vesting in the county board or Justice of the Supreme Court discretionary power in rejection of such ballots, to the end that the intent of the voter shall determine the judgment of the board or Justice, once the question of whether or not ballots are marked for the purpose of distinguishing the voter thereof is settled. This is to remedy an evil which has developed in every recount,

and to permit intent, in the judgment of the Justice, to rule, rather than an inflexible law.

Respectfully,

Attest: [SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE, *Governor.*
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the usual number of copies of the Governor's messages be printed for the use of the Senate, and that the same be spread in full upon the Minutes.

The President announced the appointment of the following committees:

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES, 1918.

Agriculture.

Allen, Conrad, Martens.

Appropriations.

Wells, Allen, Mutchler, Munson.

Banks and Insurance.

Fithian, Sturgess, Florance.

Boroughs and Townships.

Mackay, Wells, Martens.

Clergy.

Wells, Runyon, Barber.

Commerce and Navigation.

Conrad, Stevens, Ackerson.

Corporations.

Mutchler, Fithian, McGlennon.

Education.

Stevens, Haines, Ackerson.

Elections.
Stevens, Pilgrim, Ackerson.

Federal Relations.
Runyon, Mackay, Munson.

Finance.
Sturgess, Richards, McGlennon.

Game and Fisheries.
Allen, Mutchler, Munson.

Highways.
Runyon, Sturgess, Florance.

Judiciary.
Richards, Case, McGlennon.

Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.
Hammond, Case, Munson.

Militia.
Mutchler, Hammond, Martens.

Miscellaneous Business.
Haines, Mackay, Florance.

Municipal Corporations.
Mackay, Haines, McGlennon.

Printed Bills.
Sturgess, Allen, Martens.

Public Health.
Haines, Case, Barber.

Railroads and Canals.
Fithian, Pilgrim, Barber.

Revision and Amendment of the Laws.
Pilgrim, Hammond, Ackerson.

Riparian Rights.
Conrad, Runyon, Ackerson.

Stationery and Incidental Expenses.
Hammond, Conrad, Barber.

Unfinished Business.
Case, Fithian, Barber.

Taxation.
Pilgrim, Stevens, Munson.

SENATE JOINT COMMITTEE, 1918.

Home for Feeble-Minded Women.
Fithian, Case, Ackerson.

Industrial School for Girls.
Hammond, Sturgess, McGlennon.

New Jersey State Reformatory.
Wells, Haines, Florance.

Passed Bills.
Hammond, Mutchler, Munson.

Public Printing.
Sturgess, Conrad, McGlennon.

Public Grounds and Buildings.
Allen, Pilgrim, Barber.

Reform School for Boys.
Mackay, Sturgess, Martens.

Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases.
Case, Wells, Barber.

School for Feeble-Minded Children.
Pilgrim, Runyon, Martens.

School for Deaf-Mutes.
Richards, Fithian, Ackerson.

Sinking Fund.
Runyon, Mutchler, Florance.

Soldiers' Home.
Stevens, Fithian, McGlennon.

State Hospitals.
Mutchler, Conrad, Barber.

State Library.
Stevens, Runyon, Munson.

State Prison.
Allen, Hammond, Ackerson.

State Village for Epileptics.
Haines, Mackay, Florance.

Treasurer's Accounts.
Conrad, Pilgrim, Martens.

Mr. Sturgess offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate express its profound sorrow for the prolonged and serious illness of the Honorable George W. F. Gaunt, a former Senator of the county of Gloucester, and joins in the hope and prayer for his speedy and permanent recovery.

Be it further resolved, That the Secretary send a copy of these resolutions to the Honorable George W. F. Gaunt.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

Pursuant to Chapter 33 of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, I herewith transmit the report of the Commission to Investigate the Penal and Correctional Institutions of the State. After joint conference with the Commission to investigate the Institutions of this State other than Penal and Correctional, the recommendations of both commissions have been embodied in one bill, and this will be introduced in the Legislature.

The report of this commission not only furnishes a thorough and comprehensive review of the conditions existing in penal and correctional institutions, but also adds a most valuable book of reference to New Jersey's library of history in this connection. The members of the commission have given freely of their time and funds in order to insure an intelligent, complete report for legislative consideration. I trust I may be permitted to take this opportunity of personally, and on behalf of the State, thanking the individual members of the commission for their devotion to civic service.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the usual number of copies of the Governor's message was ordered printed and that the report be received and filed.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

I am transmitting herewith the report of the Colored Welfare and Employment Bureau of the Department of Labor, together with letter from Commissioner of Labor Lewis T. Bryant, transmitting the same to me. This bureau was established by the De-

partment of Labor and financed from the appropriation allotted to that department for the purpose of experimenting with the problems peculiar to its jurisdiction prior to the convening of the Legislature in order to furnish a practical basis for the recommendations contained in the report.

A bill has been prepared for introduction in the Legislature carrying out the recommendations in the report and empowering the establishment of the bureau under legislative authority, which I commend to your favorable consideration.

Very respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the usual number of copies of the Governor's message was ordered printed and that the report be received and filed.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

Pursuant to communication from the Honorable Robert Lansing, Secretary of State of the United States, I am herewith transmitting Senate Joint Resolution number seventeen, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Sixty-Fifth Congress of the United States of America;

At the Second Session,

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the following amendment to the Constitution be, and hereby is, proposed to the States, to become valid as a part of the Constitution when ratified by the legislatures of the several States as provided by the Constitution:

"ARTICLE —.

"Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

"Sec. 2. The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate leigslation.

"Sec. 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress."

CHAMP CLARK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
THOS. R. MARSHALL,
Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate.

I certify that this Joint Resolution originated in the Senate.

JAMES M. BAKER,
Secretary.

Mr. Richards moved that usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed and the joint resolution be spread in full on the Minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

I am herewith transmitting, pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 2, Laws of 1917, the report of the Commission to Investigate the High Cost of Living. Bills have been prepared covering

the recommendations of the commission; one providing additional authority to enable municipalities to purchase food and fuel for sale at cost to the public, plus cost of administration of such operation, and the other establishes the Department of Fisheries to take over in the interest of the people of the State the product of the pound fisheries. The first bill is mainly an extension of an act passed by the last session of the Legislature, which expires on July 1st of this year, while the proposed bill extends for a period of six months after the conclusion of the present war.

While I am opposed to governmental competition with private enterprise, where such private enterprise is properly serving the public, I am sure it is universally agreed, in view of the wide discrepancy between prices paid the fishermen at the pound and the prices charged the ultimate consumer, that the State should take immediate steps to provide the practical remedy. The quantity or quality of the fish that swim in seas are in no way controlled or improved by the genius or enterprise of any private individual, company or corporation, but this food product is admittedly the property of the people. This fact once established and there is no question of the State's right to prevent manipulation which mulcts the pockets of the public.

This commission has given much time and study to this very intricate problem, and while no claim is made that a permanent, universal solution has been found, it must be admitted, in view of the fact that this is a field which is largely and more properly the subject of Federal legislation, that a long step in reduction of food prices will have been effected, with the successful operation of the department recommended.

I wish to take this opportunity of personally and on behalf of the State, thanking the individual members of the commission for the sacrifice and labor they have expended, without recompense, in considering this problem and in compiling this very comprehensive and practical report.

Very sincerely,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed and the report be received and filed,

Which was agreed to.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 4, Laws of 1917, I am herewith transmitting the report of the Commission to Investigate Institutions under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Charities and Corrections other than Penal and Correctional.

This commission has held numerous meetings with the Prison Inquiry Commission, and as a result of these conferences a bill will be introduced in the Legislature carrying out the recommendations in the two reports.

The members of this commission have given liberally of their personal time, and, in some cases, personal funds, to the end that a report based on a most careful study of the entire situation be presented for legislative consideration, and I commend the report and its recommendations to your favorable approval.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed, and that the report be received and filed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That no further bills or joint resolutions (excepting the usual appropriation bills and bills submitted by special investigating committees) be offered in either house of the Legislature after the legislative week commencing Monday, January 28th, 1918, unless by the unanimous consent of the members of the body wherein such bills or joint resolutions are proposed for introduction.

And adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of 1917 provided, in Chapter 277, Pamphlet Laws of 1917, in item 91, as follows:

"For indexing the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the Executive Sessions, and the Minutes of the House of Assembly, and other incidental and contingent expenses of the Legislature, twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500.00)"; and,

WHEREAS, Chapter 158, Pamphlet Laws of 1914, requires that a requisition officer be appointed, and the acts regulating receipts and disbursements require the designation of approving officers for the payment of the necessary expenses of all divisions of the government;

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Assembly be designated as requisition officers for the Legislature; and be it further

Resolved, That all statements of expenses of the Legislature be referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses of the Senate and House of Assembly, respectively, and when approved by said committee, said approval shall be indicated by the signature of the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Incidental Expenses, for expenses of the Senate, and by the Chairman of the House Committee on Incidental Expenses, for expenses of the House of Assembly, together with the signature of the Secretary of the Senate, or the Clerk of the House of Assembly, respectively, and said bills, when approved, shall be forwarded to the Comptroller of the Treasury for payment.

And adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, excepting counties, where the legal voters thereof shall decide by majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to regulate the licensing and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, except counties, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county to provide funds for such purposes,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Fithian, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Case, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand

nine hundred and eleven, providing for the establishment of a workmen's compensation bureau to aid in carrying out the provisions of said act,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the National Guard,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend and supplement 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections"

(Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from State funds" (Revision of 1918),

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act providing for the election of members of boards of chosen freeholders in certain cases,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'A supplement to the act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,' and which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violations of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "An act concerning the protection of lands, streets and roads from injury by flow of waters and providing for the payment of damages caused thereby in certain cases,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of district police systems,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to counties,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House is hereby directed to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has organized by the election as Speaker of the Hon. Charles A. Wolverton, of Camden county, and Upton S. Jefferys, of Camden county, as Clerk, and has proceeded to business.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to roads,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled

'An act in relation to turnpike roads,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six" (Revision of 1877),

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 33, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to cities,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy, ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioner of labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the department of labor,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said amendment was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the courts of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof'" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914),

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title of whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Richards announced the Judiciary Committee would have a hearing at 2 P. M., Monday, January 14th, 1918, on bills before that committee.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn, it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 11th, 1918.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Hammond took the chair as President *pro tempore.*

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore,* the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, January 14th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened with prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Richards moved that the reading of the Journal of January 8th be dispensed with.

The President, Mr. McCran, presented a petition from the New Jersey Society of Pennsylvania requesting the passage of a law to preserve the public records of the State, which was ordered read and filed, on motion of Mr. Richards.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to establish a public record office,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties

of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Allen, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1908),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of examiners for licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages

of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled " An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mutchler, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled "A supplement to an act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled

'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to sell and convey certain lands acquired for use as a public park, which are not needed or desirable for public park purposes,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Treasurer's Accounts.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation

payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,"' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

To the Legislature:

On the eve of your detail consideration of the constructive program of the session, and other matters which will necessarily come before you, may I not have a further word supplementing the more or less usual ceremonial functions of the opening day?

You are sitting in a day of war. I deem this sufficient reason for emphasizing the necessity of a session different from the average; different in that its deep keynote of Americanism must absorb customary partisanship, discourage consideration of unimportant details and overshadows self-centered demands on your attention.

I know that you gentlemen, irrespective of party consideration, sincerely desire it. My sole reason for sending this message is to strengthen you in your lofty purpose and to emphasize the partnership I feel in it. I want you to know that the executive branch of the State government is ready to assist you in your praiseworthy ambition to co-operate with a government at war; that if any needed detail of legislation be inadvertently overlooked in the patriotic concentration on national success in the conflict, the executive department pledges itself to supply the deficiency to the limit of its powers and resources. Such support will be impersonal and non-political.

We agree it is of paramount importance that the introduction of bills be limited strictly to such as bear upon subjects worthy of serious consideration, in a year when retrenchment and sureness have the call over extravagance and experiment. I pray

that the legislative calendar may not be clogged with a mass of meaningless measures. There is seldom any excuse for a wholesale addition to our statutes; certainly none at a time when all thought and energy are concentrated on the solution of a grave international problem. Bills applying to purely local situations may be needless in view of past and prospective home rule legislation. I ask individual legislators to exercise judgment before feeding in such bills and overloading the legislative press. Measures already before you seem to cover every essential public need, although, of course, I have no desire to in any way confine your activities or initiation. Never did legislators have greater cause to summon political courage and refuse to stand sponsor for the ready-made bills of those invisible lawmakers who every year attempt to prostitute the Legislature to their own selfish ends.

Again, distinctly "war legislation" should be carefully considered with the welfare of the whole country in mind. Bills permitting the State to control fisheries and municipalities, to buy and sell food and fuel in emergencies, are proposed. They should help a situation growing more serious every day. But I deem it proper to warn you against any agitated legislation apt to interfere with the aims of the national food and fuel administrations. This problem is national in scope. Any permanent relief must come from national enforcement of nation-wide regulations. This is evident from the plain fact that present troubles are largely due to too many food and fuel bosses. The Federal Government has taken over control of all railroads and no State utility commission would assume to interfere. Legislation certain to confuse the national food and fuel regulation would be equally unwise. Any shortcomings in this regulation must be supplied by Washington; patchwork in individual States can only add to the confusion and impotency.

Finally, it is my earnest hope that such business as comes before the Legislature may be transacted without recourse on the part of either majority or minority to the familiar custom of partisanship. Time is of the essence of victory in this war. It is unthinkable in this hour, when essential industries are hampered for want of power and help, that costly legislative session should be wantonly prolonged and men of the able type of legislators unnecessarily detained from other useful pursuits while precious moments are wasted in political repartee and partisan bickerings. May not New Jersey look forward to a Legislature without a minority—with only an American majority?

May not New Jersey provide a patriotic inspiration for the country and Congress in this respect? I sincerely hope so. Let New Jersey's war Legislature clip the red tape of political tradition and co-operate with the United States and her Allies by cutting corners to war-time preparation and fitness.

Respectfully,

[SEAL] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to amend an amendment to 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, county clerks, and county registers of deeds and mortgages in counties of the first class and providing salaries for such officers,' approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Honorable George G. Smith, a former Senator from the county of Ocean.

Mr. Richards offered in nomination additional Senate officers, as follows, and moved their election to their respective positions:

Page—Joseph Navatto, of the county of Somerset.

Stenographer—William P. Drew, 115 Glenwood avenue, Jersey City, Hudson county.

The officers nominated by Mr. Richards were then elected by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mc-

Glennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative were—None.

Mr. Allen offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate express its sincere sympathy to Senator David G. Conrad in his illness, and joins in the hope for his speedy recovery; be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary send a copy of this resolution to Senator David G. Conrad.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That no bills or joint resolutions (excepting the usual appropriation bills and bills submitted by special investigating committees) be offered in either House of the Legislature after the legislative week commencing Monday, January 28th, 1918, unless by the unanimous consent of the members of the body wherein such bills or joint resolutions are proposed for introduction.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The Legislature of 1917 provided in Chapter 277, Pamphlet Laws of 1917, in item 91 as follows:

For indexing the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the Executive Sessions, and the Minutes of the House of Assembly,

and other incidental and contingent expenses of the Legislature, twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500); and

WHEREAS, Chapter 158, Pamphlet Laws of 1914, requires that a requisition officer be appointed, and the acts regulating receipts and disbursements require the designation of approving officers for the payment of the necessary expenses of all divisions of the government;

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Assembly be designated as requisition officers for the Legislature; and be it further

Resolved, That all statements of expenses of the Legislature be referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses of the Senate and House of Assembly respectively, and when approved by said committee, said approval shall be indicated by the signature of the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Incidental Expenses, for expenses of the Senate, and by the House of Assembly, together with the signature of the Secretary of the Senate, or the Clerk of the House of Assembly, respectively, and said bills, when approved, shall be forwarded to the Comptroller of the Treasury for payment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess of five minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call.

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 1 and 2 favorably, with the accompanying amendments.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 1 were read and adopted, on motion of Mr. Richards:

Amend the title by inserting a parenthesis before the word "excepting" and after the word "counties".

Amend section six, line eight, by striking out the comma after the word "be" and before the word "such" and inserting in lieu thereof a period, and by striking out the small "s" in the word "such" in said line and inserting in lieu thereof a capital "S".

Amend section eleven, line six, by striking out the word "tewenty-five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty-five".

Amend section eleven, line eighteen, by striking out the small "m" in the word "mayor" and inserting in lieu thereof a capital "M", and the small "c" in the word "council" and inserting in lieu thereof a capital "C".

Amend section eleven in the heading for affidavit, preceding line twenty-eight, by striking out the word "sworn" as it occurs in said heading and inserting in lieu thereof the word "verified".

Amend section fourteen, line one, by striking out the word "which" after the word "municipality" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "in which the voters thereof".

Amend section fifteen, line one, by striking out the word "coter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "voter".

Amend section twenty-eight, line five, by striking out the words "or ordinance" as they appear at the end of line five.

Amend section twenty-eight, line six, by striking out the word "prohibit" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "prohibits".

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 2 were read and adopted, on motion of Mr. Richards:

Amend section one by adding as a new paragraph, between lines twenty-one and twenty-two, the following:

"For the purpose of signing any petition herein provided for, the term 'legal voter' shall mean any person who is a resident of the municipality wherein any question provided for herein is to be submitted, and who is qualified to vote therein and whose name appears on the registry list at the last preceding election at which members of the General Assembly were elected; and for the purpose of voting on any question to be submitted under this act, at any general election as herein provided, the term 'legal voter' shall mean any person qualified to vote at such election; and at any special election as herein provided, the term 'legal voter' shall mean any person qualified to vote at such election, and whose name appears on the registry list at the last

preceding election at which members of the General Assembly were elected, or whose name shall have been added to such registry list in the manner hereinafter provided."

Amend section two, line two, by striking out the word "conditions" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "terms, conditions and restrictions under which intoxicating liquor as a beverage shall be sold in said municipality, and to determine the terms, conditions and restrictions."

Amend section two, line four, by striking out all of line four following the word "licenses" and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: *"provided, however,* that no municipality shall be authorized to permit the issuance of a greater number of such licenses than is now permitted by any general law, nor to reduce the minimum license fees now provided by any general law, nor to permit the sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage to any persons, or during any hours, or on any days, or at any places now prohibited by any general law; *and provided, further,* that nothing in this act shall be construed to permit the sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage within the limits of any municipality where such sale is now or may hereafter be prohibited by any general law."

Amend section two by striking out lines five, six, seven and seven and one-half.

Amend section five, line four, by inserting between the words "act" and "and" the following: "or of any other law of this State".

Amend section six, line five, by inserting after the word "act" and before the word "then" the following: "or of any other law of this State".

Amend section six, line fifteen, by striking out the semicolon following the word "thereat" and inserting in lieu thereof a comma, and by adding after said comma the following: "including a copy of the proposed ordinance;"

Amend section twenty-nine, line six, by striking out the word "quantity" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "granting".

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

To the Senate:

Pursuant to Chapter 84, Laws of 1916, I herewith transmit the

report of the Commission to Revise and Codify the Statutes of this State Relating to Cities and other Municipalities.

Following the report of this Commission to the last session of the Legislature, a bill was enacted which places upon the statute books of New Jersey the first real measure of home rule in the history of the State. The Commission has recommended additional bills to this session which have been introduced. Some of these acts are repealers of acts inconsistent with the provisions of the home rule acts; others are merely amendments to correct matter or detail which have been shown by a year's experience to need revision, and there are several bills which are proper and needed extensions of this principle, to which both political parties are committed and which I commend to your favorable consideration.

I have requested the Commission, in continuing its labors, to familiarize itself with suggested legislation introduced at the current session which may be unnecessary in view of the general act passed last year, now Chapter 192, Laws of 1917. At the last sesions a number of bills were passed, the purposes they sought to accomplish being already provided for in the general act referred to.

Very respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the usual number of copies of the Governor's message be printed and the report be filed.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, excepting counties, where the legal voters thereof shall decide by majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to regulate the licensing and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, except counties, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, the amendments ordered to be printed, and the bills to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Fithian, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Ackerson, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for

the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the Senate be extended to the Hon. T. H. O'Donnell, City Treasurer of East Newark.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate adjourned until 12 o'clock, Tuesday, January 15th, 1918.

TUESDAY, January 15th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to prevent the advertising, labeling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "An act providing that factories, workshops or places for the manufacture of materials or goods, hereafter established within the watershed of streams above the point at which public supplies of potable water are taken, shall obtain from the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey a permit to locate or establish such factories, workshops or places,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of water-closets and urinals on railroad trains and other public conveyances,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage,' approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs

and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Mackay offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the Senate be granted to an ex-President of the Senate and former Senator from Passaic county, the Hon. John D. Prince.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 35, 36, 9, 10, 7.

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until one o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mc-

Glennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —16.

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the National Guard,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty,"

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioner of Labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the Department of Labor,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that Senate Bills Nos. 1 and 2 be made the special order of business Monday night, January 21st, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that when the Senate adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend the title and the body of an act entitled 'An act to fix the minimum of salary of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordeerd to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 18th, 1918.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Hammond took the chair as President *pro tempore.*

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore,* the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond—1.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, January 21st, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered to the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Richards moved that the reading of the Journal of January 14th and 15th be dispensed with.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "An act concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time

within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Fithian, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' "

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Case, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to supplement and amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Sturgess, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Mr. Barber, on leave, introduced,

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to provide for recording delinquent taxpayers in townships and other municipalities where the tax collector has not received his duplicate at the time now specified by law,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled "An act authorizing the taking of suckers, catfish, carp and eels in the waters of this State through the use of fish-baskets, and prescribing penalties for violation of its provisions,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for deputy keepers and guards employed in or about the New Jersey State Prison and New Jersey State Reformatory,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Traesurer's Accounts.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Charles M. Egan, a former member of this Senate.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 1, 2, 7, 9, 10, 35, 56.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 67, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79 and 80.

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 53, 54, 55, 56 and 62.

Favorably.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 41, 49.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Senate Bill No. 47.

Signed—Clarence C. Pilgrim, Lewis T. Stevens, Samuel T. Munson.

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage,' approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of water-closets and urinals on railroad trains and other public conveyances,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "An act providing that factories, workshops or places for the manufacture of materials or goods, hereafter established within the watershed of streams above the point at which public supplies of potable water are taken, shall obtain from the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey a permit to locate or establish such factories, workshops or places,"

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 72, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to prevent the advertising, labeling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age,"

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to sell and convey certain lands acquired for use as a public park, which are not needed or desirable for public park purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a

department for the enforcement thereof'" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914),

And

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 21st, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf and dumb, blind and feeble-minded persons, inhabitants of this State,' approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to authorize the Governor to delegate to any executive officer of this State the duty now imposed by any law upon the Governor, of approving plans, specifications and contracts,"

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a State institution for feeble-minded,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the title of which said act was amended by act approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly, and to fix their compensation,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf and dumb, blind and feeble-minded persons, inhabitants of this State,' approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to authorize the Governor to delegate to any executive officer of this State the duty now imposed by any law upon the Governor, of approving plans, specifications and contracts,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a State institution for feeble-minded,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the title of which said act was amended by act approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that Assembly Bill No. 27 be laid over, temporarily.

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, excepting counties, where the legal voters thereof shall decide by majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend the title by striking out the present title, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to prohibit the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State where the legal voters thereof shall decide by a ma-

jority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof."

Make the following amendments to the body of the act:

1. Page 3, section 2, line 25, change the period after the word "located" to a comma, and add the following: "and circulating in such municipality."

2. Page 4, section 5, line 4, insert the word "legal" between the words "of" and "ballots"; strike out the word "received" and insert the word "cast" in lieu thereof, so that the clause shall read "the number of legal ballots cast".

3. Page 4, section 5, line 10, insert after the words "the next ensuing general election" the following: "at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected."

4. Page 4, section 6, lines 2 and 3, insert between the words "of" and "ballots" the word "legal"; strike out the word "received" and insert the word "cast" in lieu thereof, so that the clause shall read "The number of legal ballots cast."

5. Page 5, section 6, line 12, strike out the period following the word "year", and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon; after said semicolon, insert the following: *"provided, further,* that if the governing body shall find any such petition sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election, if made pursuant to the provisions of this act, would bear date on any day between May first and October tenth, then such question shall not be submitted at a special election, but shall be submitted at the general election at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected held next after the date of the filing of such petition, in the manner directed by this act; *provided, further,* that if the governing body shall find any such petition to be sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election shall bear date on any day between October tenth and November first, then such special election shall be held on a date after the first day of December and within sixty days after the date of such order."

6. Page 5, section 6, line 18, change the period after the word "located" to a comma, and add the following: "and circulating in such municipality."

7. Page 6, section 7, strike out all of line 26 following the comma after the word "vote", all of line 27, all of line 28, and all of line 29.

8. Page 6, section 7, line 32, insert after the word "affidavit", and before the word "with", the following: "together with said order."

9. Page 6, section 7, lines 32 and 33, strike out the following: "at the time of filing said court order," and insert in lieu thereof

the following: "which said board shall return said affidavit and order to the clerk of the municipality within three days after the holding of such election, to be kept and filed in the office of such clerk for at least one year."

7. Page 7, section 9, line 19, strike out all of line 19, all of line 20 and all of line 21 to and including the period following the word "election", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "*provided, however,* that if the Supreme Court or a justice thereof, shall find said petition to be sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election, if made forthwith, would bear date on any day between May first and October tenth, then such question shall be submitted at the general election at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected held next after the date of the finding by said court or justice of the sufficiency of such petition; *and provided, further,* that if the said court or justice shall find said petition to be sufficient at such time that the order for a special election, made pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall bear date between October tenth and November first, then such special election shall be held on a date after the first day of December and within sixty days after the date of said finding by said Supreme Court or justice."

8. Page 8, section 11, line 18, strike out the words "Mayor and," and insert in lieu thereof the word "Common."

9. Page 9, section 11, line 28, strike out the word "verified" and insert the word "sworn."

10. Page 9, section 11, line 30, strike out the words "their respective names;" insert before the word "dates" the word "respective;" insert after the word "opposite" the word "thereto", so that the clause shall read "at the respective dates set opposite thereto."

11. Page 9, section 11, lines 30 and 31, strike out the words "and are, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the signatures of the persons purporting to sign the same," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and that the several persons who make said signatures bear, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the names signed thereto by each of them respectively."

12. age 9, section 11, line 40, strike out the words "Mayor and" and insert the word "Common."

13. Page 10, section 11, line 49, in the heading "Form of Affidavit," etc., strike out the word "sworn" and insert the word "verified."

14. Page 10, section 11, line 52, strike out the words "their respective names;" insert the word "respective" before the word "date"; change the word "date" to "dates"; insert the word

"thereto" after the word "opposite", so that the clause shall read, "at the respective dates set opposite thereto."

15. Page 10, section 11, line 52, strike out the words "and are, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the signatures of the persons purporting to sign the same," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and that the several persons who made said signatures bear, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the names signed thereto by each of them respectively."

16. Page 14, section 19, line 12, change the period after the word "municipality" to a semicolon, and insert "but nothing in this act shall affect, amend or repeal any other law which now prohibits within the limits of any municipality, or any portion thereof, either the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor, or the keeping of a place where intoxicating liquor is sold, furnished or otherwise dealt in."

17. Page 15, section 24, line 8, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors."

18. Page 17, section 28, lines 5–9, strike out the words "but nothing in this act shall affect, amend or repeal any other law which now prohibits within the limits of any municipality, or any portion thereof, either the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor, or the keeping of a place where intoxicating liquor is sold, furnished or otherwise dealt in."

19. Page 17, section 29, line 2, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors."

20. Page 18, section 29, line 25, insert after the words "kind of liquor" the word "sold," so that the clause shall read, "the quantity and kind of liquor sold."

21. Page 18, section 29, line 27, strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the words "said pharmacist."

22. Page 18, section 29, line 31, strike out the "s" in the word "liquors" and insert between that word and the word "sold" the words "purchased and", so that it shall read, "of intoxicating liquor purchased and sold by," etc.

23. Page 18, section 29, line 38, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors."

24. Page 19, section 29, line 57, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors."

Mr. McGlennon asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following amendments, which were read:

Amend section 19, page 14, line 2, after the word "municipality" by inserting therein the following:

"Then the provisions of this act shall become effective one year after the date of the holding of said election."

Strike out the word "then" and insert the word "thereafter".

Amend section 20, page 14, line 2, after the word "indirectly" by inserting therein the following:

"Manufacture for sale or gift, import for sale or gift, sell, offer for sale, keep for sale, traffic in, barter, transfer, export, ship in or out of the municipality or exchange for goods or merchandise, or solicit or receive orders for the purchase of, or have in his, her, its or their possession, or have upon his, her, its or their premises, or on their person any intoxicating liquor or beverage within the limits of the municipality, or who shall sell, offer or expose for sale, furnish, or otherwise deal in any intoxicating liquor."

Strike out the entire section 21, page 14, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"In any complaint, indictment or other proceeding brought for the violation of section 20 of this act, it shall not be necessary to name the person to whom, or to aver that the intoxicating liquors were manufactured, imported, given, offered, kept, trafficed in, bartered in, transferred, exchanged, exported, imported, into or out of a municipality, exchanged for merchandise, or that orders had been solicited or taken for, or that any person had upon his person or on his premises any intoxicating liquors, or had sold, offered or exposed for sale, furnished, trafficed in or otherwise dealt in intoxicating liquors contrary to section 20 of this act; it shall be sufficient to set forth that the act complained of was then and there prohibited and unlawful, specifying the time and place of the alleged act, nor shall it be necessary in order to convict principal for the acts of his agent or servant to prove the knowledge or authority of said principal."

Amend section 24, page 15, line 4, by striking out the words "thirty days" and inserting in lieu thereof "one year".

And disagreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative was—

Mr. McGlennon—1.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —12.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate Bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barber, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim—5.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to regulate the licensing and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, except counties, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend title by striking out the present title and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An act to regulate the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance."

Amendments to body of act:

1. Page 3, section 2, line 8, strike out the word "general" and insert in lieu thereof the word "State".

2. Section 2, line 9, strike out the word "general" and insert in lieu thereof the word "State".

3. Section 2, line 10, strike out the word "general" and insert in lieu thereof the word "State".

4. Section 2, line 13, strike out the word "general" and insert the word "State".

5. Page 3, section 2, line 14, strike out the word "application" and insert in lieu thereof the word "petition".

6. Page 3, section 2, line 14, strike out the words "by a petition" after the word "election" and before the word "signed".

7. Page 3, section 2, line 16, strike out the words "which petition shall set" and insert in lieu thereof the words "and setting".

8. Page 3, section 2, line 16, insert a comma after the word "ordinance".

9. Page 4, section 2, line 41, change the period after the word "located" to a comma, and add the following: "and circulating in such municipality".

10. Page 5, section 5, line 6, insert the word "legal" between the words "of" and "ballots"; strike out the word "received" and insert the word "cast" in lieu thereof, so that the clause shall read: "the number of ballots cast".

11. Page 5, section 5, line 12, insert after the words "the next ensuing general election" the words "at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected".

12. Page 5, section 6, lines 2 and 3, insert between the words "of" and "ballots" the word "legal"; strike out the word "received" and insert the word "cast" in lieu thereof, so that the clause shall read: "the number of legal ballots cast".

13. Page 5, section 6, line 12, strike out the period following the word "year" and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "*provided, further,* that if the governing body shall find any such petition sufficient, at such a time that the order for a special election, if made pursuant to the provisions of this act, would bear date on any day between May first and October tenth, then such question shall not be submitted at a special election, but shall be submitted at the general election at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected held next after the date of the filing of such petition, in the manner directed by this act; *provided further,* that if the governing body shall find any such petition to be sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election shall bear date on any day between October tenth and November first, then such special

election shall be held on a date after the first day of December and within sixty days after the date of such order."

14. Page 5, section 6, line 18, change the period after the word "located" to a comma, and add the following: "and circulating in such municipality".

15. Page 8, section 9, line 19, strike out line 19 after the comma after the words "were elected", all of line 20, all of line 21 and line 22 to and including the period following the word "election", and insert in lieu thereof the following: *"provided, however,* that if the Supreme Court, or a justice thereof, shall find said petition to be sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election, if made forthwith, would bear date on any day between May first and October tenth, then such question shall be submitted at the general election at which members of the General Assembly are to be elected held next after the date of the finding by said court or justice of the sufficiency of such petition; *and provided, further,* that if the said court or justice shall find said petition to be sufficient at such a time that the order for a special election, made pursuant to the provisions of this act, shall bear date between October tenth and November first, then such special election shall be held on a date after the first day of December and within sixty days after the date of said finding by said Supreme Court or justice".

16. Page 9, section 11, line 16, strike out the words "mayor and" and insert in lieu thereof the word "common".

17. Page 10, section 11, line 19, strike out the words "their respective names" and insert before the word "dates" the word "respective"; insert after the word "opposite" the word "thereto", so that the clause shall read: "at the respective dates set opposite thereto".

18. Page 10, section 11, lines 29 and 30, strike out the words "and are, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the signatures of the persons purporting to sign the same", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and that the several persons who made said signatures bear, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the names signed thereto by each of them respectively".

19. Page 10, section 12, between lines 1 and 2, insert the form of the ballot as given in the original draft of the bill, to wit:

"Shall the following ordinance be adopted? (setting forth the proposed ordinance or stating clearly its provisions)."	Yes	
	No	

20. Page 11, section 15, between lines 7 and 8, strike out the following:

"Shall the following ordinance be adopted? (setting forth the proposed ordinance or stating clearly its provisions)."	Yes	
	No	

21. Page 12, section 17, line 6, strike out the word "regulations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "terms, conditions and restrictions".

22. Page 12, section 18, line 4, strike out the word "regulations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "terms, conditions and restrictions".

23. Page 12, section 18, line 6, strike out the word "regulations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "terms, conditions and restrictions".

24. Page 13, section 20, line 2, strike out the word "regulations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "terms, conditions and restrictions".

25. Page 13, section 22, line 9, strike out the word "regulations" and insert in lieu thereof the words "terms, conditions and restrictions".

26. Page 14, section 22, line 17, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors".

27. Page 15, section 26, line 5, strike out the words " or ordinance".

28. Page 16, section 27, line 2, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors".

29. Page 16, section 27, line 25, insert after the words "kind of liquor" the word "sold", so that the clause shall read: "the quantity and kind of liquor sold,".

30. Page 16, section 27, line 27, strike out the word "him" and insert in lieu thereof the words "said pharmacist".

31. Page 16, section 27, line 31, strike out the "s" in the word "liquors" and insert between that word and the word "sold" the words "purchased and" so that it shall read: "of intoxicating liquor purchased and sold by" etc.

32. Page 17, section 27, line 39, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors".

33. Page 17, section 27, line 58, strike out the letter "s" in the word "liquors".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

In the negative was—

Mr. McGlennon—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Martens, McGlennon, Munson—6.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended and said bill leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Which was agreed to.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 21st, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey (the House of Assembly concurring), That the State Printer be directed to furnish to the State Library, as soon as printed, for the use of the Legislative Department of said State Library, and for exchange by the State Library with the State Libraries and Legislative Reference Libraries of other States, twenty copies each of all bills and joint concurrent resolutions introduced in the Senate and House of Assembly, as well as printed Committee Substitutes; also forty copies of each weekly installment of the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the House of Assembly, and forty copies each of the gummed slips containing synopses of Senate and Assembly bills introduced.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 69 and 81.

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for

the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The President, Mr. McCran, presented the following communication, which was read:

January 21st, 1918.

Hon. Thomas F. McCran, President New Jersey State Senate, Trenton, N. J.:

DEAR SIR—The Trenton Chamber of Commerce will be fifty years old on Friday, January 25th, and will celebrate the event with a public meeting in Association Hall, on East State Street, at eight o'clock that evening. An interesting program of exercises has been prepared, including addresses by Governor Walter E. Edge and Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip, President of the National City Bank, of New York, and chief of the National War Saving Certificate movement. We extend through you to all the members of the New Jersey Senate a most cordial invitation to attend these anniversary exercises.

Hoping you and your colleagues in the Senate may be able to accept our invitation, we remain,

Yours very truly,
TRENTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
(Signed) L. L. WOODWARD,
President.

And the invitation was accepted on motion of Mr. Richards.

The Secretary of the Senate announced the assignment of the following clerks to Senate committees:

Judiciary, Orin E. Payne; Revision and Amendment of the Laws, George E. Kaegi; Finance, Lorenzo Carey; Municipal Corporations, David Stegman.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate adjourn until Tuesday, January 22d, at 11 o'clock A. M.

TUESDAY, January 22d, 1918.

At 11 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Richards, Runyon—10.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned until 12 o'clock noon.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (Speaker), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 53, 54, 56, 62, 70, 71.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 61.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 9.

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Lewis T. Stevens.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported.

Senate Bill No. 42; Assembly Bills Nos. 5, 6, 43.

Favorably.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No 52; Assembly Bill No. 4.

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Conrad, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Ackerson, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estates,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Fithian, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food

in package form,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of noise in the operation of vessels propelled in whole or in part by gas, gasoline or naphtha, upon the waters within the jurisdiction of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which were read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

And

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Mutchler, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 118, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

And

Senate Bill No. 120 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for decreeing and making known that certain laws and joint resolutions have become inoperative and void,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in mercantile establishments,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act,"

And

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries, and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title of whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to persons

or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,'' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

And

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf and dumb, blind and feeble-minded persons, inhabitants of this State,' approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to authorize the Governor to delegate to any executive officer of this State the duty now imposed by any law upon the Governor, of approving plans, specifications and contracts,"

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a State institution for feeble-minded,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the title of which said act was amended by act approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the National Guard,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mc-

Glennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioner of labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the department of labor,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 47, 49, 75.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 12,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, James Hammond, George F. Martens, Jr.

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Assembly Bill No. 43 was placed on third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that Assembly Bill No. 43 be laid over, temporarily, which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and, under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni, and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy, ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Add a new sentence after the period at the end of line 29, to read as follows: "no other license shall be required by any other State or municipal authority".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—16.

In the negative was—

Mr. Stevens—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bills Nos. 1, 2, 9, 10, 7 and 36 leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved

March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish,' approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 127, entitled "An act creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the government of counties of the first class in this State,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Richards moved that the Governor's message be received, which was agreed to.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 69, 74, 76, 80, 81, 67, 73, 77, 78.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Pilgrim moved that Assembly Bill No. 43 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bills Nos. 69, 74, 76, 81, 67, 73, 77, 78 and 80 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage, Wednesday, January 23d, 1918.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bills Nos. 53, 54, 56, 62, 70, 71, 47, 49 and 75 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage, Wednesday, January 23d, 1918.

Which was agreed to.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

TRENTON, January 22d, 1918.

To the Legislature:

I am herewith transmitting the report of the New Jersey Commission for Elimination of Toll Bridges. This commission, serving without compensation, has made noteworthy progress toward the accomplishment of the purpose for which it was created, the freeing of the bridges spanning the Delaware river of tolls paid private persons or corporations, and I commend its reccommendations to your favorable consideration.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

[SEAL.]
Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the Governor's message be received and spread in full on the Minutes, and the report be received and filed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 43.

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 43 was read and adopted:

Paragraph 4, line 4, after the words "Assistant Secretary of the Senate" insert the following: "the Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Supervisor of Bills, President's Secretary, and Chaplain, of the Senate".

On motion of Mr. Richards, the following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 43 were read and adopted:

Paragraph 4, line 5, after the words "Assistant Clerk of the House" insert the following: "the Journal Clerk, Supervisor of Bills, Sergeant-at-Arms, Speaker's Secretary, and Speaker's Assistant Secretary, of the House".

Paragraph 4, line 6, after the letters "mittees" and before the period, insert the following: "of the Senate and House".

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed

it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 1, 2, 7, 9, 10 and 36; also Assembly Bill No. 27.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, January 23d, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon.

WEDNESDAY, January 23d, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen."

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the State Printer send to each member of the Senate five copies of Senate Bills Nos. 1 and 2, as amended, as said bills finally passed the Senate.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Mr. Hammond moved that Senate Bill No. 74 be recommitted to Committee on Public Health.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of water-closets and urinals on railroad trains and other public conveyances,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill

to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Runyon moved that Senate Bill No. 81 be recommitted to Committee on Highways.

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Case, Martens—2.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage,' approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled "An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Honorable Lawrence Y. Sherman, of Illinois, and Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, members of the United States Senate.

On Wednesday, January 23d, 1918, at 12:40 P. M., the Senate, on motion of Mr. Richards, went into the Committee of the Whole to receive the Honorable Lawrence Y. Sherman, a member of the United States Senate from Illinois, and the Honorable Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, a member of the United States Senate from New Jersey.

The distinguished visitors were presented to the committee by Mr. Richards, and addresses were made by each.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the committee then arose.

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the pyment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this State to sell and convey certain lands acquired for use as a public park, which are not needed or desirable for public park purposes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf and dumb, blind and feeble-minded persons, inhabitants of this State,' approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to authorize the Governor to delegate to any executive officer of this State the duty now imposed by any law upon the Governor, of approving plans, specifications and contracts,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the establishment of a State institution for

for feeble-minded,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the title of which said act was amended by act approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Mr. Richards moved that when the Senate adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 41, 42, 52, 55, 61, 72, 79.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 86, 94, 89, 87, 92, 95, 90.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 83.

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to provide for children born out of wedlock,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 51.

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

The following committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 51 were read and adopted:

Amend Article XIII, section 1, by adding at the end of the section:

Any corporation which, by its charter, is authorized to make insurance against loss or damage to property caused by fire, lightning or tempest on land may, without amending such charter, make insurance against loss or damage to property caused by bombardment, invasion, insurrection, riot, civil war or commotion, military or usurped power, and by explosion, whether fire ensues or not, except explosion on risks specified in subdivision six hereof; *provided*, such corporation shall be possessed of the amount of capital stock or cash premiums required by section six of this act.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act relating to official advertising in the counties of the first and second class,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 58.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' ap-

proved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "An act concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,"

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend the title and the body of an act entitled 'An act to fix the minimum of salary

of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

With committee amendments,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 25th, 1918.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Hammond took the chair as President *pro tempore*.

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore*, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond—1.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, January 28th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Richards moved that the reading of the Journal of January 21st, 22d and 23d, be dispensed with.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the creation of Juvenile Courts in counties of the first class,' "

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

And

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 151, entitled "An act respecting the salaries of county engineers,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act for the preservation of crabs,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate fishing by steam and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in the waters of the State of New Jersey, and to require a license

for such fishing,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to actions against members of police departments in this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs' (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled "An act authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to authorize and to provide for requiring the construction, maintenance and operation of an extension or extensions of street railway tracks in cities of the first class in this State for the purpose of connecting or of making a detour of existing tracks,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives

and detective agencies,' approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "An act requiring public utilities to file plans showing the location and character of property used by them in the public streets and public places of municipalities of this State,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, by request, introduced

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act authorizing all municipalities in the State to pass, alter, amend, repeal and enforce ordinances regulating the opening and closing of bootblacking and shoe repairing shops,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office, position or employment, after thirty-five years' service of this State, or of any county or city therein, and providing for the payment of such pension,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to empower the Board of Public Utility Commissioners to

require any common carrier by railroad to employ a sufficient number of men in the management of any of its trains, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to promote the safety of travelers and employees upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899)," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which supplement was approved February twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Ackerson, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled "An act providing for the recovery of dogs lost while hunting, and prescribing penalties for violations thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of striped bass,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four),' "

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved by the Senate of New Jersey (the House of Assembly concurring), That the House and Senate do meet in joint session at the hour of 8:30 o'clock P. M., Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

and adopted by the following vote:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 82,

Favorably.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 51, 58, 83, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 94 and 95.

Assembly Bill No. 43,

With Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 104, 112, 114, 115 and 123.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 74;

Senate Bills Nos. 93, 88, 84, 85, and 97,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 74 was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to supplement and amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 98 and 102.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to provide for recording delinquent taxpayers in townships and other municipalities where the tax collector has not received his duplicate at the time now specified by law,"

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey,"

And

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 124,

Favorably.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance

business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be printed, and have a third reading.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess of five minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 60, 108, 107.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled "A supplement to an act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three.

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estates,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 116, 117.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

And

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 45, 44, 16, 91,

Favorably.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war,"

And

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate of New Jersey (the House of Assembly concurring), That the House and Senate do meet in joint session at the hour of 8:30 o'clock P. M., Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following resolution:

"WHEREAS, The hour of 8:30 P. M. having arrived, the time fixed for the joint meeting of both houses of the Legislature;

Resolved, That the Clerk inform the Senate that the House now awaits its presence in the Assembly Chamber."

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards the Senate proceeded to the Assembly Chamber to meet in joint session.

After which, and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways,"

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to authorize municipalities in this State to purchase and distribute food supplies in cases of emergency,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports,"

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge

of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight."

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the hearing and determination of disputes or matters affecting the domestic relation, and conferring jurisdiction upon the county juvenile courts,' approved April second, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and ten, entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court and the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to authorize municipalities in this State to purchase and distribute food supplies in cases of emergency,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the hearing and determination of disputes or matters affecting the domestic relation, and conferring jurisdiction upon the county juvenile courts,' approved April second, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and ten, entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court and the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the

efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 68,

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 68 was read and adopted:

By Senator McGlennon:

Amend section 1, paragraph 1, line 3, by changing the last word on the line "four" to read "three" so that the line shall read "not more than three assistant prosecutors."

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 35, 47, 49, 53, 54, 56, 62, 67, 76, 77 and 78; also Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 5, 6, 9 and 12.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday.

TUESDAY, January 29th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—20.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act concerning the solicitation and collection of money or materials within the State of New Jersey, as contributions for eleemosynary objects,"

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of county police systems,"

And

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council and Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary thereof,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe called from these earthly tabernacles to His celestial home our late colleague, Edmund Burke Osborne, late Senator from the county of Essex, on April 12th, 1917, after the adjournment of this Senate's last session; and

WHEREAS, It is befitting that this body should respect his memory and show our deep sorrow at his demise, which is our loss; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey, That we hereby express our sincerest sympathy to his family, feeling that in his departure from among us the State lost a conscientious, able and painstaking lawmaker, whose every effort was for the upbuilding of the communities of the State and the general betterment of their citizens, he having, by sheer force of hardship, advanced himself from humble walks of life to that of a business man of large capacity, and a public servant of the utmost importance and conscientious undertakings, serving New Jersey as a member of the State Board of Education and in this Senate with zeal and fidelity; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that a copy thereof be engrossed and sent to his family.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery

and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.,' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Treasurer's Accounts, reported

Senate Bill No. 103.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Chas. C. Pilgrim, Geo. F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 36,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 111,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 131 and 132, favorably. Senate Bill No. 130 by Committee Substitute; Senate Bill No. 139 with amendments.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 130 was read and adopted.

The following committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 139 were read and adopted:

Amend title by striking out the words "and second".

Amend section 1, line 2, by striking out the words "and second".

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to establish a Board of Estimate and Apportionment in counties of the first class and defining its powers and duties,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Mutchler, on leave, by request, introduced

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to authorize two or more adjoining municipalities, each of which own and operate an electric light or power plant, to supply electricity, gas, steam, or other product, interchangeably for the purpose of supplying light, heat or power to the inhabitants of such municipalities,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and

seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food in package form,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital,"

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act relating to official advertising in the counties of the first and second class,"

As amended;

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen."

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and ten, entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable water in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable

waters in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee of Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 75.

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 16, 44, 45, 60, 68, 82, 84, 88, 91, 93, 97, 98, 102, 104, 107, 108, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 123, 124.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 43.

Favorably.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 134, 133, 106, 110.

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian.

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to establish a public record office,"

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made,"

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Conrad, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordeerd to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assemby Bill No. 45,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled "An act in relation to municipalities,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to 'An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,' approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the division of townships into street lighting districts and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said district,' approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 93,

Favorably.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve."

And

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: January 28th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Senate be requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No. 72, for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof'" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914),

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State, the title to whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved, in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend the title of the act by omitting the words "and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred," after the words "twelve months last past."

Amend section 1, page 2, line 9, after the words "court officers was or may be" insert the word "finally."

On motion of Mr. Mackay, said bill was laid over.

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate Bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 29th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to prohibit the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State where the legal voters thereof shall decide by a majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to regulate the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 2:15 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 2:15 o'clock the Senate met.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No, 202, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,'

approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred of 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. McGlennon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,'"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "An act providing that factories, workshops or places for the manufacture of materials or goods, hereafter established within the watershed of streams above the point at which public supplies of potable water are taken, shall obtain from the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey a permit to locate or establish such factories, workshops or places,"

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the following words on line 2, section 3, between the words "not" and "more": "less than one hundred dollars nor."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to prevent the advertising, labeling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Section 4, strike out all of line 9, after the word "violated." All of line 10, all of line 11 up to and including the comma after the word "course".

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to further amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 2, line 5, by striking out the word "five" after the word "under" and before the word "years" on said line, and inserting the word "three" in lieu thereof.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Daniel F. Menahan, Mayor of the city of Orange, N. J.

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended, and Senate Bills Nos. 16, 44, 45, 60, 68, 82, 84, 88, 91, 93, 97, 98, 102, 104, 107, 108, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, 123 and 124 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage Wednesday, January 30th.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "An act concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—14.

In the negative was—

Mr. Fithian—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title of whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Strike out section 2.

Section 3 changed to section 2, and the words "and expenses" in this section, on lines 2 and 3, after the words "and pay for salaries" to be omitted; also omit the words "and expenses in the same section, after the words, "chosen freeholders their salaries".

Section 4 to be changed to section "3."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State,"

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out all of section 2, after the word "State", on line 2, and by inserting a period after the word "State", on said line.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence there.

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend the title and the body of an act entitled 'An act to fix the minimum of salary of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Stevens asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stevens offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

In line five, section one, after the word "pleas" insert the words "in counties".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, and, on motion of Mr. Richards, the following bills were ordered to leave the custody of the Senate forthwith:

Senate Bills Nos. 41, 52, 55, 61, 79, 80, 86, 87, 89, 92, 94, 95 and Assembly Bill No. 43, with Senate amendments.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Mr. Ackerson, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The same Senator, on leave, by request, introduced

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate fishing in the north branch of the Shrewsbury river, in the county of Monmouth,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That no employee of either the Senate or the House of Assembly be permitted to lobby for any bill pending in either House. Any such offender shall be brought before the respective house to which he may be attached for the imposition of such punishment as may be determined to be proper.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answer the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 29th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act providing for the purchase, storage and sale of food and fuel by municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment by counties of the first class in this State of parental schools, to provide for the procuring of lands to be used in connection therewith, and to purchase, erect or construct such schools, and to provide for the government of the same,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the welfare of children,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act providing for the purchase, storage and sale of food and fuel by municipalities,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment by counties of the first class in this State of parental schools, to provide for the procuring of lands to be used in connection therewith, and to purchase, erect or construct such schools, and to provide for the government of the same,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the welfare of children,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 15 by Committee Substitute.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Richards moved that Senate Bill No. 15, by Committee Substitute, be printed before second reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to prohibit the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State where the legal voters thereof shall decide by a majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to regulate the sale, or offer, or exposure for sale, or furnishing or otherwise dealing in intoxicating liquor as a beverage and the granting of licenses therefor in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality (not a county) in this State, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Wednesday, January 30th, at 12 o'clock noon.

WEDNESDAY, January 30th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the roll:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—17.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Barber, on leave, introduced,

Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Fithian, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of claims and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Stevens, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Hammond, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

And

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," ' "

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 105, 135,

Favorably.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Lewis T. Stevens.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 10, with Senate amendment.

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

The following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10 were read and adopted:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 10 by adding new section to read as follows:

"7. The provisions of this act shall become inoperative on a date six months immediately following the date of signature of treaty of peace between the United States of America and the Imperial German government and its allies."

Amend line 1, section 7, of Assembly Bill No. 10, by striking out the numeral 7 designating such section and inserting in lieu thereof the numeral 8.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 17,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr., William E. Florance.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported.

Senate Bills Nos. 8, 57,

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Hammond moved that the amendments to Senate Bill No. 8 be printed.

Which was agreed to.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 57 was read and adopted:

Strike out the word "twelve" in line four of section one and insert in lieu thereof the word "ten".

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 22 and 23,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 20, 19, 24 and 21,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act providing for the purchase, storage and sale of food and fuel by municipalities,"

With Senate amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment by counties of the first class in this State of parental schools, to provide for the procuring of lands to be used in connection therewith, and to purchase, erect or construct such schools, and to provide for the government of the same,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the welfare of children,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the hearing and determination of disputes or matters affecting the domestic relation, and conferring jurisdiction upon the county juvenile courts,' approved April second, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved that Senate Bill No. 60 be recommitted to Committee on Taxation.

Which motion was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to supplement and amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hun-

dred and one,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Senate of New Jersey learns with profound regret of the death this morning of United States Senator William Hughes; and

WHEREAS, The untimely passing away of the senior United States Senator from this State removes from the councils of our representatives at Washington a man whose energy and ability was cheerfully given in the framing of legislation designed to protect the United States of America, and to make certain the triumph of democracy over autocracy; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey, That there be and is hereby extended to the family of the deceased this expression of genuine sympathy;

Resolved, further, That the President of the Senate be empowered to appoint a committee of five Senators to attend the obsequies; and, be it further

Resolved, That these resolution be spread in full on the Senate Journal and a copy of the same, duly signed by the President, and attested by the Secretary, be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. McCran, the President, submitted the report upon the investigation of the financial affairs of Jersey City by the Joint Judiciary Committee of the Senate and General Assembly, authorized by Joint Resolution No. 7, approved March 26th, 1917, which was ordered received.

Mr. Richards, for the President, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City," passed March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McCran offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the Report upon the Investigation of the Financial Affairs of Jersey City by the Joint Judiciary Committee of the Senate and General Assembly authorized by Joint Resolution No. 7, approved March 26th, 1917, be printed.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 30th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal section nineteen of an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of

motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting proceedings in certain criminal cases in certain cities of the second class in this State and to regulate and increase the powers of the police courts, recorder's courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in any such city, and providing for the appointment and compensation of a city prosecutor and regulating the compensation of judges or recorders presiding over the said courts,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Morris,"

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to remove limitations imposed by the State of New Jersey upon the development and use of lands and lands under water which may have been granted to any municipality in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the

boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof, approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which said supplement was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities having a public water supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which such water is derived, or through which it flows, a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage and other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal section nineteen of an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and pro-

viding for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting proceedings in certain criminal cases in certain cities of the second class in this State and to regulate and increase the powers of the police courts, recorder's courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in any such city, and providing for the appointment and compensation of a city prosecutor and regulating the compensation of judges or recorders presiding over the said courts,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Morris,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amend-

ment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to remove limitations imposed by the State of New Jersey upon the development and use of lands and lands under water which may have been granted to any municipality in this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights.

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof, approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to pro-

vide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities having a public water supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which such water is derived, or through which it flows, a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage and other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Allen, for Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 43, 85, 103, 106, 110, 111, 131, 132, 133, 134 and 139,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:30 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and, under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—20.

Mr. Richards, on leave, introduced

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, "Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and forty-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mackay, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wyckoff, in the county of Bergen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Pilgrim moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was passed be reconsidered, which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—17.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the period after the word municipalities in line 20, section 1, and substitute a comma and add the following: "*and provided, further,* that any such member of any board, council or commission shall not be an officer or director in such bank."

Mr. Pilgrim moved that Senate Bill No. 90 be laid over temporarily.

Mr. Pilgrim, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 231, entitled "An act relating to the production, manufacture, compounding, sale, dispensing, prescribing, or giving away of chloral, opium or coco leaves, their salts, derivations or preparations, and to the sale, manufacture, prescribing or giving away of certain instruments,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water-supply commissioners in the water-supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water-supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water-Supply District and the South Jersey Water-Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled

'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

And

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by act approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six) 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled "An act regulating the appointment of insurance agents, brokers and solicitors, and prescribing the method of writing insurance business in the State of New Jersey,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 18.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 46,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Senate Bill No. 81,

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, William E. Florance.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 81 were read and adopted:

Strike out all of section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

1. Section three of the act of which this act is amendatory be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

SIGNALS.

3. Signals.—On all public roads, streets, highways and turnpikes, the following regulations shall be in force:

SLOWING OR STOPPING.

(1). Every driver in slowing up or stopping shall signal to those behind by raising a whip or hand.

TURNING.

(2). In turning while in motion or in starting to turn from a standing-still position, signal shall be given by extending the whip or hand, or by operating an adequate mechanical device indicating the direction in which the turn is to be made.

BACKING.

(3). Before backing, ample warning should be given, and while backing unceasing vigilance shall be exercised not to injure those behind.

STOP FOR POLICE WHISTLE.

(4). Any driver, upon two blasts of a police whistle blown by a police officer, shall stop.

CAR STANDING AT NIGHT.

(5). When in case of accident or emergency it becomes necessary to leave any vehicle on any public road or street at night, at least one red light must be conspicuously displayed thereon by the owner or person in charge, such light to be visible in both directions.

SLEIGHING.

(6). No person shall drive any horse or horses attached to any sleigh or sled on any street unless there shall be a sufficient number of bells attached to the harness of such horse or horses to give warning of their approach.

LAMP ON BICYCLE.

(7.) All bicycles when in use on any street at night shall have a lamp of sufficient illuminating power to be seen two hundred feet in the direction in which such bicycle is approaching, such lamp to be attached thereto and kept lighted from one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise.

AUDIBLE SIGNAL ON BICYCLE.

(8). Bicycles shall be equipped with an audible signal which can be heard easily at a distance of two hundred feet.

2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers

thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, association, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Ackerson, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriation of money therefor,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of lobsters," approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The same Senator, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogate"' (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 29th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The government and people of the United States are engaged in a titanic struggle with the powers of autocracy; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey, since Revolutionary days, has been ever foremost in the cause of democracy, and by her sons and her treasure have aided in the promulgation of those sacred principles to the whole world; and

WHEREAS, In the present colossal world war, through the foresight and energy of her courageous Governor, she was found ready and prepared to render adequate and effective assistance to the Federal Government in the successful prosecution of the war; and

WHEREAS, By reason of her strategic position on the Atlantic seaboard, by the location within her boundaries of numerous plants for the manufacture of war munitions, for the building of ships, the terminals of the great trunk railways and steamship lines, her thousands of miles of adequately operated railroads, and her innumerable facilities for expeditiously aiding the Government of the United States, she has come to play a great and important part in the struggle for liberty; and

WHEREAS, By reason of her thorough preparation commenced long before the present struggle began, and developed to a high degree of efficiency through the tireless efforts of her Governor and his officials, she has been able to render untold aid to the Federal Government; and

WHEREAS, By reason of the skill and efficiency displayed through her military policy she has taken steps to curb the plots of alien enemies and their sympathizers, bent on bringing havoc and destruction and endeavoring to cripple the successful prosecution of the war; and

WHEREAS, On Saturday last, on but a few moments' notice, she was able to mobilize and dispatch to threatened points the State militia for the more effective safeguarding of life and property, thereby relieving the Government of the United States of such a duty; and

WHEREAS, The State militia is a part of the scheme of National defense organized by the Governor and his advisors; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That we indorse this policy and extend to our war Governor, his Excellency Walter E. Edge, and to his Adjutant-General, Frederick Gilkyson, our congratulations upon their foresight, zeal and untiring energy, displayed in countless ways for the protection of life and property and aiding the Government in bringing the war to a successful termination.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above concurrent resolution was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were:

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March 23, 1900,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend by inserting a new section as follows:

"2. Whenever the population of any county bordering on the Atantic ocean, in this State, as evidenced by any State or Federal census, is less than thirty thousand, the judge of the Court of Common Pleas of such county shall be paid an annual salary of twenty-four hundred dollars. Such salary shall be paid monthly,

and shall be in lieu of all fees and other compensation, which fees shall be paid into the county treasury."

Change the number of section two of original bill to section three.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Ackerson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Change the word "to" in the third line of the title, between the words "permitted" and "occur", to "or", and strike out the word "it" at the beginning of line 6, of paragraph 2, and change the number of the last paragraph from "2" to "3".

Mr. Ackerson moved that Senate Bill No. 107 be laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and ten, entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion

of Mr. Richards, and the following bills leave the custody of the Senate forthwith:

Senate Bills Nos. 45, 68, 82, 84, 88, 91, 93, 104, 112, 124 and 116; also Asssembly Bills Nos. 93, 36 and 45.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 29th, 1918.

To the Senate:

I am herewith transmitting the report of the New York, New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission. This Commission was appointed by the Governor of New Jersey and Governor of New York, pursuant to Joint Resolutions passed at the last session of the Legislatures of the respective States. Since that time the Commission has been doing commendable work in assisting the Government in its efforts to relieve traffic congestion in the Port of New York and has also made considerable progress on a definite plan to develop New Jersey's interest as a partner in this national institution.

The work of this Commission is a decided step in the direction of preparing New Jersey's interest for the after-the-war problems of commerce, with which the entire nation will be confronted, and I commend the recommendations of the Commission to your favorable consideration.

Attest: Respectfully,

FRANCES E. CROASDALE, *Secretary to the Governor.*
WALTER E. EDGE, *Governor.*

Mr. Richards moved that the Governor's message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes and the usual number of copies be printed, and that the report be received.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 17, 18, 20 and 21, by Committee Substitute, without recommendation.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Richards moved that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 17, 18, 20 and 21, be printed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that when the Senate adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Runyon, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 41, 51, 52, 55, 61, 79, 80, 86, 87, 89, 92, 94 and 95.

Also Assembly Bill No. 43, with Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

COMMITTEE HEARING.

Hearing in Senate Chamber on Monday, February 4th, at 2 P. M., on bills before the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

FRIDAY, February 1st, 1918.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Hammond took the chair as President *pro tempore*.

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore*, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond—1.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 4th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the reading of the Minutes of the Journal of January 28th, 29th and 30th was dispensed with.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 149, 196, 204, 142, 145, 146, 187 and 188,

Assembly Bills Nos. 41, 32 and 79,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be granted to the Honorable John B. Kates, of Camden, New Jersey, a former member of this body.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 155, 159, 163, 157, 161, 160, 197, 198, 199, Committee Substitute for 200, 201 and 143.

Signed—William P. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143 was read and adopted.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 137, 165 and 162, with amendments,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 152 was read and adopted:

Insert in paragraph one, in line two, after the word "line," the words "or with a net, commonly known as a crab net,".

Mr. Conrad moved that Senate Bill No. 105 be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 57, 74, 105, 135, 107 and Committee Substitute for 130,

Assembly Bill No. 10, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, reported,

Senate Bill No. 148.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Emerson L. Richards.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 216,

Assembly Bills Nos. 85, 86 and 90,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 100, 176, 147, 193, 194, 167, 141, 154 and 218.

Assembly Bill No. 98,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred of 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'"

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable water in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable waters in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension from public office, position or employment, after thirty-five years' service of this State, or of any county or city therein, and providing for the payment of such pension,"

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment,"

Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act for the preservation of crabs,"

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to provide for children born out of wedlock,"

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled "An act in relation to municipalities,"

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to actions against members of police departments in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies,' approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled "An act authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers,"

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to 'An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,' approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the division of townships into street-lighting districts, and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said districts,' approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof, approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a

thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which said supplement was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Morris,"

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting proceedings in certain criminal cases in certain cities of the second class in this State and to regulate and increase the powers of the police courts, recorder's courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in any such city, and providing for the appointment and compensation of a city prosecutor and regulating the compensation of judges or recorders presiding over the said courts,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen."

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 140.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 230.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wyckoff, in the county of Bergen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, reported

Senate Bill No. 125,

Favorably.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Emerson L. Richards.

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to establish a public record office,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to

assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President),

McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food in package form,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the word "or" after the word "lands" and before the word "streets" on line 9, section 9.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Strike out the words "street railroad company", 16th line of the first section.

Take out the brackets around "or" in the 19th line of the first section.

Strike out the last eight words of the first section, being the words "or corporation having the right of eminent domain" in the 20th line thereof.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence there.

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the printer be directed to deliver to the Senate fifteen hundred extra copies of Senate Bill No. 1 and Senate Bill No. 2.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That Part 4 of the Journal, page 326, be corrected as follows:

Change Assembly Bill No. 90 to read Senate Bill No. 90.

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend line one, section two, by striking out the word "shall" on said line and substituting the word "may" in lieu thereof.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estates,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various

counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Saurgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand

nine hundred and twelve,' which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 4th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which further supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' whihc said act was

approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 72 entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court, and of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act for the protection of deer,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks, and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties' (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile,"

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' "

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act regulating the business of undertaking, embalming and disposal of dead human bodies, approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the title of which said act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' and which said amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge

of certain officers and employees of this State and the various counties and municipalities thereof and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which further supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which said act was approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court and of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act for the protection of deer, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-

resident decedents by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks, and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties' (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' "

And

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act regulating the business of undertaking, embalming and disposal of dead human bodies,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the title of which said act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' and which said amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and the various counties and municipalities thereof and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries and Social Welfare.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health,

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 4th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy, ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage,' approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 217, 179, 181, 184, 226, 39, 182, 190, and S. J. R. No. 1.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee of Highways, reported

Senate Bill No. 162,

Assembly Bills Nos. 29 and 74,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 15,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Emerson L. Richards.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 126, 153 and 222.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Samuel T. Munson.

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said amendment was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, mainte-

nance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act concerning the solicitation and collection of money or materials within the State of New Jersey, as contributions for eleemosynary objects,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council and Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, "Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and forty-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission,"

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to authorize and to provide for requiring the construction, maintenance and operation of an extension or extensions of street railway tracks in cities of the first class in this State for the purpose of connecting or of making a detour of existing tracks,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish,' approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate fishing by steam and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in the waters of the State of New Jersey, and to require a license for such fishing,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal section nineteen of an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 219.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Samuel T. Munson.

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Richards, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. 130, 57, 74, 135 and 107 be placed on calender for third reading and final passage on Tuesday, February 5th.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and Senate Bill No. 58 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage on Tuesday, February 5th.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 45, 68, 82, 84, 88, 91, 93, 104, 112, 116, 124, 42, 71, 73, 75, 83 and 117; also Assembly Bills Nos. 36, 45 and 93.

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni, and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy, ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage,' approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the

Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 12 o'clock noon, February 5th, 1918.

TUESDAY, February 5th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Mutchler, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 242, entitled "An act giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of land within the State for public purposes,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, reported

Senate Bill No. 173.

Without amendment.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Emerson L. Richards.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 39, 100, 137, 145, 146, 147, 148, 152, 153, 154, 155, 160, 161, 176, 179, 184, 193, 199, 204, 217, 219, 222, 226 and 230,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 195 and 210.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

And

Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Richards—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Sturgess—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Richards, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond,

Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Richards, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Richards, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend Article I, section 2, subdivision 1, page 2, line 18, after the words "United States" omit the comma and insert a semicolon in lieu thereof.

Amend Article I, section 2, subdivision 1, page 2, line 19, omit the words "have heretofore" and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

Amend Article I, section 3, subdivision 2, page 3, line 6, by adding after the words "to any court" the words "of competent jurisdiction". Take the period after the word "court" and place it after the word "jurisdiction".

Amend Article II, section 4, subdivision 2, line 21, omit the words "one thousand" and insert in lieu thereof the words "five hundred".

Amend Article II, section 5, line 5, after the word "stayed" place a comma, and insert after the word "stayed" the words "on such terms as may be just,".

Amend Article II, section 7, subdivision 2, line 9, omit the words "vacate or", change the small "s" in "stay" to a capital "S", and after the word "stay" insert the words "the proceedings in".

Amend Article III, section 10, subdivision 3, line 14, by omitting the words "one thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five hundred".

Amend Article III, section 11, subdivision 1, line 4, by omitting after the words "from a person" the words "or from the assignor of a person".

Amend Article III, section 1, page 6, line 8½, by adding after the word "jurisdiction" the words, "or with the consent of a person who has entered military service." Take the period out after the word "jurisdiction".

Amend Article III, section 11, subdivision 1a, line 10, page 6, by omitting the words "otherwise than as provided in" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "in violation of".

Amend Article III, section 11, subdivision 1a, line 12, page 7, by omitting the words "one thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "five hundred".

Amend Article III, section 11, subdivision 2, page 7, line 17, after the words "on his behalf", insert the words "on such terms as may be just."

Amend Article III, section 12, subdivision 2, line 14, page 7, after the words "in this act" insert the words "on such terms as may be just" place the semicolon after the word "just", and omit it after the word "act".

Amend Article IV, section 13, page 8, line 3, by inserting after the words "property owned" the words "by a person in military service".

Amend Article IV, section 13, page 8, line 4, by omitting the words "a person in military service" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "such person".

Amend Article IV, section 13, page 8, line 17, subdivision 2, by changing period to a semicolon after the word "war", and adding after the word "war" the following: "and if the tax shall remain in arrears on the first day of July next following the

expiration of the termination of such stay of proceedings, the tax collector or other officer charged by law in the taxing district with that duty shall enforce the tax lien by selling the land or any part thereof in accordance with section 51 (as amended) of the act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April 8, 1903; and the tax collector shall file the said unpaid tax in the county clerk's office on or before the first day of February next following the assessment thereof as now required by law, notwithstanding the provisions hereof."

Amend Article V, section 15, subdivision 1, page 10, lines 17 and 18, by striking out the words "it shall be the duty of the foregoing officers to furnish such certificate on application, and", and continuing, change the small "a" to a capital "A" in the word "Any".

Add a new section to be known as "Section 19" to read as follows:

"19. This act shall take effect immediately."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. 43, 85, 103, 106, 108, 110, 111, 114, 115, 123 and 134; also Assembly Bill No. 17, leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Jesse Feinberg, Assistant City Counsel, Bayonne, N. J.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis and to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved April twenty-first,

one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved to recommit Senate Bill No. 69 to Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

The Secretary read a communication submitting a report from the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, which report was ordered received, on motion of Mr. Richards.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. 39, 100, 137, 145, 146, 147, 148, 152, 153, 154, 155, 160, 161, 176, 179, 184, 193, 199, 204, 217, 219, 222, 226 and 230, be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage Wednesday, February 6th, 198.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 119.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No. 105, by Committee Substitute,

Favorably.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Lewis T. Stevens, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105 was read and adopted:

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 171, 220,

Assembly Bill No. 128.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 142, 159, 163, 165, 182, 197, 198, 216,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 118,

Assembly Bills Nos. 11 and 16.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of striped bass,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and

gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 118, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to authorize municipalities in this State to purchase and distribute food supplies in cases of emergency,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15 was read and adopted, on motion of Mr. Richards.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15, which were read and adopted:

An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds.

Amend line 7, section 709, by substituting the word "shall" for "need", making it read "shall not be made in cash."

Amend line 7, section 709, by substituting the word "shall" for "may" making it read "shall be made by debits and credits."

Amend line 15, section 112, after the word "Blind" insert the following: "The State Institution for Feeble Minded".

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 5, entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from State funds" (Revision of 1918),

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. 142, 159, 163, 165, 182, 197, 198 and 216 were placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage on Wednesday, February 6th.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:45 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof, approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran

(President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which said supplement was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Morris,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Wells —12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards moved to recommit Assembly Bill No. 15 to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor

vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Mackay moved to recommit Assembly Bill No. 46 to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which was agreed to.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. McGlennon asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 3, line 13, by striking out the words "and remove at pleasure."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting proceedings in certain criminal cases in certain cities of the second class in this State and to regulate and increase the powers of the police courts, recorder's courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in any such city, and providing for the appointment and compensation of a city prosecutor and regulating the compensation of judges or recorders presiding over the said courts,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act providing for the purchase, storage and sale of food and fuel by municipalities,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor

vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was was read and adopted:

On line 6, after the words "showing a white", add the words "or yellow".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 5th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or

other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,"

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a bridge or tunnel across the Delaware river in co-operation with the city of Philadelphia or the State of Pennsylvania, or both, and a bridge or tunnel across the Hudson river in co-operation with the city or State of New York, or both, for vehicular or other traffic,"

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,' which further supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to authorize any municipality in this State to make annual appropriations for the purpose of conducting and maintaining dental clinics in any such municipality for the free treatment of indigent persons of school age,"

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting county physicians," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,' approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of motor vehicles for commercial purposes,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred

and six," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' as amended by the act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering, and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to appoint to its fire or police departments any person now serving in the military or naval service of the United States or subject to service therein, without pay during the period thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Hudson,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to cede to the mayor and common council of Jersey City certain lands of the State now and heretofore under the tidewaters of Communipaw bay, and to establish tidewater basin adjacent thereto,' approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a bridge or tunnel across the Delaware river in co-operation with the city of Philadelphia or the State of Pennsylvania, or both, and a bridge or tunnel across the Hudson river in co-operation with the city or State of New York, or both, for vehicular or other traffic,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,' which further supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to authorize any municipality in this State to make annual appropriations for the purpose of conducting and maintaining dental clinics in any such municipality for the free treatment of indigent persons of school age,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting county physicians," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,' approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of motor vehicles for commercial purposes,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act

entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' as amended by the act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering, and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to appoint to its fire or police departments any person now serving in the military or naval service of the United States or subject to service therein, without pay during the period thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Hudson,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to cede to the mayor and common council of Jersey City certain lands of the State now and heretofore under the tidewaters of Communipaw bay, and to establish tidewater basin adjacent thereto,' approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 5th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioner of Labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the Department of Labor,"

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof'" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914),

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 207, 174,

Assembly Bills No. 167, 195, 196, 154 and 197,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 167,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 172,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 77 and 78,

Favorably.

Signed—David G. Conrad, William N. Runyon, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four),'"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' "

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act regulating the business of undertaking, embalming and disposal of dead human bodies,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the title of which said act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to remove limitations imposed by the State of New Jersey upon the development and

use of lands and lands under water which may have been granted to any municipality in this State,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following bills were ordered to leave the custody of the Senate forthwith, on motion of Mr. Richards:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 130, as amended, Senate Bills Nos. 107 and 44; Assembly Bills Nos. 85, 86, 90, 41, 79, 74, 32, 10 with Senate amendments, 75 with Senate amendments.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 43, 85, 103, 106, 108, 110, 111, 114, 115, 123, 134, 44, 57, 74, 97, 102, 107, 131, 132 and 135;

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 17, 85, 86, 90, 41, 79, 74, 32 and 10, with Senate amendments.

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to authorize the commissioner of labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the department of labor,"

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof'" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914),

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 52, entitled "A act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Senate Bill No. 53, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their

officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, towships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, February 6th, 1918.

WEDNESDAY, February 6th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—15.

The following communication was received from Mr. McCran, the President:

January 6th, 1918.

I hereby name Senator Richards to perform the duties of the Chair on February 6th, 1918.

THOMAS F. McCRAN,
President of the Senate.

Mr. Stevens, for Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Senate Bill No. 208,

Favorably.
Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Samuel T. Munson.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said amendment

was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to actions against members of the police departments in this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Stevens—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled "An act authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council of Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the queston, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred of 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—13.

In the negative was—

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay,

Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —12.

In the negative were—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Mackay moved that Senate Bill No. 226 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary,

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson moved that Senate Bill No. 220 be recommitted to the Committee on Game and Fisheries,

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wyckoff, in the county of Bergen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative were—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies,' approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.' "

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Runyon,

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 202, without recommendation.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, Senate Bills Nos. 125, 126, 140, 141, 149, 157, 162, 181, 187, 188, 190, 194, 196, 118, 119, 171, 174, 195, 207, 210, 218 and 220.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Case, for Mr. Richard, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 15, favorably, with amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 15 was read and adopted:

Amend section one, line two, by striking out the word "June" and inserting in the place thereof the word "July".

Amend section one, line three, by striking out the words "thirty-first day of May" and inserting in the place thereof the words "thirtieth day of June".

Amend section one, line three, by striking out the word "June" and inserting in the place thereof the word "July".

Amend section one, line four, by striking out the word "twenty" and inserting in the place thereof the word "eighteen".

Amend section two so that it will read "Each department of the State government, board, commission, charitable or correctional institutions, or any other State agency requiring an annual appropriation from the State, heretofore required to present a request therefor to the Governor on or before November fifteenth of each year, under the provisions of chapter 15 of the laws of 1916, shall hereafter present such request on or before October fifteenth of each year beginning October fifteenth, 1918. The Comptroller of the Treasury is hereby directed, empowered, and it shall be his duty to make a proper apportionment of all money appropriated for the expenses of any department of the State government, board, commission, charitable or correctional institution or any other State agency for the fiscal year beginning November first, 1917, to meet the requirements made necessary by this act, in which the fiscal year beginning November first, 1917, and ending October thirty-first, 1918, is abridged to end June thirtieth, 1918."

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and Senate Bills Nos. S. J. R. 1, 125, 126, 140, 141, 149, 157, 162, 181, 187, 188, 190, 194, 196, 118, 119, 171, 174, 195, 207, 210, 218 and 220 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage Thursday, February 7th, 1918.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public

Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State,' approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mackay moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:15 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —18.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 156.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 233 and 214,

Assembly Bill No. 219.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Case, for Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Case moved that Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6 be printed, which was agreed to.

Mr. Case, for Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 2 and 3

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 143 by Committee Substitute, and Senate Bill No. 172,

Assembly Bill No. 75, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 63

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs' (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which said act was approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a bridge or tunnel across the Delaware river in co-operation with the city of Philadelphia or the State of Pennsylvania, or both, and a bridge or tunnel across the Hudson river in co-operation with the city or State of New York, or both, for vehicular and other traffic,"

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, navigable rivers which are boundaries of the State, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridge or tunnel shall connect,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to cede to the mayor and common council of Jersey City certain lands of the State now and heretofore under the tidewaters of Communipaw bay, and to establish tidewater basin adjacent thereto,' approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 6th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an interstate bridge and tunnel commission, and to define its powers and duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to create within the Department of Labor a negro welfare and employment bureau, fixing the compensation of the chief and defining the duties of said bureau,"

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the supplement thereto approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to enable municipalities to pay for certain improvements left or to be left uncompleted because of war conditions, and to authorize the assessment of benefits for any completed portion of any such improvement prior to the completion of the whole thereof, and validating improvement certificates issued or to be issued in payment thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act requiring all able-bodied male persons, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, to be regularly or continuously engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation or employment, whenever, because of a state of war, the Governor determines such employment to be necessary and essential for the protection and welfare of the State and of the United States, and providing the procedure for carrying this act into effect and penalties for noncompliance therewith,"

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the burial of bodies of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, the marking of

their graves with suitable headstones and the care and preservation of their graves,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act vesting the title of the property of extinct Methodist Episcopal Churches and Methodist Episcopal Societies of 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church' in 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church,' and authorizing and empowering said conference to sell and convey the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of a home for the care, maintenance, education and training of orphan colored children,"

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to vacate public roads or highways which have been unworked and unused for a period of not less than twenty years,"

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to authorize the appropriation of money for agricultural extension work and the promotion of home economics,"

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases,"

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition of the building and lot or tract of land whereon the same is situate in the town of Morristown, on the northeast side of South street, known as the Library and Lyceum property of the Morristown Library and Lyceum, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, for a battalion armory in the town of Morristown, for State military purposes,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act concerning police justices in the villages of this State,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an interstate bridge and tunnel commission, and to define its powers and duties,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to create within the Department of Labor a negro welfare and employment bureau, fixing the compensation of the chief and defining the duties of said bureau,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the supplement thereto approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to enable municipalities to pay for certain improvements left or to be left uncompleted because of war conditions, and to authorize the assessment of benefits for any completed portion of any such improvement prior to the completion of the whole thereof, and validating improvement certificates issued or to be issued in payment thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act requiring all able-bodied male persons, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, to be regularly or continuously engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation or employment, whenever, because of a state of war, the Governor determines such employment to be necessary and essential for the protection and welfare of the State and of the United States, and providing the procedure for carrying this act into effect and penalties for noncompliance therewith,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the burial of the bodies of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, the marking of their graves with suitable headstones and the care and preservation of their graves,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act vesting the title of the property of extinct Methodist Episcopal Churches and Methodist Episcopal Societies of 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church' in 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church,' and authorizing and empowering said conference to sell and convey the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of a home for the care, maintenance, education and training of orphan colored children,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to vacate public roads or highways which have been unworked and unused for a period of not less than twenty years,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to authorize the appropriation of money for agricultural extension work and the promotion of home economics,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases,"

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition of the building and lot or tract of land whereon the same is situate in the town of Morristown, on the northeast side of South street, known as the Library and Lyceum property of the Morristown Library and Lyceum, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, for a battalion armory in the town of Morristown, for State military purposes,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act concerning police justices in the villages of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committe on Boroughs and Townships.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 6th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the National Guard,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty,"

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

And

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries," ' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Hammond offered the following resolution, which was read:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 78, for further consideration,

and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable water in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Case, for Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 1.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an interstate bridge and tunnel commission, and to define its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143, and Senate Bill No. 142 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage, Thursday, February 7th.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 101, 224, 223 and 241.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 221.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for deputy keepers and guards employed in or about the New Jersey State Prison and New Jersey State Reformatory,"

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"'"

Senate Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the National Guard,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty,"

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

And

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,"' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Thursday, 12 o'clock noon, February 7th.

THURSDAY, February 7th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 12:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 123,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 191,

With amendment.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 191 was read and adopted:

Amend section 7, line 1, by omitting the word "nineteenth" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ninetieth".

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 157 and 158,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess.

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to establish a Board of Estimate and Apportionment in counties of the first class and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting county physicians," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and

seventy-six,' approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of motor vehicles for commercial purposes,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' as amended by the act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Joint Resolution No. 1, "Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and forty-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate joint resolution pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish,' approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 118, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:45 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and, under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call.

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate Bills Nos. 195, 196 and 197 be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture.

Which was agreed to.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 7th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation

of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to provide for the collection from mutual associations and stock companies writing workmen's compensation or employers' liability insurance in this

State, of funds to defray the expenses incurred by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance in carrying out the provisions of the act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of salary by municipal officers or employees, illegally dismissed from such office or employment,"

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships," approved March tenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,"

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and inspection of public eating houses and places, and the posting of ratings of such public eating places, in municipalities of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands

subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act en-

titled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan assocsiations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a third reading, and refered to the Committee on Banks and Insuance.

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to provide for the collection from mutual associations and stock companies writing workmen's compensation or employers' liability insurance in this State, of funds to defray the expenses incurred by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance in carrying out the provisions of the act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of salary by municipal officers or employees, illegally dimissed from such office or employment,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the contruction, alteration or repair of public works,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industies, and Social Welfare.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and inspection of public eating houses and places, and the posting of ratings of such public eating places, in municipalities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 7th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to supplement and amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to estab-

lish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food in package form,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Without amendment.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 7th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

With Assembly amendments,

And

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of

1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

With Assembly amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 116 were taken up and read three times and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 117 were taken up and read three times and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15, as amended, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from State funds" (Revision of 1918),

As amended,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative was—

Mr. McGlennon—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved to take up on third reading and final passage Assembly Bills Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of an interstate bridge and tunnel commission, and to define its powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a bridge or tunnel across the Delaware river in co-operation with the city of Philadelphia or the State of Pennsylvania, or both, and a bridge or tunnel across the Hudson river in co-operation with the city or State of New York, or both, for vehicular or other traffic,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative was—

Mr. McGlennon—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards presented a report of the Board of Commerce and Navigation of the State of New Jersey, which was read.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That 250 copies of the report of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, relative to the improvement of the Pas-

saic river, be printed, with the exception of the maps included in said report.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 244, entitled "An act to repeal the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Dundee Manufacturing Company, in the county of Bergen,' passed March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, and the several acts supplemental thereto and amendatory thereof,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 101, 156, 173, 202, 214, 221, 233, 241, 208, 223 and 224,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 176, 202, 203, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210 and 211,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 120 and 71.

Signed—Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Wells, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 247.

Signed—Harold B. Wells, Collins B. Allen.

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insur-

ance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of

1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to authorize the appropriation of money for agricultural extension work and the promotion of home economics,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 6th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 78, for further consideration.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. 101, 156, 173, 202, 214, 221, 233, 241, 208, 223, 224 and Committee Substitute for 105, were placed upon the calendar for third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that when the Senate adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn, it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "A supplement to an act enittled 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled

'An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to supplement and amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food in package form,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS.

The Committee on Boroughs and Townships will give a hearing on Senate Bill No. 195, Wednesday, February 13th, at 11 Senate Chamber.

A committee hearing will be given on Assembly Bills Nos. 157 and 158, Monday, February 11th, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the Senate Chamber.

FRIDAY, February 8th, 1918.

Mr. Hammond took the chair as President.

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore*, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond—1.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 11th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

The following communication was received from Mr. McCran, President, and read:

February 11th, 1918.

I hereby designate Senator Richards to perform the duties of the chair on February 11th, 1918.

(Signed) THOMAS F. McCRAN,
President of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Mackay the reading of the Minutes of the Journal of February 4, 5, 6 and 7th was dispensed with.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 234,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills No. 116 and 117, with Assembly amendments embodied therein,

And Senate Bills Nos. 191 and 81,

Assembly Bill No. 15, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess.

The President announced that Senate Bills Nos. 116 and 117, with Assembly amendments embodied therein, were compared in open Senate and found to be correctly printed.

Mr. Hammond offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 79 and 41, for further consideration.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon. V. Frank Goble, a former member of the Pennsylvania State Senate.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bill No. 209, with committee amendments,

Assembly Bills Nos. 270, 44, 194 and 213.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

On motion of Mr. Hammond, amendments to Senate Bill No. 209 were ordered to be printed.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 280,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 97 and 164.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Bill No. 237,

Favorably.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Mr. Mutchler, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading rooms,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Munson, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, register of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Joseph M. Branegan and the Hon. Peter M. O'Connor, of Harrison, N. J.

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriation of money therefor,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 245.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Pilgrim moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 202, 203, 206 and 211 be recommitted to Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Allen moved that Senate Bill No. 147 be recommitted to Committee on Agriculture.

There being no objections, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mutchler, and Senate Bill No. 245 was placed on second reading.

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading rooms,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,"

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act requiring all able-bodied male persons, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, to be regularly or continuously engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation or employment, whenever, because of a state of war, the Governor determines such employment to be necessary and essential for the protection and welfare of the State and of the United States, and providing the procedure for carrying this act into effect and penalties for non-compliance therewith,"

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and the various counties and municipalities thereof and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to provide for the collection from mutual associations and stock companies writing workmen's compensation or employers' liability insurance in this State, of funds to defray the expenses incurred by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance in carrying out the provisions of the act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensa-

tion and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and inspection of public eating houses and places, and the posting of ratings of such public eating places, in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities having a public water supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which such water is derived, or through which it flows, a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage and other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "An act constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for deputy keepers and guards employed in or about the New Jersey State Prison and New Jersey State Reformatory,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend line one by striking out the word "continue" and insert the word "constitute" in lieu thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hammond, said bill was laid over.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 11th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 79 and 41 for further consideration.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Mackay moved that the vote by which Assembly amendments to

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

were concurred in be reconsidered, which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 11th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Senate be requested to return to the House of Assembly, Senate Bill No. 116, with House amendments, for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, the above resolution was concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 9, line 10, by inserting after the word "shall" and before the word "also", on the said line, the following: "present to the said State Board of Architects, a certificate, signed by the Commissioner of Education, stating that said applicants".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 224, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of architecture,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," ' "

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to provide for children born out of wedlock,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Hammond, Pilgrim, Richards—4.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Florance, Runyon—4.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-

seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative were—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Marten, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess.—15.

In the negative were—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Mackay moved the following correction of the Journal:

On page 419, Part 5 of the Journal, strike out lines 14 and 15, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Mr. Allen moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 195, 196 and 197 be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture."

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable waters in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Hammond moved that Senate Bill No. 157 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Strugess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Mackay moved that Senate Bill No. 156 be placed on third reading and final passage.

Agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs' (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 3, by omitting the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may."

On same line, after the word "be" add "in the discretion of the Borough Council."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to authorize and to provide for requiring the construction, maintenance and operation of an extension or extensions of street railway tracks in cities of the first class in this State for the purpose of connecting or of making a detour of existing tracks,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the period at the end of line 13, on page 2, and insert a semicolon in lieu thereof, then add the following words: "*and provided, further,* that no authority to extend and operate any street railway in pursuance of this act shall be for a longer term than fifty years".

On motion of Mr. Hammond, said bill was laid over.

On motion of Mr. Pilgrim, Senate Bill No. 90 was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following amendment, which was read:

On line 20, paragraph 1, as amended, strike out the comma after the word "municipalities" and insert in place thereof a period. Strike out the remaining language of said paragraph as contained in amendment made January thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Richards—1.

There being no objections, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

As amended, was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Pilgrim, said bill was laid over.

On motion of Mr. Fithian, Senate Bill No. 221 was laid over indefinitely.

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Stevens,

Senate Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate fishing by steam and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in the waters of the State of New Jersey, and to require a license for such fishing,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Stevens asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stevens offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the words "A portion of, and to repeal a portion of" and also both commas in the first line of the title of the bill.

After the word "employer" in line 10, section 1, insert the following:

"Provided, however, that any person licensed in accordance with the provisions of this act may take menhaden with a purse or shirred net in the waters of Monmouth and Ocean counties, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of said counties, and provided, further, that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, corporation or corporations, to use or employ any vessel of more than forty tons net tonnage for taking fish with such purse or shirred nets in the waters of Sandy Hook or Raritan bays in the county of Monmouth."

Strike out section 2 of the bill and substitute therefor the following:

"2. Section two of the above entitled act is amended so as to read as follows:

2. Whenever any person or persons, corporation or corporations, may intend to take menhaden with such purse or shirred nets in the waters of Monmouth or Ocean counties, or both, including the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of said counties, such person or persons, corporation or corporations, shall make an application therefor to the board of fish and game commissioners of this State."

On motion of Mr. Stevens, said bill was laid over.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 175, 174, 152, 153, 119, 115, 108, 30, 131, 14, 150, 218 and 189.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—17.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 233,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 46, 156 and 268,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian.

Mr. Mackay, for Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
February 11th, 1918.

Hon. Thomas F. McCran, President of the Senate:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith the report of the delegates appointed to represent New Jersey at the Congress of the States of the Union to consider conflicting jurisdiction of the Federal and State Governments and to establish a definite line of division between Federal and State taxes.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, the Governor's message was received, and was ordered spread in full upon the Minutes, and the report be received and filed.

There being no objections, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and Senate Bills Nos. 191 and 81 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passages, Tuesday, February 12th, 1918.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' and which said amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties' (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which further supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the supplement thereto approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Hudson,"

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to vacate public roads or highways which have been unworked and unused for a period of not less than twenty years,"

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition of the building and lot or tract of land whereon the same is situate in the town of Morristown, on the northeast side of South street, known as the Library and Lyceum property of the Morristown Library and Lyceum, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, for a battalion armory in the town of Morristown, for State military purposes,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 39, C. S. for 130, 133, 155, 160, 161, 163, 165, 184, 193, 204, 219, 222, 230.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 16, 128, 154, 75, with Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, the Senate then adjourned until 11 o'clock Tuesday, February 12th.

TUESDAY, February 12th, 1918.

At 11 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—17.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 103,

With committee amendments.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Emerson L. Richards.

The following committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 103 was read and adopted:

In section 1, line 2, after the second comma, take out "Not exceeding two thousand dollars in any one year".

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Senate Bill No. 242, by Committee Substitute,

Assembly Bill No. 64,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—James Hammond, George F. Martens, Jr.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242, entitled "An act giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of land within the State for public purposes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to authorize any municipality in this State to make annual appropriations for the purpose of conducting and maintaining dental clinics in any such municipality for the free treatment of indigent persons of school age,"

With committee amendment,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the burial of the bodies of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, the marking of their graves with suitable headstones and the care and preservation of their graves,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay moved that Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 191 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Hammond moved that Senate Bill No. 101 be laid over indefinitely.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to authorize and to provide for requiring the construction, maintenance and operation of an extension or extensions of street railway tracks in cities of the first class in this State for the purpose of connecting or of making a detour of existing tracks,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

As amended;

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Richards—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Richards—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 153, 237 and 245

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mutchler and

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading rooms,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards and

Senate Bill No. 245 leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of striped bass,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting county

physicians," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,' approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan assocsiations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Runyon—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Mackay—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which said act was approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Runyon—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of motor vehicles for commercial purposes,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' as amended by the act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act to cede to the mayor and common council of Jersey City certain lands of the State now and heretofore under the tidewaters of Communipaw bay, and to establish tide-

water basin adjacent thereto,' approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to authorize municipalities in this State to purchase and distribute food supplies in cases of emergency,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment by counties of the first class in this State of parental schools, to provide for the procuring of lands to be used in connection therewith, and to purchase, erect or construct such schools, and to provide for the government of the same,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the welfare of children,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal section nineteen of an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend paragraph 1, line 22, by adding after the word "starlings" the word "gulls".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate had passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to authorize the appropriation of money for agricultural extension work and the promotion of home economics,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 220, with amendment,

Assembly Bill No. 101, with Senate amendment,

Favorably.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 220 was read and adopted:

Amend paragraph 2, page 2, by striking out the whole of said paragraph from line 1 to line 23.

Amend paragraph 3, page 2, line 1, by striking out the figure 3 and inserting the figure 2 in place thereof.

The following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 101 was read and adopted:

Section 1, strike out all of line 9, after the word "hair".

Strike out all of lines 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, and all of line 16 to and including the word "removed" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Provided, that upon receipt of complaint at the office of the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners from the owner or lessee of any cultivated land that deer have damaged crops, one of the members of the board, the fish and game protector, or assistant fish and game protector, shall immediately make an investigation of said complaint, and if it is shown that deer have damaged crops, a permit may be issued to such owner or

lessee to kill deer, and said permit shall designate the time and manner of killing, the land on which deer may be killed, and any other restriction which may be deemed proper. The carcass of any deer killed under such permit shall become the property of the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners and may be removed and disposed of in such manner as the said commission shall direct.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 26,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 127, with amendments,

Senate Bill No. 191, by Committee Substitute,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 127 was read and adopted:

Amend section 3 as printed, by striking the same out and substituting in place thereof the following:

3. It shall be the duty of the county supervisor to exercise a constant supervision over the conduct of all subordinate officers and employees, and to examine into all complaints made against any of them for violation or neglect of duty, and if it is found that any officer or employee is guilty of the charges brought against him, the county supervisor may suspend or remove him, as the case may seem to require, and generally to perform all such duties as may be required of him by law or ordinance. For such purposes the county supervisor shall have power to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and records in such county pertinent to such examination. The fees for such witnesses for attendance and travel shall be the same as for witnesses before the Courts of Common Pleas, and shall be paid in the same manner as fees for witnesses before such courts. Any disobedience to or neglect of any subpœna issued by the said county supervisor, or any refusal to testify, shall be certified in writing by the county supervisor

to the judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which such disobedience occurred, who shall thereupon, by a warrant issued to the sheriff of the county, direct the production of the body of the person so disobeying, and upon the production of the body of such person, shall, in a summary way, inquire into the cause of such disobedience, and if no sufficient cause be shown therefor, shall, by a commitment issued under his hand, directed to the keeper of the common jail of said county, order the detention in such common jail of such person for such period of time, not exceeding ninety days, as said judge in said commitment shall designate, or until such person shall purge himself of such disobedience. Any person who shall knowingly give false testimony before such county supervisor, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 191 was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

As amended.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to establish a board of estimate and apportionment in counties of the first class and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 127, entitled "An act creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State,"

As amended,

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act for the protection of deer,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs: Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bill No. 64 by Committee Substitute.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Cofmittee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon ,Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the hearing and determination of disputes or matters affecting the domestic relation, and conferring jurisdiction upon the county juvenile courts,' approved April second, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and

regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—13.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Runyon—11.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act regulating the business of undertaking, embalming and disposal of dead human bodies,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the title of which said act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Barber asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Barber offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

On page 2, line 15, insert the word "seven" at end of line in lieu of the word "six".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to remove limitations imposed by the State of New Jersey upon the development and use of lands and lands under water which may have been granted to any municipality in this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond,

Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act requiring all able-bodied male persons, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, to be regularly or continuously engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation or employment, whenever, because of a state of war, the Governor determines such employment to be necessary and essential for the protection and welfare of the State and of the United States, and providing the procedure for carrying this act into effect and penalties for noncompliance therewith,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and the various counties and municipalities thereof and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to provide for the collection from mutual associations and stock companies writing workmen's compensation or employers' liability insurance in this State, of funds to defray the expenses incurred by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance in carrying out the provisions of the act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and inspection of public eating houses and places, and the posting of ratings of such public eating places, in municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran ((President), McGlennon, Munson, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities having a public water supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which such water is derived, or through which it flows, a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage and other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' and which said amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 178, with amendments.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 178 were read and adopted:

Strike out paragraph two and add in lieu thereof a new paragraph, as follows:

2. Amend paragraph one as follows:

1. The State Highway Commission shall as soon as practicable lay out routes for a State Highway System as follows:

ROUTES.

Route No. 1. From Elizabeth to Trenton, by way of Rahway Metuchen, New Brunswick and Hightstown.

Route No. 2. From Trenton to Camden, by way of Bordentown, Fieldsboro, Roebling and Burlington.

Route No. 3. From Camden to Absecon, by way of Berlin and Bellevue avenue, Hammonton.

Route No. 4. From a point on Route No. 1 in or near Rahway to Absecon, by way of Perth Amboy, Keyport, Middletown, Red Bank, Long Branch, Asbury Park, Point Pleasant, Lakewood, Toms River, Tuckerton and New Gretna.

Route No. 5. From Newark to the bridge crossing the Delaware river about two miles above Delaware, by way of Morristown, Dover, Netcong, Budd's Lake, Hackettstown, Buttsville and Delaware.

Route No. 6. From Camden to Bridgeton and Salem, by way of Woodbury, Mullica Hill, Woodstown and Pole Tavern.

Route No. 7. From Hightstown to Asbury Park, by way of Freehold, Jerseyville and Hamilton.

Route No. 8. From Montclair to State line at Unionville, by way of Singac, Wayne, Pompton Plains, Butler, New Foundland, Stockholm, Franklin Furnace and Sussex.

Route No. 9. From Elizabeth to Phillipsburg, by way of Westfield, Plainfield, Bound Brook, Somerville, White House, Clinton, West Portal and Bloomsbury.

Route No. 10. From Paterson to Fort Lee Ferry, by way of Dundee Lake and Hackensack.

Route No. 11. From Newark to Paterson, by way of Belleville, Bloomfield, Nutley and Passaic.

Route No. 12. From Paterson to Phillipsburg, by way of Little Falls, Pine Brook, Parsippany, Denville, thence over Route No. 5 to Budd's Lake, thence to Washington and Broadway.

Route No. 13. New Brunswick to Trenton, by way of Franklin Park, Kingston, Princeton and Lawrenceville.

Route No. 14. From Egg Harbor City to Cape May City, by way of Mays Landing, Tuckahoe and Cape May Court House.

Route No. 15. From Bridgeton to Cape May Court House, or such other point on Route No. 14 as may be determined by the State Highway Commission.

Said routes shall be as short and direct as practicable between the points specified, due regard being had for the other requirements of the act.

Existing highways may be made use of wherever it is convenient so to do, but the commission may lay out, open and improve new roads over acquired rights of way, and may also lay out routes in continuation of, connecting with, or in addition to the routes above specified.

Add a new paragraph three as follows:

3. This act shall take effect immediately.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246 was read and adopted.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, with amendment.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

The following amendment to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192 was read and adopted:

Change the period in line 12 to a semicolon and add the following words: "*provided, however,* that said incidental expenses incurred, including printing, shall not exceed one hundred and twenty-five dollars each quarter."

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 231, with amendments, and 124, without amendment.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

The following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 231 was read and adopted:

Strike out the word "tribunal" in line 3 of section one, and insert in lieu thereof the word "court."

Senate Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

As amended,

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246,

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of salary by municipal officers or employees, illegally dimissed from such office or employment,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act vesting the title of the property of extinct Methodist Episcopal Churches and Methodist Episcopal Societies of 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church' in 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church,' and authorizing and empowering said conference to sell and convey the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 12th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act creating a department of State police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act creating a department of State police, providng for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 12th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

Without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to prevent the advertising, labeling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age,"

With Assembly amendment.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 71 were taken up and read three times, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Hammond moved that Senate Bill No. 241 be recommitted to the Committee on Labor, Industries and Social Welfare.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and Committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 8 were read and adopted:

Amend the title by striking out the comma following the word "eleven" and inserting in lieu thereof a period, and by striking out all of said title following the word "eleven".

Paragraph 1, line 3, strike out "a secretary, such referees, process servers, stenographer, clerks," and substitute the phrase "for which service he shall receive the sum of fifteen hundred dollars per year, three deputy commissioners of compensation, one of whom shall be its sercetary, and such referees".

Paragraph 2, line 1, introduce after the word "The" the words "deputy commissioners".

Paragraph 2, line 7, strike out "referees and other employees now in the employ of the Workmen's Compensation Bureau shall be transferred to the corresponding positions in the bureau created by this act," and substitute the phrase "and referees now holding office in the Workmen's Compensation Aid Bureau shall be appointed deputy commissioners of compensation, and the other employees of the Workmen's Compensation Aid Bureau shall be transferred to such positions in the bureau created by this act as the Commissioner of Labor shall direct,"

Paragraph 2, line 11, strike out "secretary" and substitute "deputy commissioners".

Paragraph 3, line 1, strike out "secretary" and substitute "deputy commissioners".

Paragraph 4, line 6, following the words "bind the" insert the words "employer or".

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, providing for the establishment of a workmen's compensation bureau to aid in carrying out the provisions of said act,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment:

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks, and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties' (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which further supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Florance, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the supplement thereto approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 2, line 21, by inserting after the semicolon following the word "appropriations" the following: *"provided, however,* that any moneys received pursuant to the laws relating to motor vehicles shall be deposited in the State Treasury as heretofore and held there for the purposes to which the same are now devoted by law, but shall be included in the annual appropriation for disbursement under the supervision of the State financial officers in the same manner as otheh appropriations;"

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—13.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Hudson,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That Rule 38 be suspended for the remainder of the session;

Further resolved, That Senate and House bills, when passed by the Senate, be signed by the President and delivered forthwith by the Secretary to the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to vacate public roads or highways which have been unworked and unused for a period of not less than twenty years,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Hammond moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Was passed, be reconsidered, which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend the title as follows:

Strike out the period after the word "duties", insert a comma in lieu thereof and add the following words:

"Approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 243, with committee amendments.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 243 was read and adopted:

Amend by adding sections 3 and 4, as follows:

3. Section 2 of the act to which this act is an amendment so that it shall read, "Each department of the State government, board, commission, charitable or correctional institution, or any other State agency, requiring an annual appropriation from the State, shall present a request therefor to the Governor on or before October fifteenth of each year. Any organization, body, committee or person intending to request an appropriation from the Legislature for any particular object or purpose or for any new annual expenditure, shall likewise present such request to the Governor on or before October fifteenth".

4. Section 7 of the act to which this act is an amendment so that it shall read, "On October fifteenth of each year, and thereafter as required, the Comptroller and State Treasurer shall jointly transmit to the Governor, in such form as he shall direct, a summary of the financial condition of the State. This report shall show, in condensed form, the financial condition of the State for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth preceding, the amounts expended and the amounts received, the sources and amounts of income, and the free balance in the treasury. He shall also furnish similar information, as nearly as the same can be ascertained, for the current year. The report shall likewise show the probable sources of revenue and the probable estimate of the State's income available for appropriations for the next fiscal year for which the Legislature will be requested to make appropriations".

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State,' approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,' approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 245, Com. Sub. for 15, 118, 125, 126, Com. Sub. for 143, 149, 181, 182, 217, S. J. R. 1, 16, 81, 156, 171, 218 and 223; also, Assembly Bills Nos. 11, 22, 23, 29, 63, 120, 123, 157, 158, 207, 208, 209, 210, 219 and 247.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Wednesday, at 11 o'clock A. M.

WEDNESDAY, February 13th, 1918.

At 11 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Ackerson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out line 4, section 1, and substitute in place thereof the following: "a sum not to exceed thirty thousand dollars, which when included in any appropriation act shall be used and expended by him and under his".

Mr. Mackay moved that the Senate take a recess until 11:45 A. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 215 and 232.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater,"

And

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water-supply commissioners in the water-supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water-supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water-Supply District and the South Jersey Water-Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary

therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

As amended;

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 220, Committee Substitute for 242,

Assembly Bills Nos. 71, 101 and 103,

All with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen, George F. Martens, Jr.

The President announced that Assembly Bills Nos. 71, 101 and 103, all with Senate amendments embodied therein, were compared in open Senate and found to be correctly printed.

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative— None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the queston, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were:

Messrs: Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to 'An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commission-

ers in said district,' approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the division of townships into street-lighting districts, and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said districts,' approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative was—

Mr. Case—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Florance, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Mutchler offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be granted to the Hon. Charles A. Rathbun, former State Senator from the county of Morris.

Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act relating to salaries, wages and compensation of officers, employees, servants and agents, to be paid out of the funds of a county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled " An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up.

Mr. Ackerson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following amendment, which was read:

Amend lines 17 and 18 by changing the words "twenty-five dollars" to read "fifty dollars",

And adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Stevens, Wells—8.

In the negative was—

Mr. Pilgrim—1.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 16, by omitting the word "a" after the word "wherein".

Change the word "court", in the same line, to "courts".

Omit the word "is", on same line, and insert in lieu thereof the word "are".

On same line, after the word "established" and before the word "if", insert the words "by judicial districts".

Senate Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

As amended,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Mackay, McGlennon—4.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Case, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—4.

Mr. Wells offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Samuel Robbins, of Moorestown, a former member and President of this body.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act for the protection of deer,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and

Under the direction of the President *pro tempore,* the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mutchler, and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242, entitled "An act giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of lands within the State for public purposes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 127,

Assembly Bills Nos. 14, 167 and 231, all with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

On motion of Mr. Conrad, Senate Bill No. 232 was recommitted to Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
February 13th, 1918.

To the Senate:

I am returning herewith Senate Bill No. 134 without my approval, for the reason that there seems to be no pressing de-

mand or need for such an amendment to the act concerning corporations. The purpose of the bill seems to be to permit certain corporations to buy gold and silver bullion or foreign coins, and I am informed that the amendment was sought in the belief that section three of the Corporations Act would prohibit a corporation carrying on the business of manufacturing jewelry or gold or silver wire for use of jewelers.

I am advised that this act has not been so interpreted as to class the purchase of gold or silver bullion or foreign coins for the purpose of manufacturing jewelry from it as banking, and therefore the amendment does not seem to be at all necessary. As a general policy I should say that an act like the corporations law should be altered only when absolutely necessary.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
February 13th, 1918.

To the Senate:

I am returning herewith Senate Bill No. 87 without my approval, for the reason that this is a special act, and there is no proof that the proposed act was properly advertised according to the law.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

The veto messages of the Governor were read and laid over under the rules.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 185.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water

supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary thereof,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 195,

With amendment.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 195 was read and adopted:

Amend section 3, line 2, by inserting after the word "the", at the beginning of the line, the words "incorporation of the".

Section 4, line 2, strike out the words "election district most" and insert the words "township of Berkeley".

Section 4, line 3, strike out all of this line.

Section 4, line 4, strike out the word "and".

Section 4, lines 6 and 7, strike out the words "in such election district".

Section 4, line 9, after the words "one o'clock" insert "P. M.".

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

As amended;

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 193.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to appoint to its fire or police departments any person now serving in the military or naval service of the United States or subject to service therein, without pay during the period thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for 105, 140, 141, 157, 174, 187, 188, 190, 194, 210 and 224.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 18, 19, 20, 21, 24, 30, 31, 44, 77, 78, 97, 108, 115, 119, 150, 152, 153, 156, 164, 174, 175, 176, 189, 194, 213, 218, 233, 234 and 270.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Thursday, February 14, at 11:30 A. M.

THURSDAY, February 14th, 1918.

At 11:30 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answer the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act vesting the title of the property of extinct Methodist Episcopal Churches and Methodist Episcopal Societies of 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church' in 'The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church,' and authorizing and empowering said conference to sell and convey the same,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to provide for the recovery of salary by municipal officers or employees, illegally dismissed from such office or employment,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body thatt he Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which, and, under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—15.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon. John B. Kates, of Camden, N. J., a former member of this body.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, a report of the Pension and Retirement Funds Commission was ordered received and filed.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the burial of the bodies of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, the marking of their graves with suitable headstones and the care and preservation of their graves,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following amendments to Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6 were read and adopted:

Amend section 12, line 2, by striking out the comma after the word "committee" and all of line 2 following said comma, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "shall not exceed five hundred dollars. The amount which may be spent in aid of the candidacy of any candidate for the position of member of any county committee, city or municipal committee of any political party shall not exceed ten dollars."

Amend section 12 by striking out lines 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Amend section 13, line 2, by adding after the word "shall" and before the word "appoint" the following: "before receiving any contributions or expending any money in furtherance or in aid of his candidacy,"

Amend section 13, line 8, by adding after the period following the word "provided" the following: "Such candidate may remove any campaign manager so appointed, and in case of death, resignation or removal of such campaign manager, shall forthwith appoint his successor and certify the appointment in the manner provided in case of an original appointment. Any campaign manager who shall be removed or who shall resign shall, unless physically unable so to do, file the report of receipts and expenditures, up to the date of such resignation or removal, stating and verifying the same as required by section twenty-three of this act; provided, however, that the failure of such campaign manager to file such report shall not affect the candidacy of such candidate unless such failure was counselled or caused by such candidate. Any candidate may appoint himself as campaign manager, which appointment shall be certified in the same manner as the appointments above referred to."

Amend section 16, line 3, by adding after the period following the word "company" the following: "Any joint campaign manager may be removed by the vote of a majority of those joined under this section. In case of such removal, or in case of the death or resignation of a joint campaign manager, a successor shall be chosen by the vote of a majority of the joint candidates."

Amend section 20, line 7, by adding after the word "office" the following: "except as hereinafter provided".

Amend section 22, line 3, by striking out the word "charter" as it occurs after the word "or" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 23, line 1, by striking out the following: "not more than four days prior to", and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "on the Friday or Saturday next preceding". Strike out the word "charter" as it follows the word "or" and insert in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 23, line 12, by adding between the words "be" and "in" the word "substantially".

Amend section 23, line 13, by striking out the word "Mercer" and leaving a blank space in lieu thereof.

Amend section 23, line 59, by adding after the word "affidavit" the word "substantially".

Amend section 24, line 9, by adding after the word "in" and before the word "the" the word "substantially".

Amend section 24, line 1, by striking out the word "charter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 26, line 12, by adding after the period follow-

ing the word "filed" the following: "In case any statement required by this act to be filed by or on behalf of any candidate has not been filed within the time hereinbefore limited, or in case such statement, or the affidavit verifying the same, contains an error or false recital, such candidate or his campaign manager may apply to a justice of the Supreme Court, if such statement has been filed, or is required to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, or to a judge of the Circuit Court of the county in which such statement is filed, or required to be filed, if such statement is required to be filed with the county clerk of any county, or with any other public officer within any county. If it shall appear to such justice or judge that the failure to file such statement within such time, or the inaccuracy or false recital contained therein or in the affidavit thereto annexed was due to the illness of such candidate, or the absence, illness or death of his campaign manager, or by the misconduct of any person other than the said candidate or his campaign manager, or by any other reasonable cause not involving gross negligence on the part of such candidate or his manager, or willful intention to violate any provision of this act, such justice or judge may make an order permitting such statement to be filed as of time, or permitting an amendment of such statement or affidavit."

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Amend section 48, line 20, by adding the syllable "dis" before the word "avowal".

Amend section 48, line 21, by adding the syllable "dis" before the word "avowal".

Amend section 24, line 34, by inserting after the word "candidate' and before the word "in" the word "substantially".

Amend section 25, line 1, by striking out the word "charter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 25, line 9, by inserting after the word "in" the word substantially".

Amend section 27, line 8, by inserting after the word "meetings" the following: "paying for watchers at the polls, as in this act provided, making contributions to the State or county committee, as in this act provided".

Amend section 28, line 25, by striking out the word "charter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 28, line 26, by striking out the word "charter" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "special".

Amend section 28, line 33, by inserting the letter "s" after the word "voter" so that it shall read "voters".

Amend section 28, line 40, by striking out the comma after

the word "services" and inserting the following: "the services of watchers at the polls on any election day as authorized by this act".

Change the number of section 55 to section 59.

Amend section 55, line 6, by adding after the period following the word "bill" the following: "Any expenditure made by or on behalf of any candidate, or in furtherance or aid of his candidacy, prior to the date on which this act became effective, which such expenditure was lawful when made, shall not affect the validity of any nomination or election under the provisions of this act, though such expenditure may have been made for a purpose or in a manner not permitted by this act, unless such expenditure when added to the total amount otherwise expended in furtherance or in aid of such candidacy exceeds the total amount of expenditure authorized by this act. A statement of such expenditure, so far as it is possible to state the same, shall be included in the statements required by this act to be filed."

Amend section 1, line 7, by transposing the words "of" and "or" after the word "candidate".

Amend section 6, line 11, by striking out the first word in said line, viz.: "for".

Amend section 12, line 4, by striking out the semicolon after the word "dollars" and all of line 4 following said semicolon, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "for member of State Committee and ten dollars for member of any county or city committee."

Amend section 12 by striking out lines 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Amend section 13, line 14, by adding after the quotation marks and before the word "Campaign" the following: "(Primary or Election, as the case may be)."

Amend section 13, line 15, by adding after the period following the word "candidate" the following: *"provided, however,* that any candidate for nomination or election to any township office, or any office of any municipality other than a township, which is filled by the voters of a single ward in such municipality, or any office or party position who by this act is prohibited from expending more than fifty dollars in connection with any primary or other election, may disburse moneys for the purposes authorized by this act in furtherance or in aid of his candidacy without selecting a bank or trust company and depositing the funds so to be disbursed therein, and without complying with the method outlined in this act for the deposit and disbursement of moneys

expended in aid of his candidacy; *provided further,* that in such case no moneys shall be spent in furtherance or in aid of the candidacy of such candidate except by such candidate as campaign manager. Such candidate shall be required to file the reports of expenditures required by this act and all other provisions of this act shall apply to such candidate and to the campaign conducted by him or in his behalf".

Amend section 16, line 10, by inserting after the word "behalf" and before the word "unless" the words "or in furtherance or aid of his candidacy".

Amend section 17, line 49, by adding after the period following the word "authorized" the following: "Any contract made or liability incurred for any purpose or in any manner except as authorized by this act shall be absolutely void."

Amend section 21, line 3, by putting a period at the end of the line in place of the comma after the word "year."

Amend section 21, line 4, by striking out the words "and for the hire of watchers at the polls at any election day".

Amend section 21, line 6, by striking out the last word in the line, viz.: "or".

Amend section 21, line 7, by striking out the first word in the line, viz.: "agents".

Amend section 21, line 8, by adding after the period following the word "organization" the following: "It shall be lawful for any State committee, county committee, or municipal committee of any political party, after the primary election but not before such election, to receive contributions from any candidate of any such party, such contributions to be spent in aid of the candidacy of the contributor or of the candidates of such party and may be suspended for the following purposes only: Expenses in connection with the conduct of public meetings, for advertising in newspapers or periodicals, and for the preparation and mailing of letters, and for the hire of watchers at the polls on any election day. Such contributions when made by such candidates shall be accompanied by a statement of the campaign manager of such candidate of the specific purpose for which such contribution is to be expended, and shall be paid to said committee by said campaign manager from the campaign fund of such candidate in the manner outlined in this act for the expenditure of money from such campaign fund, and such moneys shall be expended by said committee for no purpose other than that so named. Any person who shall expend or aid or assist in the expenditure of any such moneys for any

purpose not authorized by this section, or for any purpose not in the statement acompanying such contribution, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to the punishment provided by law for misdemeanors."

Amend section 22, line 4, by placing a comma in lieu of the period after the word "candidate" and inserting the words "and not after except as hereinafter provided."

Amend section 22, line 8, by inserting after the word "filed" and before the word "may" the words "or in case the statement of expenses is required to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, then any justice of the Supreme Court,".

Amend section 22, line 12, by striking out the letter "s" in the word "certificates".

Amend section 22, line 15, by striking out the word "said" before the word "application" and in lieu thereof insert the word "one." After the said word "application" put a comma in place of a period, and after the comma insert the words "but the amount and specific character of each claim shall be separately stated."

Amend section 23, line 49, by striking out the word "sentence" after the word "last" and before the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "clause".

Amend section 23, line 87, by striking out the letter "p" and putting the letter "v" in the word "voted".

Amend section 26, line 4, by striking out the first four words, viz.: "file their statements and" and in lieu thereof insert the words "cause to be filed the".

Amend section 26, line 6, by inserting after the syllable "ments" and before the word "in" the words "of their campaign managers".

Amend section 27, line 3, by inserting after the word "aid" and before the word "of" the words "or furtherance".

Amend section 27, line 7, by inserting after the word "expenses" the words "and compensation".

Amend section 28, line 2, by striking out the comma after the word "in".

Amend section 28, line 7, by striking out the comma after the syllables "plication" and inserting the words "or otherwise,".

Amend section 28, line 8, by inserting the word "specifically" after the word "not" and before the word "authorized".

Amend section 28, line 9, by striking out the word "specifically".

Amend section 28, lines 20 and 21, by inserting the letter "s"

at the end of the word "candidate" so that the same shall read "candidates."

Amend section 28, line 42, by striking out the words "has been" after the word "person" and inserting the words "shall have been".

Amend section 28, line 43, by striking out the word "has" and inserting the words "shall have".

Amend section 29, line 1, by inserting after the word "to" and before the word "lend" the word "pay,"

Amend section 29 by inserting between lines 25 and 26 a new subdivision as follows:

"(9) To pay for the printing or publishing of any pamphlet, statement, advertisement or other printed matter of any kind or character having reference to an election or to any candidate at any election, unless such pamphlet, statement, advertisement or printed matter shall bear upon the face thereof the name and address of the candidate or campaign manager of the candidate causing the same to be published, and furnishing, or agreeing to furnish, payment for such printing and publication."

Amend section 34, line 4, by inserting after the word "accounts" the words "or deposit it in any bank or trust company,"

Amend section 37, line 2, by inserting after the syllable "tion" the word "for", and after the word "or" strike out the word "for" and insert the words "election to".

Amend section 38, lines 1 and 2, by striking out after the word "corporation" in line 1, the words "or person, trustee or trustees, owning or holding the majority of stock of a corporation".

Amend section 38, line 3, by adding to the last word "rail" the syllable "road", making the same read "railroad".

Amend section 38, line 5, by striking out the words "any company" after the word "or" and before the word "having".

Amend section 38, line 6, by inserting after the word "town" and before the word "shall" the words, "and no corporation, person, trustee or trustees, owning or holding the majority of stock of any such corporation,"

Amend section 39, line 2, by placing a comma after the word "primary" and striking out the next word "or", and after the word "general" inserting the words "or special".

Amend section 41, line 9, by striking out the letter "a" in the word "carray".

Amend section 47, line 1, by inserting before the word "Any" the sentence, viz.: "Any person who shall willfully swear falsely to any affidavit required by this act shall be guilty of perjury and punishable accordingly."

Amend section 47, line 4, by striking out all of line 4 after the period following the word "misdemeanor" and all of lines 5, 6, 7, and 8, on page 27, and on page 28, all of lines 9, 10 and 11, and all of line 12 to and including the period following the word "thereto".

Amend section 47, line 14, by putting a period instead of a comma after the word "misdemeanor" and striking out the remainder of line 14, and all of lines 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

Amend section 48 by striking out lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and all of line 10 to and including the semicolon following the word "election", and by adding in lieu thereof the following:

"If any money, or other thing of value, shall be paid, promised or expended, or any liability incurred in excess of the amount permitted by this act, or for any purpose, or in any manner not authorized by this act, by or on behalf of any candidate for nomination for or election to any office or party position, or in furtherance or in aid of his candidacy, whether such money or other thing of value was paid, promised or expended, or such liability incurred by the candidate or his campaign manager, or by any other person, corporation, association or committee whatsoever, the nomination or election of any such candidate at such primary or other election in connection with which such illegal expenditure was made or liability incurred, shall be null and void;"

Amend section 48, line 25, by adding after the period following the word "knowledge" the following: "If any candidate for nomination for or election to any public office or party position, or the campaign manager of any such candidate, shall fail to file any statement required by this act to be filed, at the time, place and in the manner required by this act, and duly verified as herein required, or shall file any false statement, the nomination or election of such candidate, if nominated or elected at the primary or other election concerning which such statement shall have been filed, shall be null and void."

Amend section 49, line 1, by inserting after the word "proceedings" the word "instituted", and by inserting after the word "act" the words "for the purpose of securing a determination that any nomination for or election to any public office or party position is null and void,"

Amend section 49, lines 3 and 4, by striking out the words at the end of line 3 and the beginning of line 4 as follows: "or was committed without his sanction or connivance".

Amend section 49, line 5, by inserting after the word "candi-

date" the words "to prevent the commission of any such offense,"

Amend section 49, line 5, by striking out the comma after the word "trivial" and inserting the word "or".

Amend section 49, line 5, by striking out the last word "or" and the first word in line 6, viz.: "limited".

Amend section 49, line 10, by inserting after the word "court" the words "or Supreme Court justice".

Amend section 49, line 12, by putting a period in place of a comma at the end of the line after the word "void", and striking out all of lines 13 and 14.

Add a new section after section 49, to be designated as section 50, as follows:

"50. In case it shall be determined in the manner hereinafter provided, that the nomination for any office of any successful candidate at any primary election is null and void under section forty-eight of this act, then in case such determination shall have been made ten days before the election at which the candidates nominated at said primary election are to be voted for, an order shall be made by the court or judge making such determination prohibiting the printing of the name of such candidate on the ballot to be used at such election, and the name of the candidate for nomination or party position at such primary election receiving the next highest number of votes shall thereupon be printed upon said ballot as the nominee for said office. In case such determination shall not have been made ten days prior to the election at which the candidates at such primary election are to be voted for, and in case the said candidate shall be elected at such election to the office for which he claimed nomination under such void primary, as aforesaid, then no certificate of election shall be delivered to such candidate, and the election for the office for which such person was a candidate shall be null and void, and if such determination shall have been made after the delivery of the certificate of election to such candidate, then such certificate of election shall be null and void, and the said candidate shall not be inducted into the office for which such certificate of election was issued. In case such determination shall not have been made until after said candidate has been inducted into office, then upon a certified copy of the record of such determination being sent to the Attorney-General, it shall be the duty of the Attorney-General to institute quo warranto proceedings for the vacation of such office; provided, however, that in case the said record relates to the election of any candidate for the office of United States

Senator, Member of Congress, State Senator, or Member of the House of Assembly, the Attorney-General, instead of instituting quo quarranto proceedings for the vacation of said office, shall send such certified copy, within five days after the same is received by him, to the United States Senate, the House of Representatives, the State Senate, or the House of Assembly, as the case may be, if such United States Senate, House of Representatives, State Senate or House of Assembly is then in session, and if not then in session, then on the first day of such session."

Add a new section to be designated as section 51, as follows:

"51. In case it shall be determined in the manner hereinafter provided, that the election to any office of any candidate at any election other than a primary election, is null and void, under the provisions of section forty-eight of this act, then no certificate of election shall be delivered to the candidate whose election shall have been determined to be null and void, as aforesaid, and if such determination shall have been made after the delivery of the certificate of election to such candidate, then such certificate of election shall be null and void, and the said candidate shall not be inducted into the office for which such certificate of election was issued. In case such determination shall not have been made until after such candidate shall have been inducted into office, then upon a certified copy of the record of such determination being sent to the Attorney General, it shall be the duty of the Attorney General to institute quo warranto proceedings for the vacation of such office; *provided, however,* that in case the said record relates to the election of any candidate to the office of United States Senator, Member of Congress, State Senator, or Member of the House of Assembly, the Attorney General, instead of instituting quo warranto proceedings for the vacation of such office shall send such certified copy, within five days after the same is received by him, to the United States Senate, the House of Representatives, the State Senate, or the House of Assembly, as the case may be, if such United States Senate, House of Representatives, State Senate, or House of Assembly is then in session, and if not then in session, then on the first day of such session."

Add a new section to be designated as section 52, as follows:

"52. In case it shall be determined, in the manner hereinafter provided, that the election of any person to any party position is null and void under the provisions of section forty-eight of this act, then no certificate of election shall be delivered to the candidate whose election shall have been determined to be null

and void, as aforesaid, and if such determination shall have been made after the delivery of the certificate of election to such candidate, then such certificate of election shall be null and void, and whether such determination shall have been made before or after the delivery of a certificate of election, a certificate of election shall be delivered to the candidate having the next highest number of votes. Any person chosen as member of the State committee, county committee, or any city or municipal committee of any political party who shall sit or perform any duty, or exercise any functions as a member of such committee after his election thereto shall have been declared null and void, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and each member of any such committee who shall vote to recognize any such member after such election shall have been declared null and void, shall likewise be guilty of a misdemeanor. In case of any delegate at large or district delegate to any national convention, whose election shall have been declared null and void under this act, after a certificate of election has been issued to him, it shall be the duty of the Attorney General to transmit to the said convention a certified copy of the judgment and determination of the Supreme Court justice declaring said election void, to the end that the certificate of election issued to the person having the next highest number of votes for said party position may be honored by said convention. Any delegate at large or district delegate to any national convention to whom a certificate of election shall have been delivered, which certificate shall have been declared null and void, as aforesaid, or who shall use such certificate of election, or who shall present such certificate of election as a credential at any such convention, or to any committee on credentials at such convention, or who shall leave the limits of this State with such certificate in his possession with intent to use the name as a credential for admission to any political convention, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Add a new section to be designated as section 53, as follows:

"53. Any twenty-five voters of the State, or of any political division thereof, may file a petition in the Circuit Court, stating that the nomination or election, as the case may be, of any candidate for nomination for or election to any public office or party position, is void because of the reasons named in section forty-eight of this act, setting forth the particular reasons. Any defeated candidate for said nomination, position or office may file any such petition, and thereafter the contest shall be carried on in accordance with the provisions of sections 162 to 177 of

the act to which this act is a supplement, relating to contested elections for county, township, city or other municipal offices, except as herein otherwise provided. Such petition shall be verified by oath of at least two of said petitioners, or by the candidate filing the same, as the case may be, which verification may be made on information and belief. When the candidate whose election or nomination is contested is a candidate for office other than a county, township, city or municipal office, or for the party position of delegate at large or district delegate to a national convention, such petition shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court, and shall be heard by the Chief Justice or by a justice of the Supreme Court assigned for that purpose by the Chief Justice. The procedure in such cases shall conform to the procedure above referred to in the act to which this act is a supplement, except as herein otherwise provided. Any such petition contesting any nomination or election to any party position shall not be filed more than ten days after the primary election, or in case of a petition contesting an election other than a primary election, not more than thirty days after such election, unless the ground of action is discovered from the statements, deposit slips or vouchers filed under this act, subsequent to such primary or other election, in which event such petition may be filed ten or thirty days respectively after such statements, deposit slips or vouchers are filed. When the election of any candidate to any public office other than that of the United States Senator, Member of Congress, State Senator, Member of of the House of Assembly, shall have been declared null and void before such candidate has taken office, then on the expiration of the term of office of the then incumbent, the vacancy shall be filled in the manner now provided by law in case of a vacancy occurring other than by expiration of term. In case the election of any candidate for any public office shall have been declared null and void after such candidate shall have been inducted into office, and such candidate shall have been removed from office in quo warranto proceedings, the vacancy in such office shall be filled in the manner provided by law in case of a vacancy in such office arising from any cause other than expiration of term."

Add a new section to be designated as section 54, as follows:

"54. In any quo warranto proceedings instituted for the purpose of vacating any office in accordance with the directions contained in this act, the finding of the Circuit Court or Supreme Court justice that the nomination for or election to such office is null and void, shall be admissible in evidence on the part of the

relator and shall be prima facie evidence in any such proceedings of the invalidity of such nomination or election.

Nothing in this act contained shall abridge any right which any claimant to any office might otherwise have to institute proceedings for the recovery of such office, notwithstanding the fact that his nomination for or election to such office may have been declared null and void in the summary proceeding above referred to, but in any such action instituted by any such claimant, the determination of the Circuit Court or justice of the Supreme Court shall be admissible in evidence and shall be prima facie evidence of the facts therein recited and of the invalidity of such nomination or election."

Add a new section to be designated as section 55, as follows:

"55. It shall be lawful for the Attorney-General to institute quo warranto proceedings to remove from office any person whose nomination or election shall be void under the provisions of this act, whether or not such nomination or election shall have been determined to be void, in the manner specially provided by this act."

Change the number of section 50 to section 56.

Change the number of section 51 to section 57.

Amend section 51, line 8, by placing a period in lieu of the comma after the word "misdemeanor" and striking out the remainder of said line, viz.: "and on conviction thereof shall forfeit his".

Amend section 51, line 9, by striking out the word "office" and by striking out after the word "pleas" the words "under the penalty of".

Amend section 51, line 10, by striking out the words "forfeiture of his office."

Amend section 51, line 11, by putting a period after the word "act" and striking out the remainder of said line, viz.: "the penalty of which is fine or imprisonment, or both".

Amend section 51, line 12, by striking out the first four words, viz.: "or removal from office".

Strike out the whole of section 52.

Strike out the whole of section 53.

Change the number of section 54 to 58.

Amend section 54, line 1, by inserting after the word "candidate" the words "nominated for or". Also by inserting the words "nomination or" after the word "whose". Also by striking out the word "thereto".

Amend section 54, line 2, by striking out after the word "any"

the word "offense", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "reason".

Amend section 54, line 4, by putting a comma after the word "office" instead of a period, and inserting the words, "provided that this provision shall not apply to appointments to any office the qualifications for which are prescribed by the Constitution of this State or of the United States."

Amend section 54, line 8, by striking out the period after the word "office" and inserting a semicolon, and by adding the following: "provided that this provision shall not apply to appointments to any office the qualifications for which are prescribed by the Constitution of this State or of the United States."

Change the number of section 55 to section 59.

Change the number of section 56 to section 60.

Change the number of section 57 to section 61.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6, as amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by section, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Add a new section to be known as section 6, as follows:

"6. This act shall not apply to employers of domestic help or farm labor."

Mr. Hammond moved that said bill be laid over.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported.

Senate Bills Nos. 11, 226, 189, 183, 225, 227 and 228, and Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, and Assembly Bills Nos. 183, 126, 180 and 8.

Favorably.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12 was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven."

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City," passed March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of county police systems,"

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one

thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.,' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend and supplement 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to create within the Department of Labor a negro welfare and employment bureau, fixing the compensation of the chief and defining the duties of said bureau,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that when the Senate adjourn it meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 116, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand,"

And

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS.

The Committee on Elections will give a hearing on Assembly Bill No. 35, on Tuesday, February 19th, 1918, at 10 A. M., in the Senate Chamber.

Committee on Banks and Insurance announce a hearing on Assembly Bills Nos. 202, 203, 206 and 211, on Monday, February 18th, at 2 P. M., in the Senate Chamber.

The Committee on Judiciary announce a hearing on Senate Bill No. 244, for February 18th, at 3 P. M., in the Senate Chamber.

FRIDAY, February 15th, 1918.

Mr. Hammond took the chair as President.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 18th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the reading of the Journal of February 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th was dispensed with.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72 was read and adopted.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 186 by Committee Substitute.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 186 was read and adopted.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 8. 11. 178, 183, 185, 189, 195, 215, 225, 227, 228, 232, 243, 119 with amendment; Committee Substitute for Senate Bill Nos. 4 and 6, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246.

Assembly Bill No. 192 with Senate amendments.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 203 and 205.

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 40.

Signed William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 230 and 264.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court and the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to enable municipalities to pay for certain improvements left or to be left uncompleted because of war conditions, and to authorize the assessment of benefits for any completed portion of any such improvement prior to the completion of the whole thereof, and validating improvement certificates issued or to be issued in payment thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships," approved March tenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Ackerson moved that Senate Bill No. 172 be recommitted to Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Muson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon. Peter McGuiness, a former member of this Senate.

Mr. Pilgrim, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 195, with amendment, and 196, with amendment.

Signed—Collins B. Allen.

The following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 195 was read and adopted:

Strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof a new title as follows: "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven."

The following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 196 was read and adopted:

Strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof a new title as follows: "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State, creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven."

This act shall take effect immediately.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 248.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act relating to salaries, wages and compensation of officers, employees, servants and agents, to be paid out of the funds of a county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

As amended,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17 be read and adopted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that the proposed amendments to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17 be read and adopted.

Which was agreed to.

Proposed amendments to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17:

Amend Article I, section 103, line 12, by striking out the words "one hundred" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five".

Amend Article II, section 210, line 6, by striking out the word "such" following the word "Any".

Amend section 211, line 4, by striking out the words "lieu and place" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the place and stead".

Amend section 216, line 3, by striking out the semicolon after the word "board" and place in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "unless he shall resign and cease to be a member of such board for a period of three months prior to his election or appointment;".

Amend Article III, section 301, line 4, strike out the period after the word "office" and add the following: "to the best of his ability, skill and understanding."

Amend section 302, line 3, by striking out the letter "s" in the word "employees".

Amend Article VII, section 704, line 3, by striking out the comma after the word "therein"; also strike out the words "either" and the words "or beyond its" in said line.

Also strike out the word "seticon" in line 4 of said section 704, and insert in lieu thereof the word "section".

Amend section 705, line 4, by striking out the period after the word "use" and insert in lieu thereof a comma, and add the following: "except as may now be prohibited by statute."

Amend section 709, line 2, by striking out the word "together"; also strike out the word "securing" in said line and insert in lieu thereof the word "acquiring".

Amend Article X, by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section 1005, said section to read as follows:

"1005. Investments of any insurance fund moneys shall be limited to bonds of the United States Government, or bonds of the State of New Jersey, or the bonds of any county, school district or municipality of this State, or the negotiable notes or certificates of any county, municipality or school district of this State."

Amend Article XI, section 1103, line 3, by inserting after the word "county" the following: ", one of which shall be in a newspaper circulating in the municipality or municipalities where the proposed road is to be located,".

Amend section 1104, line 6, by striking out the period after the word "county" and insert a comma in lieu thereof, and add the following: "and the map or maps originally filed shall be marked 'void' by the county clerk."

Amend section 1107, line 5, by striking out the words "to be done" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sustained by"; line 6, insert after the word "by" the words "reason of"; line 6, strike out the comma after the word "same" and place a period in lieu thereof; line 6, strike out the words "upon such"; line 6, place a capital "N" instead of a small "n" in the word "notice"; line 6, insert after the word "Notice" the words "shall be given".

Amend section 1108, line 2, by inserting after the word "the" at the end of said line, the words "by virtue"; line 4, strike out the word "appointed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fixed"; line 5, strike out the word "to" preceding the word "make"; line 6, insert after the word "benefits" the word "conferred", and after the word "damages" insert the words "sustained by"; line 7, strike out the words "will sustain"; strike out the letters "ap" in line 10, and the word "praise" in line 11, and insert in line thereof the word "fix"

Amend section 1109, line 4, by striking out the word "thereafter" and insert in lieu thereof the words "after the date of signing the same"; strike out the word "said" at the end of line 4 and insert in lieu thereof the word "such"; line 6, strike out the comma after the word "aforesaid" and insert in lieu thereof a period, and then strike out the remainder of lines 6, 7 and 8 following.

Amend section 1112, line 4, by striking out the word "deceased" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "dying".

Amend section 1118, line 2, by inserting after the word "road" the words "between the curb line";

Amend section 1124, line 2, by striking out the words "and of the sidewalks";

Amend section 1126, by striking out all of line 3; strike out the words "drain, or for" and the word "other" in line 4;

Amend section 1130, line 4, by inserting after the word "setting" the words "or resetting"; line 4, insert after the word "paving" the words "or repaving";

Amend section 1138, line 2, by striking out the word "it" at the end of said line; line 3, strike out the words "shall be the duty of"; line 3, strike out the words "to remove the snow" and insert in lieu thereof the words "may, if it deems advisable, remove the snow,".

Amend section 1140, line 1, by inserting after the word "out," the word "opening,"; line 5, after the word "out," insert the word "open,".

Amend section 1141, line 2, by striking out the words "reconstruction of construction," and insert in lieu thereof the words "construction or reconstruction,"; line 4, strike out the letters "re" in the word "reconstruction" and add the letters "re" to the word "construction"; line 20, strike out the letters "re" in the word "reconstruction" and add the letters "re" to the word "construction"; line 23, strike out the letters "re" in the word "reconstruction" and add the letters "re" to the word "construction"; line 25, strike out the word "first" and insert in lieu thereof the word "after"; line 25, insert after the word "having" the word "first"; line 29, strike out the letters "re" in the word "reconstruction" and add the letters "re" to the word "construction"; line 32, insert after the word "bonds" the words "in the manner provided by law"; line 33, strike out the letters "re" in the word reconstruction" and add the letters "re" to the word "construction".

Amend section 1301, line 2, by inserting after the word "con-

demnation," the words "and to"; line 9, insert after the word "condemnation," the words "and to".

Amend section 1302, line 4, by striking out the word "and" after the word "failed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "or".

Amend Article II, section 207 (on page 4), as follows:

In line 6, after the word "act" insert a comma (,).

Amend Article IV, as follows:

Strike out sections 401, 402, 403, 404, 405 and 406.

Renumber section 407 and make it read 401.

Renumber section 408 and make it read 402.

Renumber section 409 and make it read 403.

Amend Article 5, as follows:

Section 502, line 5, strike out the period at the end of the line and insert a colon (:), and add the following to said action: *"provided, however,* no advertisement shall be necessary in cases where the materials or supplies to be purchased will cost less than five hundred dollars."

Section 505, strike out the comma (,) after the word "work", in line 5, and insert a period (.). Strike out the section following the word "work", in line 5.

Section 507, at the end of said section (line 14), strike out the period and insert a semicolon, and add the following: *"provided,* in case a bidder desires to offer the bond of an individual instead of that of a surety company as above provided, he shall submit with his bid a statement or statements and consent signed by such individual similar to that required of a surety company as above. The officer, board, commission, committee, or department, or other branch of any county government, may reject any such bid if it is not satisfied with the sufficiency of the individual surety so offered."

Amend Article XI, as follows:

Change the number of section 1142, on page 32, to 1143, and add a new section, following section 1141, to be known as section 1142, to read as follows:

"1142. All resolutions or proceedings affecting the opening or change in location of any road, or the widening or vacating of any road, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the county and shall be recorded in the Road Book."

Amend Article XIII, as follows:

Strike out section 1318 and insert a section in place thereof, as follows:

"1318. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, corporation or corporations, to lay any tracks, pipes or conduits,

on, over or under any public viaduct or bridge, or to connect any wires, cables or other appliances to any such viaduct or bridge, without obtaining the consent of the board or boards of freeholders operating or maintaining such viaduct or bridge, and complying with such reasonable terms and conditions as may be prescribed by said board or boards; *provided, however,* that any public utility corporation, which is subject to the regulation of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, and whose rates are subject to be fixed by said board, having the right to use the highway on both sides of any public viaduct or bridge may lay its tracks, pipes or conduits on, over or under said viaduct or bridge, and may connect any wires, cables or other appliances thereto, at its own cost and expense, under such reasonable terms and regulations as the board or boards of freeholders operating and maintaining such viaduct or bridge may prescribe, which terms and regulations may be contained in an agreement between said board or boards of freeholders and said public utility corporation, and such agreement may contain such provisions in regard to the use of such viaduct or bridge as may be agreed upon, but in no event shall such public utility corporation be required to pay for such use more than an amount sufficient to compensate the county for the extra burden imposed upon the county by reason of the use of any such viaduct or bridge by such public utility corporation. In case said board or boards of freeholders and said public utility corporation cannot agree upon the regulations or the amount to be paid hereunder, an appeal may be taken to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, which board shall have power, after hearing, to fix the regulations governing such use, and the amount to be paid, if any, by such public utility corporation."

Amend Article XVII, as follows:

Change the number of section 1719 to 1720.

Change the number of section 1720 to 1721.

Insert a new section, to be known as section 1719, to read as follows:

"1719. Every board of chosen freeholders shall have power to raise by taxation, in the method prescribed by law, all necessary money to pay for any improvement or property which it is authorized to make or acquire, and to pay the current expenses of maintaining the same, and for the execution and performance of any power or authority given to such county, or the board of chosen freeholders thereof, and to pay the principal of and interest upon all obligations and debts of said county, for the

maintenance of county parks, and for the fulfillment of all obligations imposed by law upon the county."

Amend Article V as follows:

Section 501, strike out the period at the end of said section and place in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following: *"and provided, further,* if the exigency of any public service will not admit of such advertisement, said work may be done or said materials may be purchased forthwith, provided the board charged with the doing or purchasing the same shall first, by a four-fifths vote of all of its members, pass a resolution declaring such exigency to exist, and that the immediate performance of the work and furnishing of any materials will not admit of the ordinary delay in advertising for proposals."

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 172, by Committee Substitute,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William E. Florance.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 127, entitled "An act creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State."

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Ham-

mond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the words "natural children only" at the end of line 2, section 2, and add the following words in lieu thereof: "Children born in lawful wedlock only".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay. Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend section one as follows:

Strike out the word "April" in line 2 and insert in place thereof the word "January".

Strike out the word "eighteen" in line 3 and insert in place thereof the word "nineteen".

Strike out the word "nineteen" in line 7 and insert in place thereof the word "twenty".

After the word "twenty" in line 8, insert the word "one".

Strike out the word "one" after the word "twenty" in line 9, and insert in place thereof the word "two".

On motion of Mr. Mackay, said bill was laid over temporarily.

Mr. Mackay, for the President, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Barber asked unanimous consent to offer a Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98.

Which was agreed to.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98 was read and adopted.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Barber, and

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to provide for recording delinquent taxpayers in townships and other municipalities where the tax collector has not received his duplicate at the time now specified by law,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Barber, and

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to provide for recording delinquent taxpayers in townships and other municipalities where the tax collector has not received his duplicate at the time now specified by law,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 14th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend the title and the body of an act entitled 'An act to fix the minimum of salary of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public

Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made,"

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading rooms,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 14th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to promote home life for dependent children,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled 'An act to authorize companies operating street railways to carry freight and express matter thereon,"

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses,' approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to give preferred rating to civil service tests to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who have served in any war in which the United States of America has participated, providing such soldier, sailor or marine shall have reached a qualifying average,"

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act for the restoration to citizenship of persons who may be convicted of crime,"

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Califon, in the county of Hunterdon,"

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to protect hospitals, sanitariums, dispensaries and clinics from impostors,"

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to provide for the removal of grass and weeds from lots in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,' approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of

1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation "R. N." and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act requiring proprietors of theatres, moving-picture houses and other places of public amusement to call the attention of their patrons at every performance to all exits and fire-escapes in the manner hereinafter described, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one hundred and nine of an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act concerning the use by the government of the United States of surface or underground waters for purposes connected with the military encampments within this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by chapter 200, Session Laws of 1910) 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers, and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine; and providing for the en-

larging or otherwise increasing the capacity of such outlet or trunk sewers and the construction and equipping of plants for the purification or other treatment of the sewage to be disposed of thereby, and for the payment of the cost of said works, and for the admission of other municipalities to participation in the use and the cost of construction of said outlet or trunk sewers,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act amending an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same; of the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalty for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to provide for municipal aid to Home Defense Units,"

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amend-

ment was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, "A joint resolution creating a joint legislative committee to investigate the practical operation of and to codify and supplement existing laws governing the county and township roads in this State with respect to the standardization of methods of construction, administration and maintenance thereof,"

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 6, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission for the investigation of methods employed and the laws which govern the finances of municipalities, counties and school districts,"

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 7, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of municipal, county and State pensions, and the Teachers' Retirement Fund and the teachers' thirty-five year half-pay pension fund,"

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act creating a Bureau of Vital Statistics in this State, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths and vital facts relating thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "An act prohibiting any person from keeping or harboring any cat without first procuring a license,"

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "An act relating to pupils of the public schools of this State who shall enter the military or naval service of the United States,"

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation,

of game and fish,' approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven, approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to promote home life for dependent children,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to authorize companies operating street railways to carry freight and express matter thereon,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses,' approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to give preferred rating to civil service tests to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who have served in any war in which the United States of America has participated, providing such soldier, sailor or marine shall have reached a qualifying average,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act for the restoration to citizenship of persons who may be convicted of crime,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Califon, in the county of Hunterdon,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to protect hospitals, sanitariums, dispensaries and clinics from impostors,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to provide for the removal of grass and weeds from lots in municipalities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,' approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation "R. N." and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act requiring proprietors of theatres, moving-picture houses and other places of public amusement to call the attention of their patrons at every performance to all exits and fire-escapes in the manner hereinafter described, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one hundred and nine of an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act concerning the use by the government of the United States of surface or underground waters for purposes connected with the military encampments within this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by chapter 200, Session Laws of 1910) 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers, and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine; and providing for the enlarging or otherwise increasing the capacity of such outlet or trunk sewers and the construction and equipping of plants for the purification or other treatment of the sewage to be disposed of thereby, and for the payment of the cost of said works, and for the admission of other municipalities to participation in the use and the cost of construction of said outlet or trunk sewers,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'

approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act amending an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same; of the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalty for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to provide for municipal aid to Home Defense Units,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amend-

ment was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 4, "A joint resolution creating a joint legislative committee to investigate the practical operation of and to codify and supplement existing laws governing the county and township roads in this State with respect to the standardization of methods of construction, administration and maintenance thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission for the investigation of methods employed and the laws which govern the finances of municipalities, counties and school districts,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of municipal, county and State pensions, and the Teachers' Retirement Fund and the teachers' thirty-five year half-pay pension fund,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act creating a Bureau of Vital Statistics in this State, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths and vital facts relating thereto,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "An act prohibiting any person from keeping or harboring any cat without first procuring a license,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "An act relating to pupils of the public schools of this State who shall enter the military or naval service of the United States,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven, approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to authorize any municipality in this State to make annual appropriations for the purpose of conducting and maintaining dental clinics in any such municipality for the free treatment of indigent persons of school age,"

As amended,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

As amended,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities to appoint to its fire or police departments any person now serving in the military or naval service of the United States or subject to service therein, without pay during the period thereof,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay, offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

1. Amend title as follows:

Line 1, strike out "individuals, copartnerships."

Line 2, insert "other than express companies," after the comma following "companies."

Line 4, insert "necessary" after "property".

2. Amend section 1, as follows:

Line 1, strike out "individuals, copartnerships."

Line 2, insert "other than express companies," after the comma following "companies".

Line 4, insert "necessary" after "property".

Line 5, insert "necessary" after "property".

Line 8, add "s" to "amendment."

On motion of Mr. Mackay, said bill was laid over temporarily.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks, and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties' (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Hammond, said bill was laid over.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriation of money therefor,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Ackerson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out all of line nine after the word "scribe" and change the comma following said word to a period.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6 be taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend section 13, line 23, by adding after the word "hours" the following: "(excluding holidays and Sundays)".

Amend section 13, line 28, by adding after the word "office" and before the word "or" the following: "borough office".

Amend section 26, line 17, by striking out the word "Circuit" after the word "the" and before the word "Court" and inserting after the word "of" and before the word "the" the words "Common Pleas of".

Amend section 26, line 18, by inserting after the word "filed" and before the word "such" the word "if".

Amend section 26, line 23, by inserting after the word "or" and before the word "by" the words "was caused".

Amend section 28, line 22, by striking out all of line 22 following the comma after the word "further".

Amend section 28 by striking out lines 23, 24 and 25 to the period following the word "election", and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "that each political party or organization may employ not exceeding two persons on election day to act as challengers or agents in each polling place as now provided by law."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Amend section 5, line 1, by striking out the words "registry and". Further amend section 5, line 1, by adding the letter "s" at the end of the word "election". Further amend section 5, line 1, by striking out the word "first" between the word "the" and the word "day" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twentieth".

Amend section 5, line 2, by striking out the word "next" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "in each year in which members of district boards of registry and elections are to be appointed".

Amend section 5, line 7, by adding after the period following the word "summoned" the following: "Any vacancy aris-

ing in any district board of registry and elections otherwise than by expiration of term, shall be filled for the unexpired term only, by the judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the county in which such district is situated. Such judge shall send the name and address of the person so appointed, and the name of the district in which such vacancy shall exist, to the sheriff, and the person so appointed shall be summoned for service in the manner apove provided."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Martens, McGlennon, Munson—6.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 14th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title to whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases

where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization,"

And

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Pilgrim, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 294,

Without amendment, and without recommendation.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, William E. Florance.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Sinking Fund, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 28, 295 and 296,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,' approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use of speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act amending an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same; of the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceeding for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor

vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalty for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 18th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be and he is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No. 78, for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 18th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, where it originated, Assembly Bill No. 154, for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 13th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolution calling the attention of the people of the State of New Jersey to the necessity for immediate harvesting and storing three times their normal cut of natural ice, to safeguard the public health, and insure the preservation of perishable foods during the coming summer period.

Be it resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate consurring):

WHEREAS, Two factors have this winter militated against the harvesting the usual supply of natural ice in this State, one being the lack of labor and the other the intense and long continued cold spell; and

WHEREAS, Inasmuch as two-thirds of all ice used in this State is made by artificial means, into which method ammonia is both essential and important; and

WHEREAS, We are creditably informed that our National Government will need and appropriate for their own martial uses a major portion of all available ammonia, thus preventing to a large extent the manufacture of artificial ice; therefore, in order that we may this coming summer protect the health of our citizenry and insure the preservation of our perishable food supply; be it

Resolved, That the attention of the pepole of this State be called to the gravity of this situation, that they be and hereby are urged in the strongest possible terms to immediately harvest and store three times their usual cut of ice, in which recommendation His Excellency, the Governor, the State Department of Agriculture and the State Department of Health most heartily concur; and be it further

Resolved, That the earnest and immediate co-operation be requested of the State Department of Agriculture, the Division of Extension in the State Agricultural College, the Granges of the State and the County Boards of Agriculture, that they may give

full and proper notice to their membership while natural ice yet remains to be cut; and be it further

Resolved, That the public press of this State be and hereby are requested to give the widest possible publicity to the urgency of the situation, that the health, welfare and prosperity of the people of New Jersey may not be endangered through ignorance of existing conditions.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 59.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 59 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved May fifteenth, nineteen hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following proposed amendments to Senate Bill No. 209 were read and adopted:

Amend by striking out the title thereof and inserting in its place the following:

1. The title of the act to which this act is amendatory and supplemental be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

An act to amend and supplement the title and body of an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination and license of engineers and firemen having charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and steam engines, and to prohibit the use of such steam boilers and steam engines unless the person in charge thereof shall be so licensed," approved April fourteenth, one

thousand nine hundred and thirteen, so that the scope of said act will include and provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties."

Insert after section eighteen a new section, known as section nineteen, as follows:

19. Section nine of the act of which this act is amendatory be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

9. Each member of the [bureau] Steam Engine and Boiler Operators' License Bureau shall be entitled to have and receive as and for his compensation the sum of [fifteen hundred] two thousand dollars per year. The salary of any member of said bureau, after three years of service, may be increased upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Labor to [sixteen] twenty-one hundred dollars per year, and upon like recommendation, after four years of service, to [seventeen] twenty-two hundred dollars per year. Each member of said bureau, after having satisfactorily served for five years, shall, if recommended by the Commissioner of Labor, be admitted to a noncompetitive promotion examination to be conducted by the Board of Civil Service Commissioners, and, upon successfully passing said examination, shall receive a salary of [eighteen] twenty-three hundred dollars per year. Each member of said bureau, after having served one year subsequent to passing such promotion examination, shall, if recommended by the Commissioner of Labor, receive a salary of [nineteen] twenty-four hundred dollars per year, and after two years' service subsequent to passing said examination, shall, upon like recommendation, receive a salary of [two thousand] twenty-five hundred dollars per year. Each member of said bureau shall be entitled to and shall receive his necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duty. In computing the period of service above referred to, the service rendered by any member of said bureau prior to April first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, shall not be considered. The salaries and expenses of the members of said bureau shall be payable monthly in the same manner as the compensation of other employees of said Department of Labor; the fees received by the commissioner for such licenses shall be paid into the State treasury.

And by changing the number of section nineteen in the said Senate bill number two hundred and nine to section twenty.

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of

more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 78, 142, 146, 148, 162, Committee Substitute for No. 200, Committee Substitute for 201, 208, 214, 216, Committee Substitute for 242, 207 and 220.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 280, 14 with Senate amendments, 15 with Senate amendments, 71 with Senate amendments, 101 with Senate amendments, 167 with Senate amendments, 64, 124 and 231 with Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, February 19th, 1918.

TUESDAY, February 19th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answer the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

A. J. R. No. 6 and A. J. R. No. 7.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

A. J. R. No. 4.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, Committee Substitute for 191, Senate Bill No. 248,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 148 and 292,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 228, Assembly Bills Nos. 389, 365 and 321,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 212,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 35,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 232.

Signed—David G. Conrad, Lewis T. Stevens, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 232 was read and adopted.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 211,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 339,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Lewis T. Stevens.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231 was read and adopted.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 204,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water-supply commissioners in the water-supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water-supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water-Supply District and the South Jersey Water-Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,' "

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act requiring proprietors of theatres, moving-picture houses and other places of public amusement to call the attention of their patrons at every performance to all exits and fire-escapes in the manner hereinafter described, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act concerning the use by the government of the United States of surface or underground waters for purposes connected with the military encampments within this State,"

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 4, "A joint resolution creating a joint legislative committee to investigate the practical operation of and to codify and supplement existing laws governing the county and township roads in this State with respect to the standardization of methods of construction, administration and maintenance thereof,"

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 7, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of municipal, county and State pensions, and the Teachers' Retirement Fund and the teachers' thirty-five year half-pay pension fund,"

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 6, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission for the investigation of methods employed and the laws which govern the finances of municipalities, counties and school districts,"

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "An act relating to pupils of the public schools of this State who shall enter the military or naval service of the United States,"

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to protect hospitals, sanitariums, dispensaries and clinics from impostors,"

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation "R. N." and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary thereof,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Florance, McGlennon, Runyon—4.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill

to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.,' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City," passed March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of

ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State,' approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 247 and Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 229.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to create in cities of the first class in this State the office of auditor of accounts, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof,"

Was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 125 and 165,

Favorably, with amendment.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler.

The following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 165, was read and adopted:

Amend section 1 by striking out all of line 10 after the word "annum".

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven, approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to enable municipalities to pay for certain improvements left or to be left uncompleted because of war conditions, and to authorize the assessment of benefits for any completed portion of any such improvement prior to the completion of the whole thereof, and validating improvement certificates issued or to be issued in payment thereof,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative were—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the Senate be granted to the Hon. William A. Growney, of Arlington, New Jersey.

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act amending an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same; of the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Case, Stevens—2.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalty for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 234 and 235,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

And

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by act approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six) 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—20.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 138,

Without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning firemen's relief associations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, register of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Munson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Munson offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend paragraph 4, line 9, by striking out the words "one hundred" after the word "between" and placing in lieu thereof "eighty-two".

Amend paragraph 4, line 11, by striking out the words "one hundred" and substituting in lieu thereof the words "eighty-two".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, ad Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 96 and 122,

Assembly Bill No. 100, without recommendation.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 198,

Assembly Bills Nos. 196, with Senate amendment, and 195, with Senate amendment.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries, and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

And

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act creating a department of State police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Munson moved that Assembly Bill No. 100 be made special order of business for Wednesday, February 20th, 1918.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 162.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 298.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act concerning police justices in the villages of this State,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wanaque, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Bloomingdale, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Pompton Lakes, in the county of Passaic, parts of the township of Pompton, in the county of Passaic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ringwood, in the county of Passaic,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wanaque, in the county of Passaic,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Bloomingdale, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Pompton Lakes, in the county of Passaic, parts of the township of Pompton, in the county of Passaic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ringwood, in the county of Passaic,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 184,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering, and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918),"

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918),"

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act establishing a fiscal year in all towns, townships, boroughs, villages, counties and other municipalities, excepting first and second class cities and first class counties, and the time for publishing and filing the various reports of the officers of the same,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to extend the provisions of the act to apply to first and second class cities and first class counties, and to provide for raising funds in municipalities and counties affected by this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for State road purposes,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to regulate the assessment and collection of taxes upon the shares of the capital stock of banks, banking associations and trust companies incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of this State, and engaged in business within this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend a supplement to an act, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled 'An act for the taxation of all the property and franchises of persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal and corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the sup-

plements or amendments thereto, and except corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act concerning the salaries of assessors and collectors of taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to change the date of annual meeting for voting appropriations in certain municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning sinking funds and sinking fund commissions,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining floating indebtedness and authorizing and directing the funding of floating and other indebtedness in any municipality and county in this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendatory act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act concerning municipal accountants,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act requiring the audit of public accounts,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act validating the local budget heretofore adopted by any municipality of this State pursuant to the provisions of chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918),"

And

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918),"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act establishing a fiscal year in all towns, townships, boroughs, villages, counties and other municipalities, excepting first and second class cities and first class counties, and the time for publishing and filing the various reports of the officers of the same,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to extend the provisions of the act to apply to first and second class cities and first class counties, and to provide for raising funds in municipalities and counties affected by this act,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for State road purposes,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to regulate the assess-

ment and collection of taxes upon the shares of the capital stock of banks, banking associations and trust companies incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of this State, and engaged in business within this State,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend a supplement to an act, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled 'An act for the taxation of all the property and franchises of persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal and corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto, and except corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act concerning the salaries of assessors and collectors of taxes,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand

eight hundred and eighty-four,' which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to change the date of annual meeting for voting appropriations in certain municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning sinking funds and sinking fund commissions,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining floating indebtedness and authorizing and directing the funding of floating and other indebtedness in any municipality and county in this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees: prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendatory act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act concerning municipal accountants,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act requiring the audit of public accounts,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act validating the local budget heretofore adopted by any municipality of this State pursuant to the provisions of chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 8, 127, 173, 199 and 226,

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 26, 126, 180, 193, 103, with Senate amendments, Committee Substitute for 192 with Senate amendments.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title to whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers,"

Senate Bill No. 44, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers, approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend the title and the body of an act entitled 'An act to fix the minimum of salary of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization,"

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases," approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made,"

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Com-

missioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading-rooms,"

And

Senate Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to prevent the advertising, labeling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,

"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Wednesday, February 20th, at 12 o'clock noon.

WEDNESDAY, February 20th, 1918.

At 12 o'clock noon the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for Senate 59, Committee Substitute for Senate 172, Substitute for Senate 98, 138, 211 and 234.

Assembly Bills Nos. Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72; 165 with Senate amendments, and 46 with Senate amendments.

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 121 and Committee Substitute for 158.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158 was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in mercantile establishments,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 249 and 250.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the

governing of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which further supplement was approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,"

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to court criers of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the third class,"

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and

three,' which amendatory act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act making the cost of repairing and removing unsafe buildings, in cities of this State, a lien upon the land,"

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers,' approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision, 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning naturalization and regulating the procedure in cases of naturalization in courts of this State and establishing uniform fees for clerks and judges in naturalization cases,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the making and collection of assessments conferred by the construction of sewers and drains,' approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which further supplement was approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to court criers of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the third class,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No 327, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendatory act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act making the cost of repairing and removing unsafe buildings, in cities of this State, a lien upon the land,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers,' approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision, 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning naturalization and regulating the procedure in cases of naturalization in courts of this State and establishing uniform fees of clerks and judges in naturalization cases,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

And

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Asembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war,"

Without amendment;

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds" (Revision of 1918),

With Assembly amendments;

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to establish a public record office,"

With Assembly amendments,

And

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

With Assembly amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 15 were read three times and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 43 were read three times and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 56 were read three times and adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—13.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 198 236 and 379.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 423, 424, 425, 426 and 283.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act en-

titled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' " approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to provide for the removal of grass and weeds from lots in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wanaque, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Bloomingdale, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Pompton Lakes, in the county of Passaic, parts of the township of Pompton, in the county of Passaic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ringwood, in the county of Passaic,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act creating a department of State police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and lost:

Insert after the word "States", on line 15, page 2, and before the preposition "of" the following words: "and of the State of New Jersey".

Mr. Hammond offered the following further amendment, which was read:

Strike out the period after the word "paid" on page 4, section 8, line 7, insert a semicolon in lieu thereof and add the following words:

Provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall cease and determine six months after the treaty of peace is signed in the present conflict between the United States and Germany.

And lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon—4.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—12.

Mr. Hammond offered the following further amendment, which was read:

Strike out the period after the word "equipment" on line 12, page 3; insert a semicolon in lieu thereof and add the following words:

"*Provided,* that each trooper shall be confined in his patrol to the district to which he is assigned except it be in actual pursuit of a law breaker."

And lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Hammond, McGlennon—2.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—10.

Mr. McGlennon asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following amendment, which was read:

Amend section 3, line 19, by striking out after the words "and provided," "that voluntary withdrawal from the State Police force without the consent of the Superintendent of State Police shall be a misdemeanor, and".

And lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon—5.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—10.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess of one hour.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Munson moved that Assembly Bill No. 100 be laid over until Thursday, February 21st, 1918.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Assembly Bill No. 7,

Favorably.

Signed—David G. Conrad, William N. Runyon, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 223.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, David G. Conrad.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highway, reported

Assembly Bill No. 139,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 251, with amendment,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 251 was read and adopted:

Strike out all of subparagraph E down to and including the word "highways".

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 22, with committee amendments.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 22 were read and adopted:

Amend section 2 by changing the period at the end of line 8 to a comma, and add the following: "provided, this section shall not affect the use of funds of departments, such as water departments, for the operation of which budget appropriations are not made."

Strike out all of sections 5 and 6.

Change section 7 to read section 5.

Change section 8 to read section 6.

Change section 9 to read section 7.

Change section 10 to read section 8.

Insert a new section to be known as section 9, to read as follows:

"9. That section 10 of Article XX of the act to which this act is an amendment be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

10. No local improvement shall be undertaken by a municipality where objections thereto in writing are filed by the owners of two-thirds in value of the lands proposed to be assessed for benefits accruing from such improvement. Such objection shall be filed with the clerk of the governing body before the final passage of the ordinance providing for such improvement.

The question as to whether the necessary two-thirds have joined in such objection shall be determined by the governing

body, which shall use for that purpose the last preceding valuation for the purpose of taxation; *provided, however,* that if the governing body shall determine that such local improvement is a public necessity, then such municipality may undertake such local improvement, notwithstanding such objection. The person or persons filing such objections may, however, within ten days after passing such ordinance, appeal from the determination of the governing body as to the public necessity of such improvement, to the judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the county wherein such municipality is located, by a notice, in writing, filed with the clerk of such municipality, which appeal may be brought on by either party on five days' notice, and the determination of the judge of said Court of Common Pleas as to the public necessity of such improvement shall be final."

Insert a new section, to be known as section 10, to read as follows:

"10. That section 18, Article XX, of the act to which this act is an amendment be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

18. In any municipality where no such board is provided for by law or by such ordinance, the governing body may, by resolution, upon the completion of any local improvement, appoint three discreet freeholders, who shall be residents of the municipality, and in no way interested in such improvement, in which instance the freeholders so appointed shall make the assessment of such particular improvement; *provided,* in case such improvement shall be of a general nature affecting the greater part of the properties in said municipality, none of the commissioners shall be disqualified by reason of the fact that they, or any of them, may own a property or properties included in such assessment."

Amend section 15, line 3, by striking out the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "3."

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38,

Assembly Bill No. 327,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38 was read and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

As amended;

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

As amended,

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 239 and 240.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight,' which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to "An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogate"' (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 216,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,' which further supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses,' approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendatory act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendatory act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to authorize companies

operating street railways to carry freight and express matter thereon,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 10, by adding after the "period" following the words "such action", the following:

"All moneys collected under the provisions of this act shall be used by the Commissioner of Labor exclusively for the purposes mentioned in an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven."

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Sturgess—2.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Wells moved that Senate Bill No. 176 be recommitted to Committee on Public Health.

Which was agreed to.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Ackerson, and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Ackerson moved that the rules be suspended and said bill leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 209,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

Senate Bill No. 248, enttiled "An act relating to salaries, wages and compensation of officers, employees, servants and agents, to be paid out of th funds of a county,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 3, line 5, by striking out the period after the word "year" and insert a comma in lieu thereof, and adding the following: "nor shall the provisions of this act apply to salaries which have been fixed by a referendum vote at an election heretofore held."

On motion of Mr. Richards, said bill was laid over temporarily.

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34.

All with amendments.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 20 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 21 was read and adopted.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 23 was read and adopted:

Amend section 6, line 1, by inserting after the word "voters" the words "of each of said municipalities".

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 24 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 2, before the line reading "44–45 (Revision of 1877, page 133) (1865–955)" insert the following paragraph:

36b (1894–529)

"A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," approved May 25, 1894.

Page 5, in the paragraph headed "70 (1902–188)" in line 1, before the word "An" insert a double quotation mark.

Page 7, in the paragraph headed "89–92 (1881–132)", at the top of the page, line 2, between the words "State" and "to" insert a comma; and in same line, between the words "purposes" and "in" insert a comma.

Page 7, in the paragraph headed "89 (1893–60)", line 3, between the words "purposes" and "in" insert a comma.

Page 8, near the bottom of the page, in the heading to the paragraph which reads "103–115 (1885–137)", strike out "103" and insert "113".

Page 9, in the paragraph at the top of page, headed "121 (1894–341)", line 2, after the word "February" and before the word "twenty-", insert the word "the".

Page 9, in the paragraph headed "130 (1900–67)", in line 4, strike out "18", and insert "16".

Page 9, in the heading to paragraph which reads "131–134 (1908–269)" strike out "131–134" and insert "131 and 134".

Page 10, in the paragraph headed "141 (1909–36)", line 3, between the words "and" and "terms", insert the word "the".

Page 11, in the heading to paragraph which reads "161–163 (1902–42)", strike out "161–163" and insert "161 and 163".

Page 11, in paragraph headed "165–166 (1908–576))", in line 2, after the word "lands" insert a comma.

Page 11, in paragraph headed "165–166 (1908–576)", in line 2, after the word "lands" insert a comma.

Page 11, in paragraph headed "167 (1910–519)", in line 1, strike out the word "acquirement" and insert the word "equipment".

Page 12, in paragraph headed "180 (1891–279)", in line 2, after the word "or" insert the word "newspaper"; and after the word "proprietors" insert a comma.

Page 12, in the heading to paragraph which read "208, 211, 212, 214 (1895–575)", strike out "208, 211, 212, 214" and insert "208–211, 212–214".

Page 13, in paragraph headed "211, 211a (1899–327)", in line 3, after the word "twenty-second" insert a comma.

Page 14, in paragraph headed "(1911, Ch. 111)", in line 5, strike out the figure "8" and insert "6".

Page 16, in paragraph headed "(1914, Ch. 10)" in line 1, before the word "An" insert a double quotation mark.

Page 17, in paragraph headed "(1915, Ch. 327)", at bottom of page, in line 1, strike out the word "expenditures" and insert the word "almshouses".

Page 20, section 9, at the end of said section, add the following: "Nothing contained in this act shall be construed as repealing an act or any supplement to any act relating to the raising of moneys for the maintenance of any county park system."

Page 20, section 8, line 2, strike out at the beginning of said line "ceeding" and insert "ceedings."

Add a section to be known as section ten, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 25 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 2, in the paragraph headed "10c (1909-53)" in line 1, between the words "act" and "entitled" insert a comma.

Page 3, in the heading of paragraph which reads as follows, "12i-12n (1892-328)", strike out "12i" and insert "12L".

Page 4, in heading of paragraph which reads as follows, "66a 21 (Rev. of 1877, p. 1014) (1859-526)", strike out "66a 21" and insert "66a-66a 21".

Page 5, in the paragraph headed "66a 34-66a 35 (1888-384)" in line 1, strike out the words "an act" and insert "the 'Act".

Page 7, in paragraph headed "69a (1888-421)" in line 3, strike out "1885" and insert "1888".

Page 9, in the heading to paragraph which reads "145 (1881-18)", strike out the figures "18" and insert "19".

Page 14, in paragraph headed "326 (1908-91)" in line 2, strike out the word "of" between the words "Revision" and "1905".

Page 14, in paragraph headed "327 (1908-136)" in line 1, between the words "act" and "entitled" insert a comma.

Page 15, in paragraph headed "333-334 (1896-209)" in line 1, strike out the word "repair" and insert the word "repairs".

Page 15, in paragraph headed "335 (1897-146)", in line 1, strike out the word "board" and insert the word "boards".

Page 16, in paragraph headed "352-353 (1903-94)", in line 5, strike out the word "concluded" and insert the word "included". And in line 8, between the words "act" and "shall" insert a comma.

Page 17, in paragraph headed "364-368 (1906-57)", in line 4, between "trol" and the word "of" insert a comma.

Page 19, in paragraph headed "426-432 (1888-240)", in line 3, strike out the word "committees" and insert the word "committee". And at the end of line 3 add "ing, macadamizing and improving the same", approved March 23d, 1888." Also strike out the following line, which is numbered 1.

Page 20, in paragraph headed "486-487 (Rev. of 1877, p. 1033) (1874-95)", in line 1, strike out the word "an" and insert "'An".

Page 20, in paragraph headed "494 (1879-17)", in line 1, between the words "boards" and "in" insert a comma.

Page 23, in the heading to paragraph which reads "519 (1888-384)", strike out the figures "384" and insert "364".

Page 25, in paragraph headed "573-576 (1899-200)", in line 2, between the words "railroads" and "by" insert a comma.

Page 29, in paragraph headed "(1911-Ch. 33)", in line 3, at top of page 29, between the words "repair" and "or" insert a comma. And in line 7, strike out the words "and improve such road or roads, and to acquire lands for such". And in line 11, between the words "using" and "road" insert the word "such".

Page 30, in paragraph headed "(1912, Ch. 380)", in line 4, between the words "location" and "and" insert the word "of".

Page 30, in paragraph headed "(1913, Ch. 277)", in line 4, strike out the figure "2" and insert the figure "8".

Page 32, in paragraph headed "(1916, Ch. 158)", in line 2, strike out the word "of" between the words "ocean" and "any", and insert the word "or".

Page 32, in the heading to paragraph which reads "(1918, Ch. 200)", strike out the figure "8" and insert the figure "6".

Page 33, section 5, line 1, strike out the words "any munici-". Line 2, strike out the words "pality, department or board thereof, or of". Line 3, strike out the words "municipality, department or board thereof,". Line 4, strike out the words "and by or on behalf of any". Line 5, strike out the words "municipality, and of such". Line 6, strike out the words "municipality, department or board, or by such". Line 6, after the word "county" insert a comma.

Page 34, section 6, line 2, strike out the words "municipal or".

Page 34, section 7, line 2, strike out the words "municipality or"; and between the words "body" and "from" insert a comma. Line 4, strike out the words "municipality or".

Page 34, section 8, line 2, between the words "improvement" and "or" insert a comma. Line 3, between the words "purpose" and "undertaken" insert a comma.

Page 5, in the paragraph headed "66a 31 (1885-112)", in line 1, strike out the word "an" and insert "An"; and after the word "roads" insert a single quotation mark.

Add a section to be known as section ten, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 26 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Line 2, after the word "repealed" insert a colon. Also strike out the words "(Comp. Stat., 'Turnpikes,' Secs.) :". Also, between lines 2 and 3, insert "(Comp. Stats., 'Turnpikes,' Secs.) :".

Add a section to be known as section ten, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 27 was read and adopted:

Add a section to be known as section 2, to read as follows:

2. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 28 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the word "Bridges" insert a double quotation mark.

Page 1, in paragraph headed "7–8 (1851–241)" after the

word "entitled" insert a comma. Also after the word "bridges" insert a single quotation mark.

Page 4, paragraph headed "33–34 (Rev. of 1877, p. 88)", strike out the heading to said paragraph and also lines 1 and 2.

Page 5, paragraph headed "33–38 (1894–191)", strike out the heading to said paragraph and also lines 1, 2 and 3.

Page 5, paragraph headed "36–37 (1881–110)", strike out the heading to said paragraph and also lines 1, 2 and 3.

Page 7, in paragraph headed "88–89 (1891–61)", line 1, strike out the words "to authorize" and insert the word "authorizing".

Page 8, in paragraph headed "104–108 (1903–17)", in line 2, between the words "State" and "where" insert a comma. In line 4, between the words "bridges" and "to" insert a comma. In line 5, between the words "unsuitable" and "or" insert a comma.

Page 8, in paragraph headed "104–108 (1903–17)", in line 2, between the words "State" and "to" insert a comma; and between the words "highway" and "located" insert a comma. In line 3, between the words "county" and "over" insert a comma. In line 7, between the words "agree" and "to" insert a comma.

Page 9, in paragraph headed "(1911, Ch. 326)", in line 4, between the words "highways" and "intersected" insert a comma.

Page 10, in paragraph headed "(1912, Ch. 185)", in line 2, between the words "construct" and "and" insert a acomma. In line 3, between the words "county" and "connecting" insert a comma.

Page 10, in paragraph headed "(1914, Ch. 46)" in line 2, between the words "streams" and "which" insert a comma.

Page 11, section 4, line 4, strike out the word "when" and insert "where".

Add a section to be known as section 10, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 29 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Line 3, on page 1, strike out "Stat." and insert "Stats.".

Line 9, strike out the figures "23-30" and insert "23 and 30".

Line 11, strike out "bqy" and insert "by".

Line 13, strike the double quotation mark after the word "same" and insert a single quotation mark.

Line 21, on page 2, strike out the figures "1872" and insert "172".

Amend section 6 as follows:

Line 1, at the end of the line, after the word "tax," insert "or".

Amend section 8 as follows:

Line 3, insert a comman after "pose".

Add a section to be known as section 10, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, one thousand nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 30 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 1, line 2, between the words "acts" and "repealed" insert the word "be".

In line 3, before the word "Fairs" insert a double quotation mark.

Add a section to be known as section 2, to read as follows:

2. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 30 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1, as follows:

Page 1, section 1, line 15, strike out the word "service" and insert "services".

Add a section, to be known as section seven, to read as follows

7. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendment to Senate Bill No. 32 was read and adopted:

Add a section, to be known as section three, to read as follows:

3. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 33 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 1, line 2, strike out "(Comp. Stats., "Cities", Secs.)"; and between that line and the paragraph heading "1124 (1884–292)" insert "(Comp. Stats., "Cities," Secs.)".

Page 1, in the paragraph headed "1131–1132 (1889–130)", in line 2, strike out the figures "20" and insert "30".

Page 2, in the heading to paragraph which reads "1174–1175 (1891–66)", strike out "1891" and insert "1881".

Page 2, in the paragraph headed "1176–1178 (1883–12)", in line 2, strike out the word "of" and insert "or".

Page 3, in the paragraph headed "1177 (1884–97)", in line 1, after the word "entitled" insert a comma.

Page 5, strike out the heading to paragraph at the top of the page, which reads "1384–1389–1392–1396–1398–1412 (1891–249)", and insert in place thereof the following heading: "1384–1389, 1392–1396, 1398–1412 (1891–249)".

Page 6, in the paragraph headed "1389–1391 (1893–164)", in line 4, after the word "cities", insert a comma.

Page 6, in the paragraph headed "1391 (1895–151), in line 2, strike out the comma after the word "State". And in line 5, strike out the comma after the word "boards".

Page 7, in the heading to paragraph which reads "1397–1416 (1892–130)", strike out "1397–1416" and insert "1397 and 1416". And in said paragraph, in line 4, after the word "cities" insert a comma.

Page 7, in the paragraph headed "1413–1415 (1892–143)", strike out the word "such" and insert "said".

Page 7, in the paragraph headed "1416 (1892–427)", in line 3, strike out the comma after the word "boards". And in line 4, after the word "cities" insert a comma.

Page 8, in the paragraph headed "1417–1424 (1894–524)", in line 5 (at the top of page 8), strike out the comma after the word "boards". In line 6, at the end of the line, strike out "ap-", and in line 7, strike out "proved", and insert "passed".

Page 8, in the paragraph headed "1425–1429 (1895–614)", in line 3, strike out the comma after the word "therein". And in line 5, strike out the comma after the word "boards".

Page 8, in the paragraph headed "1430–1432 (1896–214)", in line 3, strike out the comma after the word "boards". And in line 4, after the word "cities" insert a comma.

Page 9, in the paragraph headed "1433 (1897–254)", in line 4, after the word "cities" insert a comma.

Page 10, in the paragraph headed "1434 (1910–40)", in line 4 (at the top of page 10), after the word "cities" insert a comma.

Page 10, in the paragraph headed "1469–1476 (1895–407)". in line 4, strike out the word "assessment" and insert "assessments".

Page 11, in the paragraph headed "1477–1486 (1895–582)", in line 3, strike out the comma after the word "same" and insert a semicolon.

Page 11, in the paragraph headed "1481 (1900–405)", in line 3, strike out the word "payment" and insert "pavement". And in line 3, at the end of the line. after the word "same", strike out the comma and insert a semicolon. And in line 4, after the word "providing", insert a comma. And in line 5, after the word "full", insert a comma. And in line 5, strike out the word "at" and insert "in".

Page 11, in the paragraph headed "1483 (1898–67)", in line 3, at the end of the line, after the word same, strike out the comma and insert a semicolon.

Page 12, in the heading to paragraph which reads "1522–24 (1907–532)", strike out "1522–24" and insert "1522–1524".

Page 14, in the paragraph headed "1541–1542 (1902–633)", in line 2, strike out the word "reconstruction" and insert "reconstructing".

Page 14, in the heading to paragraph which reads "1543–1546 (1902–702)", strike out the figures "702" and insert "703".

Page 15, in the paragraph headed "1654–1656 (1882–101)", in line 2, strike out the comma after the word "thoroughfare".

Page 16, section 6, line 1, at the end of the line, after the word "tax", insert a comma.

Add a section to be known as section ten, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The following amendments to Senate Bill No. 34 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 as follows:

Page 1, at the end of line 5, after the word "alter" insert a comma.

Page 2, line 18, after the word "villages" insert a comma.

Line 19, after the word "money" insert a comma.

Line 19, after the word "loans" insert a comma.

Line 26, between the word "act" and the word "entitled" insert a comma.

Line 45, after the word "irrigation" strike out the comma and insert a semicolon.

Line 46, between the words "of" and "construction" insert the word "the".

Page 3, section 3, line 2, after the word "municipality" insert a comma.

Add a section to be known as section 10, to read as follows:

10. This act shall take effect February first, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241 was read and adopted.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176 was read and adopted.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 272.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William E. Florance.

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'A supplement to the act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,' and which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of district police systems,"

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to counties,"

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to roads,"

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads,"

Senate Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act in relation to turnpike roads,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six" (Revision of 1877),

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts,"

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain,"

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions,"

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments,"

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers,"

Senate Bill No. 33, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to cities,"

And

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act making the cost of repairing and removing unsafe buildings, in cities of this State, a lien upon the land,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 310,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond,

And

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens,

McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court, Circuit Court and Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines,

Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to authorize the sale by any municipality in the State of any abandoned or unclaimed goods, wares or merchandise which may be left unclaimed by the owners thereof in any hospital conducted by such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to create the office of inspector of combustibles and fire risks in cities of the first class, and to define the duties thereof,' approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide and furnish an office for the use of the county superintendent of schools, at the county seat of the several counties of this State, and to aid in maintaining the same," approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said amendatory act was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor (Revision of 1911),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "An act regarding exempt firemen of volunteer fire departments, volunteer fire engine, hook and ladder, hose or supply companies, or salvage corps of the cities, towns, townships, boroughs and fire districts of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to provide for the changing of the objects of any association not for pecuniary profit,"

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of 1898),

approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "An act to supplement 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations and for the collection thereof," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the licensing and bonding of all dealers in milk and cream who purchase from or contract with producers in this State or who receive milk or cream from such producers for shipment, sale or manufacture,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act creating the office of public defender in the counties of the first and second class, providing for the method of their appointment, defining their powers and duties, and fixing the salary of such officers,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act for the apportionment of assessments for taxes and other municipal assessments or charges,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to authorize the sale by any municipality in the State of any abandoned or unclaimed goods, wares or merchandise which may be left unclaimed by the owners thereof in any hospital conducted by such municipality,"

Were read for the first time by the title ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to create the office of inspector of combustibles and fire risks in cities of the first class, and to define the duties thereof,' approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide and furnish an office for the use of the county superintendent of schools, at the county seat of the several counties of this State, and to aid in maintaining the same," approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said amendatory act was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor (Revision of 1911),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "An act regarding exempt firemen of volunteer fire departments, volunteer fire engine, hook and ladder, hose or supply companies, or salvage corps of the cities, towns, townships, boroughs and fire districts of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to provide for the changing of the objects of any association not for pecuniary profit,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 392 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cor-

porations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "An act to supplement 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations and for the collection thereof," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the licensing and bonding of all dealers in milk and cream who purchase from or contract with producers in this State or who receive milk or cream from such producers for shipment, sale or manufacture,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act creating the office of public defender in the counties of the first and second class, providing for the method of their appointment, defining their powers and duties, and fixing the salary of such officers,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act for the apportionment of assessments for taxes and other municipal assessments or charges,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "An act concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,"

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, "Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and forty-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission,"

All without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 96, 122, 235, Committee Substitute for 229, Committee Substitute for 232,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 251, 252 and 253,

Without recommendation.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases,"

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That a conference committee of three members of the House and three members of the Senate be appointed on Assembly Bill No. 71, and the Senate amendments thereto.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS.
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Mackay, the above resolution was concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in

the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 10, by adding after the words "not exceeding" the word "sixty".

Amend section 3, line 23, after the words "less than" add the figures "33⅓".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act requiring proprietors of theatres, moving-picture houses and other places of public amusement to call the attention of their patrons at every performance to all exits and fire-escapes in the manner hereinafter described, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "An act relating to pupils of the public schools of this State who shall enter the military or naval service of the United States,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, which amend-

ment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to protect hospitals, sanitariums, dispensaries and clinics from impostors,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled "An act in relation to municipalities,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the words "such grantor or to his heirs or devisees", section 1, line 5; also section 1, line 6, strike out "the said land and premises" and insert in lieu thereof "to the owner or owners of the property in front of and adjoining which said land so abandoned lies".

On line 5, after the words "to convey" and before the word "by" insert "the said land".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act concerning the use by the government of the United States of surface or underground waters for purposes connected with the military encampments within this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were:

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation "R. N." and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act concerning police justices in the villages of this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

In accordance with a concurrent resolution adopted by the House of Assembly and concurred in by the Senate, the President, Mr. McCran, appointed the following Senators: Mr. Richards, Mr. McGlennon and Mr. Mackay.

On motion of Mr. Richards, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17 was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend article 3, section 301, line 5, by striking out the words "the board of chosen freeholders" and insert in lieu thereof the word "county".

Amend article 4 by striking out all of sections 401, 402, 403, 404, 405 and 406 and change the numbers of sections "407, 408 and 409" to "401, 402 and 403" respectively.

Amend article 5, section 501, line 8, by inserting between the words "the" and "doing" the words "hiring of teams or".

After the word "county", in line 12, strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof a semicolon and add the following, *"and provided, further,* if the exigency of any public service will not admit of such advertisement, said work may be done or said materials may be purchased forthwith, provided the board charged with doing or purchasing the same shall first, by a four-fifths vote of all its members, pass a resolution declaring such exigency to exist, and that the immediate performance of the work and furnishing of any materials will not admit of the ordinary delay in advertising for proposals,".

Section 202, line 5, after the word "bidder" strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof a colon and add the following: "*provided, however,* no advertisement shall be necessary in cases where the materials or supplies to be purchased will cost less than five hundred dollars."

Amend article 5, section 505, line 5, by inserting a period after the word "work" and striking out the rest of the section.

Amend article 5, section 507, by striking out the period after the word "specifications" in line 14 and adding the following: "*provided,* in case a bidder desires to offer the bond of an individual instead of that of a surety company as above provided, he shall submit with his bid a statement or statements and consent signed by such individual similar to that required of a surety company as above. The officer, board, commission, committee, or department, or other branch of any county government, may reject any such bid if it is not satisfied with the sufficiency of the individual surety so offered."

Amend article 11, section 1101, by striking out lines 15 and 16 and changing the subdivisions "(g)" and "(h)" to read "(f)" and "(g)" respectively.

Amend section 1114, line 3, by striking out the words "said board of chosen freeholders" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "county".

Amend section 1121, line 4, by adding the following: "This section shall not apply where ordinary or minor repairs are to be made."

Insert a section as follows: "1142. All resolutions or proceedings affecting the opening or change in location of any road, or the widening or vacating of any road, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the county and shall be recorded in the Road Book." And change the number of section "1142" to "1143".

Amend section 1306, line 9, by striking out the following: "then each of said boards shall, by resolution, appoint one commissioner and said commissioners so appointed shall select one other commissioner; all of said commissioners" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "either of said boards may apply to a justice of the Supreme Court, who shall appoint three commissioners who".

Amend section 1318 by striking out the entire section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "1318. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, corporation or corporations, to lay any tracks, pipes or conduits on, over or under any pub-

lic viaduct or bridge, or to connect any wires, cables or other appliances to any such viaduct or bridge without obtaining the consent of the board or boards of freeholders operating or maintaining such viaduct or bridge and complying with such reasonable terms and conditions as may be prescribed by said board or boards; *provided, however,* that any public utility corporation which is subject to the regulation of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, and whose rates are subject to be fixed by said board, having the right to use the highway on both sides of any public viaduct or bridge, may lay its tracks, pipes or conduits on, over or under said viaduct or bridge, and may connect any wires, cables or other appliances thereto, at its own cost and expense, under such reasonable terms and regulations as the board or boards of freeholders operating and maintaining such viaduct or bridge may prescribe, which terms and regulations may be contained in an agreement between said board or boards of freeholders and said public utility corporation, and such agreement may contain such provisions in regard to the use of such viaduct or bridge as may be agreed upon, but in no event shall such public utility corporation be required to pay for such use more than an amount sufficient to compensate the county for the extra burden imposed upon the county by reason of the use of any such viaduct or bridge by such public utility corporation. In case said board or boards of freeholders and said public utility corporation cannot agree upon the regulations or the amount to be paid hereunder, an appeal may be taken to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, which board shall have power, after hearing, to fix the regulations governing such use, and the amount to be paid, if any, by such public utility corporation."

Amend article 17, section 1712, line 26, by striking out the words "subject to the penalties" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "guilty".

Amend article 17, by changing the numbers of sections "1719" and "1720" to "1720" and "1721" respectively and insert the following: "1719. Every board of chosen freeholders shall have power to raise by taxation, in the method prescribed by law, all necessary money to pay for any improvement or property, which it is authorized to make or acquire, and to pay the current expenses of maintaining the same, and for the execution and performance of any power or authority given to such county, or the board of chosen freeholders thereof, and to pay the principal of and interest upon all obligations and debts of said

county, for the maintenance of county parks, and for the fulfillment of all obligations imposed by law upon the county."

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission for the investigation of methods employed and the laws which govern the finances of municipalities, counties and school districts,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of municipal, county and State pensions, and the Teachers' Retirement Fund and the teachers' thirty-five year half-pay pension fund,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Fithian, Florance, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that in accordance with the concurrent resolution, providing for a conference on Assembly Bill No. 71, the Speaker of the House has appointed as the conferees on the part of the House, Messrs. Hershfield, Gaede and Wilson.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards moved that a committee from the House of Assembly be received, which was agreed to.

The committee from the House of Assembly presented the following message, which was read:

Message from the House of Assembly presented by the managers appointed for the impeachment of Wilbur D. Speece, Justice of the Peace.

Mr. President: In obedience to the order of the House of Assembly, we appear before you and, in the name of the House of Assembly and of all of the people of the State of New Jersey, we do impeach Wilbur D. Speece, a Justice of the Peace, of the Township of Egg Harbor, New Jersey, of high crimes and misdemeanor in office, and we further inform the Senate that the House of Assembly will, in due time, exhibit particular articles of impeachment against him and make good the same, and in their name we demand that the Senate take order for the appearance of said Wilbur B. Speece to answer said impeachment.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the message just received from the House of Assembly by a committee of that body, be referred to a select committee of the Senate, to consider and report thereon, and also prepare and submit rules for the government of the Senate when sitting as a high court of impeachment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 344,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide and furnish an office for the use of the county superintendent of schools, at the county seat of the several counties of this State, and to aid in maintaining the same," approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said amendatory act was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed them that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 178, 185, 189, 195, 225, 227, 228 and 243.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 40, 183, 203, 205, 230, 264, 295 and 296.

Senate Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bill was then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 11 o'clock, Thursday, February 21st.

THURSDAY, February 21st, 1918.

At 11 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., of Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards Runyon, Sturgess—12.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wrightstown in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to prevent substitution and deception of the public by misappropriation of labels, trademarks, designations or forms of advertisement, by forbidding the wrongful use thereof, imposing penalties for violations of

its provisions to be sued for by the party aggrieved, and conferring jurisdiction upon courts of equity in such cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the appointment of commissioners of assessment of taxes in certain cities,' approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wrightstown in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to prevent substitution and deception of the public by misappropriation of labels, trademarks, designations or forms of advertisement, by forbidding the wrongful use thereof, imposing penalties for violations of its provisions to be sued for by the party aggrieved, and conferring jurisdiction upon courts of equity in such cases,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the appointment of commissioners of assessment of taxes in certain cities,' approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred ot the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by act approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six) 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate had passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wanaque, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Bloomingdale, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—13.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Pompton Lakes, in the county of Passaic, parts of the township of Pompton, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ringwood, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven, approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State," approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four,' which further supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendatory act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide and furnish an office for the use of the county superintendent of schools, at the county seat of the several counties of this State, and to aid in maintaining the same," approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said amendatory act was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 178, 303, 395 and 401,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 258,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 368,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 52, 55, 56, 58, 59, 61 and 372, favorably; 51, with amendment.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Samuel T. Munson.

The following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 51 was read and adopted:

Amend section 704, in line 6, by striking out the word "similarly" and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "in a summary manner".

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 239, 240, 248, 249, 250, 251, C. S. for 38, C. S. for 186,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 121.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918),"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to authorize the sale by any municipality in the State of any abandoned or unclaimed goods, wares or merchandise which may be left unclaimed by

the owners thereof in any hospital conducted by such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the licensing and bonding of all dealers in milk and cream who purchase from or contract with producers in this State or who receive milk or cream from such producers for shipment, sale or manufacture,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the appointment of commissioners of assessment of taxes in certain cities,' approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act concerning the salaries of assessors and collectors of taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend a supplement to an act, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled 'An act for the taxation of all the property and franchises of persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal and corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the

taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto, and except corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this States,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to regulate the assessment and collection of taxes upon the shares of the capital stock of banks, banking associations and trust companies incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of this State, and engaged in business within this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for State road purposes,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918),"

And

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 12:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—18.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 26, 19, 247, Committee Substitute for 158,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 227, 352,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr.

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to promote home life for dependent children,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor (Revision of 1911),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, conisdered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 2:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—18.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions supported in whole or in part by State funds,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Mnuicipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 267 and 299.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act authorizing and regulating certain classes of indemnity reciprocal or inter-insurance

contracts; empowering corporations to make such contracts; regulating process in suits on such contracts; fixing certain fees, and providing penalties for any violations of this act,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to provde for municipal aid to Home Defense Units,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 253,

Favorably.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bill No. 253 was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 21st, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 118, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries,"

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled "An act authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to 'An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,' approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the division of townships into street-lighting districts, and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said districts,' approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242, entitled "An act giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of lands within the State for public purposes,"

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 21st, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Fisheries, defining its powers and duties, regulating the taking of fish with point nets in the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of this State and in the waters of Sandy Hook bay or Raritan bay, and the disposal of food fish so taken,"

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of frauds and perjuries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which said amendment was approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved June twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),"'"

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act relating to the compilation and codification of the ordinances of cities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain judicial officers and fixing their compensation when retired,"

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act to fix the allowance of sheriffs for victualling, care and keep of prisoners in the county jails of the respective counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to amend an amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which amendment was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Fisheries, defining is powers and duties, regulating the taking of fish with point nets in the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of this State and in the waters of Sandy Hook bay or Raritan bay, and the disposal of food fish so taken.

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

And

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of frauds and perjuries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which said amendment was approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved June twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),"' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act relating to the compilation and codification of the ordinances of cities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain judicial officers and fixing their compensation when retired,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act to fix the allowance of sheriffs for victualling, care and keep of prisoners in the county jails of the respective counties of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to amend an amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which amendment was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question "Sahll this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to create in cities of the first class in this State the office of auditor of accounts, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to establish a board of estimate and apportionment in counties of the first class and defining its powers and duties,"

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section three, line eight, page two, by striking out the words "and remove them at pleasure,".

On motion of Mr. Mackay, said bill was laid over.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved May fifteenth, nineteen hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries, and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend and supplement 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to provide for the removal of grass and weeds from lots in municipalities of this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses,' approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendatory act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to authorize companies operating street railways to carry freight and express matter thereon,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 47, 134 and 314 with amendment.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

The following Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 314 was read and adopted:

Insert in line 3, after the words "ten thousand", the words "or less than forty thousand".

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13 was read and adopted.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 411.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 20, 21, 31, 32, 34 and 121,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

With Senate amendments,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Fisheries, defining its powers and duties, regulating the taking of fish with point nets in the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of this State and in the waters of Sandy Hook bay or Raritan bay, and the disposal of food fish so taken,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of frauds and perjuries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which said amendment was approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

And

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards moved that when Senate adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Which was agreed to.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. Substitute for 98, 159, Committee Substitute for 172, 198, 209, 237. Committee Substitute for Nos. 4 and 6. Committee Substitute for Nos. 12. 96, 119, 197, 215, 233, 234. 235. Committee Substitute for 246, 249. and Committee Substitute for 220.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 35, 125, 148, 162, 212. Committee Substitute for 228, 292, 298, 321, 339, 365, 389. A. J. R. No. 6. A. J .R. 7. Senate Committee Substitute 72, 195, with Senate amendments, 7, 139, 236, 310. Committee Substitute 344, 423, 424, 425, 426 and 165, with Senate amendments.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and forty-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission,"

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their power and authorities,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "An act concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield,"

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred

and ninety-eight,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242, entitled "An act giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of lands within the State for public purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine),' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authoriing the division of townships into street-lighting districts, and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said districts,' approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to 'An act authoriing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district,' approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 161, entitled "An act authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers,"

Senate Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries,"

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 118, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

And

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his aproval.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned.

Committee on Railroads and Canals will give a hearing on Senate Bill No. 192, Monday, February 25th, 2 P. M., in the Senate Chamber.

FRIDAY, February 22d, 1918.

Mr. Hammond took the chair as President *pro tem.*

Under the direction of the President *pro tem.*, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senator appeared and answered the call:

Mr. Hammond—1.

As there was no quorum present, the Senate then adjourned.

MONDAY, February 25th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the reading of the Journal of February 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st was dispensed with.

The Secretary of the Senate read the following communication:

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20th, 1918.

Mrs. William Hughes wishes to convey to the members of the New Jersey Senate her grateful appreciation of their sympathy expressed in the resolutions adopted by that body on the occasion of Mr. Hughes' death.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to Arthur S. Van Buskirk, Esq., Borough Attorney of the Borough of Keyport.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,

Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four,' which

said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Fithian, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Fithian, and

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Fithian, and

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 3,

Assembly Bill No. 286.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 3 was read and adopted.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 38, 53, 135, with Committee amendments; Committee Substitute for Nos. 136, 137, 138, 140, 141, 142, 143 and 412.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

The following committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 135 were read and adopted:

Amend section 12, line 24, subdivision (b), page 13, by inserting after the word "incurred" the words "by municipalities".

Amend section 12, line 25, subdivision (b), page 13, by inserting after the word "following" the words "and all obligations incurred by counties before the fifteenth day of December following,".

Amend section 13, line 18, subdivision (b), page 14, by inserting after the syllable "quent" the word "tax".

Amend section 8, line 68, page 9, by inserting at the beginning of the line the following: "(f)".

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 277,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported.

Senate Bills Nos. 254, 255 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 2.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 237 and 238,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, William E. Florance.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 33, Committee Substitute for Senate 14, 17, 176, 191, 231, 241, and 15 with Assembly amendments embodied therein;

Assembly Bill No. 314, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

The President announced that Senate Bill No. 15, with Assembly amendments embodied therein, was compared in open Senate and found to be correctly printed.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,

Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed, to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county to provide funds for such purposes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill oN. 286, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain judicial officers and fixing their compensation when retired,"

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act establishing a fiscal year in all towns, townships, boroughs, villages, counties and other municipalities, excepting first and second class cities and first class counties, and the time for publishing and filing the various reports of the officers of the same,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to extend the provisions of the act to apply to first and second class cities and first class counties, and to provide for raising funds in municipalities and counties affected by this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to change the date of annual meeting for voting appropriations in certain municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act validating the local budget heretofore adopted by any municipality of this State pursuant to the provisions of chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act requiring the audit of public accounts,"

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act concerning municipal accountants,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining floating indebtedness and authorizing and directing the funding of floating and other indebtedness in any municipality and county in this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning sinking funds and sinking fund commissions,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved June twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Pilgrim, Senate Bill No. 186 was recommitted to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Mr. Hammond offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 71 for further consideration.

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act relating to salaries, wages and compensation of officers, employees, servants and agents, to be paid out of the funds of a county,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, McCran (President), Richards—3.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barber, Hammond, Mutchler, Runyon, Sturgess—5.

Senate Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Line 13, sub-paragraph B, after the word "therefor" strike out the semicolon, insert in lieu thereof a comma, and then the following: "or without a certificate issued by the Secretary of State as now provided by statute;".

On motion of Mr. Pilgrim, said bill was laid over.

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'A supplement to the act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,' and which supplement was

approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly, for further consideration Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 14, with Senate amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The above resolution was received and concurred in on motion of Mr. Richards.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 25th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish,' approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof

in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estates,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs' (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

All without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the State," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' "

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and

brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' approved April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to regulate the buying and selling of firearms,"

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled "An act terminating the term of office of elective assessors in cities of the second class wherein there are now more than five assessors, and providing for the appointment, tenure and removal of their successors,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),'"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 25th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend section one of Article XV of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1918.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' and which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy," which supplement was approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "An act fixing fees for recording deeds, mortgages, bills of sale, chattel mortgages and all other doucuments when offered for record in the several recording offices in this State when the same are written, printed or typewritten in whole or in part, and fixing the fees for official copies and abstracts of such records,"

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1907),' approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' being chapter 237 of the Laws of 1898,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the State," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' approved April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to regulate the buying and selling of firearms,' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled "An act terminating the term of office of elective assessors in cities of the second class wherein there are now more than five assessors, and providing for the appointment, tenure and removal of their successors,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' "

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend section one of Article XV of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' and which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy," which supplement was approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning fees," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six' (P. L. 1866, p. 257), Compiled Statutes 'Fees and Costs,' p. 2290, sec. 11,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1907),' approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and

regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' being chapter 237 of the Laws of 1898,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Legislature: February 25th, 1918.

I herewith transmit to you a bill which enables any corporation of this State to contribute to the American Red Cross and kindred organizations.

You are familiar with the patriotic object of the American Red Cross, and also the magnitude of the financial campaigns conducted on behalf of this organization. There will be additional campaigns, some of them perhaps larger than those which have already been made. It is imperative, for the welfare of our soldiers and the success of the war, that the Red Cross be liberally provided with funds. To do this it will be necessary to make all avenues of contribution available. The Comptroller of the Currency has recommended to Congress that national banks be permitted to make contribution to the Red Cross out of moneys available for dividends. The bill which I am transmitting would make contributions of corporations in New Jersey similarly available. There is no doubt, of course, but what corportations are anxious to join with private citizens in making contributions for this worthy purpose. They are merely waiting for the legislation.

I regard it as of the utmost importance.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the Governor's message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17 as amended, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 121 were placed on the Calendar for third reading and final passage.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 253 and 254,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 186 by Committee Substitute for Nos. 1 and 2.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Committee Substitute No. 1 for Senate Bill No. 186 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute No. 1 for Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,'" approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute No. 2 for Senate Bill No. 186 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute No. 2 for Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," ' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 257,

Assembly Bill No. 374.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

As amended,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act providing for the election of members of boards of chosen freeholders in certain cases,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violations of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "An act concerning the protection of lands, streets and roads from injury by flow of waters and providing for the payment of damages caused thereby in certain cases,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 23, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of district police systems,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to counties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to roads,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act in relation to turnpike roads,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six" (Revision of 1877),

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 33, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to cities,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety,

health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in mercantile establishments,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 246 and Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 293.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 197.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, David G. Conrad, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Revision and Amendment of the Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 316, without recommendation.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, James Hammond.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 271.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Harold B. Wells.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 240,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Edward L. Sturgess.

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wrightstown in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy," which supplement was approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning fees," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six' (P. L. 1866, p. 257), Compiled Statutes 'Fees and Costs,' p. 2290, sec. 11,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning

building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' and which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 183, entitled "An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of county police systems,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—9.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Wells, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the licensing and bonding of all dealers in milk and cream who purchase from or contract with producers in this State or who receive milk or cream from such producers for shipment, sale or manufacture,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon—11.

In the the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the appointment of commissioners of assessment of taxes in certain cities,' approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish,' approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate had passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 25th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 71, for further consideration.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to promote home life for dependent children,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to provide for municipal aid to Home Defense Units,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to create a State Board of Fisheries, defining its powers and duties, regulating the taking of fish with fish pound nets in the waters of the Atlantic ocean within three nautical miles of the coast line of this State and in the waters of Sandy Hook bay or Raritan bay, and the disposal of food fish so taken,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative was—.

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 21st, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House Assembly Bill No. 192 for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The above resolution was concurred in, on motion of Mr. Richards.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe called from this transient abode to His Eternal home, William S. Stuhr, a

former Senator from the county of Hudson, on February 23d, 1918; and

WHEREAS, It is befitting that this body should respect his memory and show our deep sorrow at his demise; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey, That we hereby express our sincerest sympathy to his family, feeling that in his departure the State has lost a conscientious, able and valuable citizen, whose every effort was for the upbuilding of the communities of the State and the general betterment of their peoples, he having, by sheer force of hardship, advanced himself from humble walks of life to that of a business man of large capacity, and a public servant of the utmost importance and conscientious undertakings, serving in the State Senate with zeal and fidelity; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that a copy thereof be sent to the family.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 11, Committee Substitute for 59, 122, 247, Committee Substitute for Nos. 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 19 and 26.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 198, 216, 223, 283, 227, 196, with Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until Tuesday, February 6th, 11:30 A. M.

TUESDAY, February 26th, 1918.

At 11:30 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran

(President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the President of the Senate: February 25th, 1918.

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 57, which would increase the salary of judges of the Circuit Court from nine thousand to ten thousand dollars per annum.

In vetoing this bill I do not desire to be misunderstood as in any way underestimating the volume of business in the Circuit Court. The performances of our Circuit Court judges in New Jersey have been of an unusually high character, and they are among the busiest and most painstaking members of the judiciary, but I cannot concede that a salary of nine thousand dollars is insufficient for the duties, although it may be relatively so; and in this year of numerous demands upon the Legislature for increased salaries I am inclined to regard this particular request as being in the class of those which are not absolutely necessary.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Mackay moved the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the President of the Senate: February 25th, 1918.

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 114.

This measure would permit the Civil Service Commission to advertise in newspapers educational institutions which conduct classes or courses pertaining to public service.

In my judgment, such a State policy is extremely doubtful. The State should not expend money to advertise private busi-

ness. The fact that a college may provide a State course does not alter the situation. All colleges teach people to become useful citizens. My experience with and observation of newspapers have been that they would be entirely willing to publish without cost any news relative to the arrangements of the Civil Service Commission for having courses in public service in various colleges.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Mackay moved the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the President of the Senate: February 25th, 1918.

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 112. This bill would give to the Civil Service Commission the right to advertise in newspapers out of the State those vacancies in positions of a highly technical character for which no applications have been received from residents of the State.

Investigation shows that the occasion for such advertising arises only in rare cases and where the position involved is of a purely technical nature. I cannot see the necessity for a statute on the subject, and even if one were necessary it would be far more effective to provide for such advertising in trade journals rather than newspapers, inasmuch as it is admitted that the positions are of a technical character.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Mackay moved the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the President of the Senate: February 25th, 1918.

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 104, for the reason that this is unquestionably intended to be a special act and no proof of publication is presented.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Mackay moved the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 149, for further consideration.

Mr. Stevens, by unanimous consent, on leave, instroduced

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Stevens, and

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr Stevens, and

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 308 and 154,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 328,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr., William E. Florance.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 51, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 248.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'"

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to regulate the buying and selling of firearms,'"

And

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend section one of Article XV of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entiled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendment was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. McCran asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McCran offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out the words "twenty-five" in line 4, section 23, subdivision (4), and insert in place thereof the word "thirty".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mackay asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mackay offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

2. Substitute for the first five lines of section 1 the following:

"1. Pipe line companies, associations and corporations, not having power to take land or other property necessary for public use for right of way, shall be and hereby are authorized to acquire land and other property necessary for public use for right of way, in the manner and under the terms, limitations and restric-"

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Runyon, and the vote by which the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 51 was adopted be reconsidered.

Mr. Runyon asked unanimous consent to withdraw Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 51.

Which was agreed to.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Runyon, said bill was laid over.

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering, and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act making the cost of repairing and removing unsafe buildings, in cities of this State, a lien upon the land,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 26th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 149, for further consideration.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate went into secret session.

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases,"

Was taken up on third reading.

On motion of Mr. Runyon, said bill was laid over.

Mr. Richards moved that the secret session do now arise.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess to 2:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call.

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled 'An act to further amend "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,'"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, "A joint resolution creating a joint legislative committee to investigate the practical operation of and to codify and supplement existing laws governing the county and township roads in this State with respect to the standardization of methods of construction, administration and maintenance thereof,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 255, 257, 258, Com. Sub. for No. 3, S. J. R. 2, Com. Sub. No. 1 for Senate Bill No. 186, Com. Sub. No. 2 for Senate Bill No. 186,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 318, without recommendation.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Lewis T. Stevens.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 249,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William B. Mackay, Jr.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to give preferred rating to civil service tests to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who have served in any war in which the United States of America has participated, providing such soldier, sailor or marine shall have reached a qualifying average,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 161 and 291.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the making and collection of assessments conferred by the construction of sewers and drains,' approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and Senate bills Nos. Com. Sub. for Senate No. 3, S. J. R. No. 2, 253, 254, 255 and 257 be placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment,' approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Senate No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county to provide funds for such purposes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions supported in whole or in part by State funds,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Strike out lines 425, 426 and 427 of paragraph 1.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from

surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Richards asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend by omitting the period in section 1, line 6, after the word "Austria" and insert a comma in lieu thereof, and change the capital "S" in "Such" on same line to a small "s".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "An act regarding exempt firemen of volunteer fire departments, volunteer fire engine, hook and ladder, hose or supply companies, or salvage corps of the cities, towns, townships, boroughs and fire districts of this State,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Mutchler asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mutchler offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 4, by striking out the word "or" after the words "term of office" and before the words "is not now".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly Bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. McCran (President), and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights,"

Mr. McCran asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading, which was agreed to.

Mr. McCran offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend section 2 as follows:

Strike out the words "cause notice to be given" after the word "shall", in line one, and insert the word "give" in place thereof.

Strike out all words following "pany" in line 4 and all of the lines 5 and 6 and insert the following in place thereof: "an opportunity to be heard before the conclusion of the agreement aforesaid".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain judicial officers and fixing their compensation when retired,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 293 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy," which supplement was approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revison of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Ackerson asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Ackerson offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Change the word "or" in the Senate amendment between the words "ten thousand" and the words "less than forty thousand" to "and" so that the reading shall be as follows: "ten thousand and less than forty thousand".

Change the following words and figures: "twelve hundred (1200)" to read "ten hundred (1000)".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved June twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-

arms and court criers of the Supreme Court, Circuit Court and Court of Common Please in counties of the first class,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS.
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of former fire officers and firemen in cities of the first class in this State, who shall at any time heretofore have been honorably connected with the fire department of such city for a period of more than thirty years, and who shall have attained the age of seventy-five years, for and during the term of their natural lives, amounting to one-half of the pay received by them while in active service in such fire department at the time they were honorably dismissed or retired from such fire department,"

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating the art of boxing and sparring exhibitions or performances in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime,'"

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish parks in certain counties of this State, and to regulate the same,' approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and

regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title to which act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, giving to the commissioners of municipalities adopting the said act power to act as an excise board and to pass ordinances regulating the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors,"

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to validate contracts, notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of boards of chosen freeholders issued for road purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to prohibit the setting of steel traps or other traps in any woods, swamp, field, road, either public or private, main or woods road, path, or byway, whereby any dog might or could be caught, and fixing the penalty therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' being chapter 237, Laws of 1898, page 866; Compiled Statutes, page 1820 (Vol. II),"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend the title and certain sections of 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act to declare the mooring, grounding or otherwise, attaching or fastening of boats, barges or rafts to or upon the riparian lands of the State, nuisances, and to provide for the abatement thereof,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council of Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 (Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 50), entitled "Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a commission to investigate the settlement, registration, transfer and assurance of titles to land and the advisability of establishing courts of registration with jurisdiction for said purposes,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act providing for the creation of Small Claims Courts in cities of the first class and defining the jurisdiction and power thereof,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act providing for the creation of Small Claims Courts in cities of the first class and defining the jurisdiction and power thereof,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of former fire officers and firemen in cities of the first class in this State, who shall at any time heretofore have been honorably connected with the fire department of such city for a period of more than thirty years, and who shall have attained the age of seventy-five years, for and during the term of their natural lives, amounting to one-half of the pay received by them while in active service in such fire department at the time they were honorably dismissed or retired from such fire department,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating the art of boxing and sparring exhibitions or performances in the State of New Jersey,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime,' "

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish parks in certain counties of this State, and to regulate the same,' approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title to which act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, giving to the commissioners of municipalities adopting the said act power to act as an excise board and to pass ordinances regulating the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to validate contracts, notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of boards of chosen freeholders issued for road purposes,"

Were each read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to prohibit the setting of steel traps or other traps in any woods, swamp, field, road, either public or private, main or woods road, path, or byway, whereby any dog might or could be caught, and fixing the penalty therefor,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' being chapter 237, Laws of 1898, page 866; Compiled Statutes, page 1820 (Vol. II),"

And

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each read for the first time the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend the title and certain sections of 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Insurance.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act to declare the mooring, grounding or otherwise, attaching or fastening of boats, barges or rafts to or upon the riparian lands of the State, nuisances, and to provide for the abatement thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering, and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia.

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Dela-

ware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Highways

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 (Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 50), entitled "Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a commission to investigate the settlement, registration, transfer and assurance of titles to land and the advisability of establishing courts of registration with jurisdiction for said purposes,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Bill No. 180,

Assembly Bills Nos. 356, 358, 179, 343, 297, 357 and 78.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169,

Assembly Bill No. 229,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Harold B. Wells.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169 was read and adopted.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 106 and 107,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Senate Bill No. 184 by Assembly Committee Substitute,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, James Hammond, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Conrad, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 250.

Signed—David G. Conrad, William N. Runyon, Henry E. Ackerson, Jr.

Mr. Runyon, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 434,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—William N. Runyon, Edward L. Sturgess, William E. Florance.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 430.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, David G. Conrad, George F. Martens, Jr.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act to declare the mooring, grounding or otherwise attaching or fastening of boats, barges or rafts to or upon the riparian lands of the State, nuisances, and to provide for the abatement thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating the art of boxing and sparring exhibitions or performances in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council of Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend section one hundred and nine of an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which further supplement was approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision, 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by

statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to court criers of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the third class,"

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act for the restoration to citizenship of persons who may be convicted of crime,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899)," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which supplement was approved February twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations,' approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran, (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' and which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Martens, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Pilgrim asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following amendments, which were rear and adopted:

Section 8, lines 3 and 4, strike out "boarding cars in motion"; line 4, strike out words "trespassing upon railway tracks". Place a period in same line in place of semicolon after the word "cars".

Strike out sub-paragraph C. in its entirety.

Line 16, place the letter C in place of the letter "D".

On motion of Mr. Pilgrim, said bill was laid over.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Runyon moved that Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241 be recommitted to the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare.

Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Labor, Industries, and Social Welfare, reported

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241.

Signed—James Hammond, Clarence E. Case.

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241 was read and adopted.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
February 27th, 1918.

To the Senate:

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 160.

I cannot believe that municipalities do not now have power to compel householders to sprinkle sand on icy sidewalks as a protection to pedestrians. To accomplish such authorization was the prime object of the home rule legislation of 1917. In my judgment, this home rule legislation is sufficient if city authorities desire to include such a provision as Senate Bill No. 160 contains in a municipal ordinance. One purpose of the home rule legislation was to avoid bothering the Legislature with every trifling matter concerning which municipalities needed enabling legislation, and I am absolutely opposed to beginning a patchwork on our home rule laws for every small detail.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Governor's veto message was laid over under the rules.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 302,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, William E. Florance.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Second Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case, Thomas Barber.

Second Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231 was read and adopted.

Second Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entiled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,' "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act to fix the allowance of sheriffs for victualling, care and keep of prisoners in the county jails of the respective counties of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—19.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 121, Committee Substitute for 158, and 250. Also Assembly Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for 13, 121, 227, 258, 299, 368 and 395.

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish,' approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-

seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to regulate the keeping of employment agencies,"

Senate Bill No. 226, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,"

Senate Bill No. 195, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean,"

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs' (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estates,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to establish a public record office,"

And

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from State funds" (Revision of 1918).

With Assembly amendments,

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

WEDNESDAY, February 27th, 1918.

At 11:30 o'clock the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answer the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 416, with committee amendments, and 49, with committee amendments.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

The following committee amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 416 were read and adopted:

Amend section 1, line 19, page 2, by changing the period after the word "decision" to semicolon and adding the following: "*provided, further,* that should any municipality have heretofore issued any notes, bonds or other temporary obligations representing an indebtedness incurred in good faith, for other than current expenses, and now outstanding, prior to the issuance of which a debt statement was required to be filed under section 12 and no debt statement was so filed, then and in such case such debt statement may be filed prior to the funding of such notes, bonds or temporary obligations."

Amend by adding a new section as follows: "2. This act shall take effect immediately."

The following committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 49 were read and adopted:

Amend section 2, page 1, line 3, by inserting before the word "hav-" at the end of said line the words "now or hereafter".

Amend section 4, line 3, page 3, by striking out the words "one hundred and sixty-five" and inserting the words "two hundred" in place thereof.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and all bills reported to-day be advanced to third reading.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 326,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to amend an amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which amendment was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

As amended;

And

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend the title and certain sections of 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

As amended,

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend and supplement 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act providing for the election of members of boards of chosen freeholders in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'A supplement to the act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,' and which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedngs for the violations of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "An act concerning the protection of lands, streets and roads from injury by flow of waters and providing for the payment of damages caused thereby in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,'

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to counties,"

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled 'An act to repeal sundry acts relative to roads,"

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads,"

Senate Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act in relation to turnpike roads,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six" (Revision of 1877),

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts,"

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain,"

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions,"

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments,"

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers,"

Senate Bill No. 33, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to cities,"

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations,"

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

Senate Bill No. 127, entitled "An act creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds,"

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to actions against members of police departments in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled "An act in relation to municipalities,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater,"

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

All without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 180, Committee Substitute for Senate 169,

Assembly Bills Nos. 46, 135, 314, 367,

All with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 360 and 232.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title to which act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, giving to the commissioners of municipalities adopting the said act power to act as an excise board and to pass ordinances regulating the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Barber, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State,' approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Which were read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Barber, and

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the

building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State," approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute No. 1 for Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Pilgrim, Richards—3.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Hammond, Mackay, Runyon, Stevens —6.

Committee Substitute No. 2 for Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, McGlennon, Pilgrim, Richards—4.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hammond, Runyon, Stevens—3.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the making and collection of assessments conferred by the construction of sewers and drains,' approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 151, 419 and 432.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the State," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers,' approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries," (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to court criers of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the third class,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Mesrs. Allen, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act for the restoration to citizenship of persons who may be convicted of crime,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating the art of boxing and sparring exhibitions or performances in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Runyon, Wells—4.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tidewater basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act creating a department of State police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Fithian asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Fithian offered the following amendment, which was read:

In lieu of section 9, insert the following two sections:

9. The provisions of this act shall not take effect unless the act shall, at a general election, be submitted to the people and receive the sanction of a majority of all the votes cast for and against it at such election.

It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to arrange in accordance with the statutes of the State in such case made and provided, for the submission of this act to the vote of the people

of the State at the next general election for mmbers of the General Assembly, of which submission the same notice shall be given as is required by law to be given of said general election, and the people of the State may at such election decide upon the acceptance or rejection of this act in the following manner:

There shall be printed on each official ballot underneath the names of the candidates the following:

If you favor the proposition written below, make an X mark in the square opposite the word "Yes".

If you are opposed thereto make an X mark in the square opposite the word "No".

	Yes.	An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith.
	No.	

10. The said ballots so cast for or against this act shall be counted and the result thereof returned by the election officers and a canvass of such election had in the same manner as is now provided for by law in the case of the election of a Governor, and the acceptance or rejection of this act so determined shall be declared in the same manner as the result of an election for a Governor, and if there shall be a majority of all the votes cast for and against it at such election in favor of the acceptance of this act, this act shall take effect on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and nineteen.

And lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—6.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—15.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—8.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Fithian, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Richards—8.

Mr. Munson moved that his vote on Assembly Bill No. 100 be changed from the affirmative to the negative for the purpose of reconsideration.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call.

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

On motion of Mr. Richards, Assembly Bill No. 268 was recommitted to Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 251, Committee Substitute for 241,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of frauds and perjuries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which said amendment was approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in cooperation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were:

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act to declare the mooring, grounding or otherwise, attaching or fastening of boats, barges or rafts to or upon the riparian lands of the State, nuisances, and to provide for the abatement thereof,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs (Revision, 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be extended to Hon. Austen Colgate, a former member of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act to fix the allowance of sheriffs for victualling, care and keep of prisoners in the county jails of the respective counties of this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Fithian, Florance, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House, Assembly Bill No. 162, for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

"UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
"Clerk of the House of Assembly."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred

and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to authorize the sale by any municipality in the State of any abandoned or unclaimed goods, wares or merchandise which may be left unclaimed by the owners thereof in any hospital conducted by such municipality,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Hammond moved that the vote by which

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was passed to third reading be reconsidered, which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond moved that said bill be placed back on second reading, which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, which was read and adopted.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Hammond, and

Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Martens, Stevens—5.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to provide for the expression of the will of the legal voters of the State upon a certain amendment to the Constitution of the United States,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to provide for the expression of the will of the legal voters of the State upon a certain amendment to the Constitution of the United States,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend section one of Article XV of an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers,' approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act concerning the salaries of assessors and collectors of taxes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend a supplement to an act, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled 'An act for the taxation of all the property and franchises of persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal and corporations taxable under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto, and except corporations taxable

under the act entitled "An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,' approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to regulate the assessment and collection of taxes upon the shares of the capital stock of banks, banking associations and trust companies incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of this State, and engaged in business within this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for State road purposes,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor (Revision of 1911),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act establishing a fiscal year in all towns, townships, boroughs, villages, counties and other municipalities, excepting first and second class cities and first class counties, and the time for publishing and filing the various reports of the officers of the same,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to extend the provisions of the act to apply to first and second class cities and first class counties, and to provide for raising funds in municipalities and counties affected by this act,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to change the date of annual meeting for voting appropriations in certain municipalities,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in mercantile establishments,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States,"

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery

and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.,' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable waters in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

All without amendment;

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to create in cities of the first class in this State the office of auditor of accounts, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof,"

With Assembly amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 229 were read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 427, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies' (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and providing for the incorporation and management of congregations or parishes of the Protestant Episcopal church in this State, and repealing sundry acts and parts of acts relating to religious societies, in so far as they affect or relate to the Protestant Episcopal church or congregations or parishes thereof," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation

and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act for the relief of Sarah Brensinger and her minor children,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Assembly Bill No. 427, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies' (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and providing for the incorporation and management of congregations or parishes of the Protestant Episcopal church in this State, and repealing sundry acts and parts of acts relating to religious societies, in so far as they affect or relate to the Protestant Episcopal church or congregations or parishes thereof," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act for the relief of Sarah Brensinger and her minor children,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act validating the local budget heretofore adopted by any municipality of this State pursuant to the provisions of chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells —11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act requiring the audit of public acounts,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act concerning municipal accountants,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining floating indebtedness and authorizing and directing the funding of floating and other indebtedness in any municipality and county in this State,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning sinking funds and sinking fund commissions,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipal and county finances, approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning fees," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six' (P. L. 1866, p. 257), Compiled Statutes 'Fees and Costs,' p. 2290, sec. 11."

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wrightstown, in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Senate and House of Assembly meet in joint session Wednesday, February 27th, at 8 P. M., for the election of Commissioners of Deeds and a Director of Railroads and such other business as may properly come before the Joint Session.

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the State," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 184, entitled "An act creating a State Council of Defense and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 71.

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bills Nos. Second Committee Substitute for 231, 260, 261 and 252,

Assembly Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for 416, with Senate amendments, 49 and 28,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

There being no objections, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Wells, and

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Wells asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend Senate Bill No. 252.

Page 7, strike out lines 10½ to 19, inclusive, and insert the following:

"All such receipts as are above set forth are hereby appropriated, and any portion of receipts from the same sources that may not have been disbursed on or before the end of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, are also appropriated".

Page 13, line 11, strike out the figures "17,800" and insert in lieu thereof "15,880".

Page 40, item 66, strike out the brackets in lines 5 and 6½.

Page 47, item 77, line 10, strike out the figures "23" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "223".

Page 58, line 53, strike out the word "each" after the word "hospital" and insert in lieu thereof the word "east".

Page 68, item 98, line 4, strike out "$2500.00" and insert in lieu thereof "$2750.00".

Page 68, item 98, the total after line 13, to read as follows: "$14,950.00".

Page 75, section 4, line 17, add the following words: "and receipts pursuant to the provisions of a bill pending relating to central control of institutions should said bill become a law".

Page 76, amend section 8 to read "There is hereby appropriated to the Board of Medical Examiners, Board of Architects, Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, State Board of Veterinary Examiners, New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry and the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, all receipts of the above-mentioned boards, or such portion thereof, as may be necessary for the expenses of maintenance and operation."

Page 76, add section 9, "This act shall take effect on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—15.

In the negative was—

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that the Senate and House of Assembly meet in joint session Wednesday, February 27th, at 8 P. M., for the election of Commissioners of Deeds and a Director of Railroads, and such other business as may properly come before the Joint Session.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Wells, and

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved, That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate for further consideration Assembly Bill No. 71.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 431.

Signed—Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 391,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Lewis T. Stevens.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 257.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 14.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. A. J. R. 12 and 410.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12 (Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 50), entitled "Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a commission to investigate the settlement, registration, transfer and assurance of titles to land and the advisability of establishing courts of registration with jurisdiction for said purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act providing for the creation of Small Claims Courts in cities of the first class and defining the jurisdiction and power thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal

an act enttiled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' approved April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

With Assembly amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 107 were read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler —11.

In the negative—None.

Committee Substtiute for Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to amend the title and certain sections of 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Hammond asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hammond offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

On page one, section two, line seven, strike out the word "counsellor" and insert in place thereof the word "attorney".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—20.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 7:45 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act for the taxation of the gross receipts of street railway, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in lieu of the taxation of the personal property of any such corporation,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled

"An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions of this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title of which was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which said supplement was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Gibbsboro, in the county of Camden,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act for the taxation of the gross receipts of street railway, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in lieu of the taxation of the personal property of any such corporation,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions of this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title of which was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,' which said supplement was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Education.

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Gibbsboro, in the county of Camden,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Townships.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Senate Bill No. 262,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

On motion of Mr. Richards, Senate Bill No. 180 was recommitted to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Committee Substtiunte for Senate Bill No. 180.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 180 was read and adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Mackay, and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and,

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to provide for the expression of the will of the legal voters of the State upon a certain amendment to the Constitution of the United States,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Runyon—2.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Case offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 95, for further consideration."

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. Committee Substitute for 3, Committee Substitute for 14, Committee Substitute for 38, Committee Substitute for 176, 254, 255, 256, 257, Senate Joint Resolution 2, 259, 253;

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 38, 47, 154, 184, 237, 238, 240, 272, 277, 286, Committee Substitute for 293, 294, 357, 374, 401, Assembly Joint Resolution 4, 78, Committee Substitute for 134, 161, 179, 297, Committee Substitute for 308, 343, 358, 46 with Senate amendment, 314 with Senate amendment, 367 with Senate amendment.

Senate Bill No. 33, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to cities,"

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations,"

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918),"

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment,"

Senate Bill No. 127, entitled "An act creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds,"

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to actions against members of police departments in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political

control," approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protest the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Senate Bill No. 197, entitled "An act in relation to municipalities,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater,"

Senate Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the militia of the State,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 249, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend and supplement 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act concerning counties,"

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act providing for the election of members of boards of chosen freeholders in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'A supplement to the act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,' and which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violations of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "An act concerning the protection of lands, streets and roads from injury by flow of waters and

providing for the payment of damages caused thereby in certain cases,"

Senate Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to counties,"

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to roads,"

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads,"

Senate Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act in relation to turnpike roads,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six" (Revision of 1877),

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts,"

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain,"

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions,"

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments,"

Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers,"

Senate Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision

of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court, Circuit Court and Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class,"

Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 72, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen."

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

The following message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, which was read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 27th, 1918.

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Senate Bill No. 118, for the reason that the power attempted to be granted by this act is too broad. The act provides that a corporation organized under the act to which this act is a supplement shall be empowered to exercise the franchises, powers and privileges theretofore exercised by it, apparently without regard to whether such franchises, powers and privileges are authorized by the act under which it was attempted to be incorporated or not.

Furthermore, I have some fear that the act is a special act, since it is limited to a corporation which has heretofore been organized or attempted to be organized, and which has con-

structed water works from which water has been supplied to a township in this State for a period of at least five years, and from which water is still supplied to a township. It seems to me that this so restricts the operation of the act as to make it a special act.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,

Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,

Secretary to the Governor.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The hour of 8 P. M., the time fixed for the Joint Session, has arrived; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House inform the Senate that the House now awaits its presence in the Assembly Chamber.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr .Richards, the Senate proceeded to the Assembly Chamber for Joint Session, on the conclusion of which, and

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate then adjourned until 11 o'clock A. M., Thursday.

THURSDAY, February 28th, 1918.

At 11 o'clock A. M. the Senate met.

The session was opened by prayer by the Rev. Edward G. Read, D.D., Plainfield, N. J.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 95, for further considration.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bill No. 166.

Signed—Emerson L. Richards, Clarence E. Case.

Mr. Fithian, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 69,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—J. Hampton Fithian, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Mr. Pilgrim, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 394 and 414,

Favorably.

Signed—Charles C. Pilgrim, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 49, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 39, 235 with committee amendments.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

The following committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 235 was read and adopted:

Amendment proposed to Assembly Bill No. 235 by Senator Pilgrim.

Amend section 1, line 15, page 2, by striking out the period and inserting a comma in lieu thereof and adding the following words at the end of said line 15: "but nothing herein contained shall affect any plant the location of which has prior to the passage of the act been approved by the State Board of Health".

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions of this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title of which was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which said supplement was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the imposition of States taxes upon certain corporations and

for the collection thereof," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act for the apportionment of assessments for taxes and other municipal assessments or charges,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of former fire officers and firemen in cities of the first class in this State, who shall at any time heretofore have been honorably connected with the fire department of such city for a period of more than thirty years, and who shall have attained the age of seventy-five years, for and during the term of their natural lives, amounting to one-half of the pay received by them while in active service in such fire department at the time they were honorably dismissed or retired from such fire department,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled (as amended by chapter 200, Session Laws of 1910) 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers, and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine; and providing for the enlarging or otherwise increasing the capacity of such outlet or trunk sewers and the construction and equipping of plants for the purification or other treatment of the sewage to be disposed of thereby, and for the payment of the cost of said works, and for the admission of other municipalities to participation in the use and the cost of construction of said outlet or trunk sewers,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, amendments ordered to be printed, and the bill to have a third reading.

Mr. Case moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective

counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Was passed be reconsidered, which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon—14.

In the negative—None.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Case, and

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Case asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Case offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

Section 1, line 11, strike out the word "special".

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
Mr. President: February 27th, 1918.

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate

elections (Revision of 1898),'" approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

With Assembly amendments;

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

With Assembly amendments;

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State,' approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

With Assembly amendments,

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 4 and 6, with Assembly amendments embodied therein, was read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messr. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, with Assembly amendments embodied therein, was read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Sturgess, Wells—12.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 243, with Assembly amendments embodied therein, were read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county to provide funds for such purposes,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to validate and provide for notice of liens of taxes of nineteen hundred and seventeen on real estate in townships, counties and other municipalities, except cities having charter provisions for a public record of tax liens on land, where the list of unpaid taxes has not been filed in the time otherwise required by law,"

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital,"

Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment,"

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriation of money therefor,"

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes,"

And

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

All without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McCran (President), Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly, by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the cities of the first class of this State, and fixing their title and compensation,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Were each read for the first time by their titles, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Second Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," ' approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, McCran (President), Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens—5.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—17.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State,' approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 417, 418, Committee Substitute for 192,

Favorably.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Joshua C. Haines.

Mr. Stevens, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 421, without recommendation.

Signed—Lewis T. Stevens, Charles C. Pilgrim.

Mr. Mutchler, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 375,

Favorably, without amendment.

Signed—Harry W. Mutchler, J. Hampton Fithian, Cornelius A. McGlennon.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 162 and 435.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Mc-

Cran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to create within the Department of Labor a negro welfare and employment bureau, fixing the compensation of the chief and defining the duties of said bureau,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Senate bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess —11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hammond, Runyon, Wells—3.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the report of the State House Commission operating under Chapter 68, P. L. 1916, was received and filed.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Hammond offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That all statements of expenses incurred in connection with the Legislative Session of 1918 after the date of adjournment which come under the business of this session, be paid when properly approved in the manner provided by the Senate Concurrent Resolution dated January 8th, 1918, and concurred in by the House of Assembly on that date.

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898,' "

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to provide for the changing of the objects of any association not for pecuniary profit,"

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, George F. Martens, Jr.

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to give preferred rating to civil service tests to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who have served in any war in which the United States of America has participated, providing such soldier, sailor or marine shall have reached a qualifying average,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Haines, Pilgrim, Stevens—5.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Stevens asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stevens offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

In section 49, line 8, change the period to a semicolon and add the following words: *"provided, however,* that if any delinquent owner or lienor shall be, at the time of the expiration of the time limited for the redemption of the real estate in which such delinquent is interested, an infant under the age of twenty-one years, or an idiot, or then shall have been judicially declared a person of unsound mind, then the right to redeem shall not be barred by service of notice as hereinbefore provided so long as such impediment shall continue, but shall be barred only by bill in equity to foreclose and decree thereon after proceedings have been taken according to the rules and practice of that court for the protection of the rights of such person."

Mr. Stevens offered the following further amendment, which was read and adopted:

Insert after the word "sale," in line 12 of section 32, the words "except installment liens, not delinquent."

On motion of Mr. Runyon, said bill was laid over.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That all statements of expenses incurred in connection with the legislative session of 1918, after the date of adjournment, which come under the business of this session, be paid when properly approved in the manner provided by the Senate Concurrent Resolution dated January 8th, 1918, and concurred in by the House of Assembly on that date.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That all bills on the desk of the President and Secretary, and in the possession of the various committees of the Senate, not acted upon, be filed by the Secretary with the State Librarian as dead bills.

Mr. Mackay offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate record its approval and appreciation of the efficient manner in which the business of the session has been administered by the presiding officer, Hon. Thomas F. McCran, the faithful and impartial nature of his ruling, and the ready courtesy which he has uniformly accorded and extended to each member of this body.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the minority leader, Hon. Cornelius A. McGlennon, of the county of Hudson, has been at all times a courteous, capable and earnest legislator, and the Senate extends its congratulations to him upon the faithful and fearless manner in which he has performed the exacting duties of his position, and its appreciation of his many courtesies.

Mr. Sturgess offered the following resolution, wihch was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the members of the Senate recognize the uniform courtesy and ready assistance at all times shown them by the Secretary, William H. Albright, and hereby tender him our grateful thanks for his faithful performance of his duties, and extend to him our best wishes for his continued success.

Mr. McGlennon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate appreciates the many courtesies extended every member by the leader of the majority, Hon. Emerson L. Richards, of the county of Atlantic; that the earnestness, fidelity and honesty of the majority leader is hereby acknowledged, and that the people of the State are indebted for his untiring efforts to promote legislation in the interest of the State.

Mr. Runyon offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of New Jersey express its thanks to the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce for

the Legislative Index mailed each week to the members of the Senate; be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to communicate with the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce expressing our appreciation of the service rendered.

Mr. Fithian offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Senate be and they are hereby extended to Mr. John Smith, Custodian; John Multop, Janitor-foreman, and Harvey Rohrbach, Postmaster, for the efficient and courteous manner in which they attended to the wants of the Senate during the session.

Mr. Pilgrim offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the members of the Senate hereby express their thanks and appreciation to all officers of the Senate for the faithful and courteous manner in which they have performed their respective duties.

Mr. Stevens offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to prepare indices of the Senate Journal and Minutes of the Executive Sessions in the same general manner as the indices of the session of nineteen hundred and seventeen, and that he be paid the same compensation as allowed for preparing the indices of nineteen hundred and seventeen.

Mr. Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 290,

Favorably.

Signed—Joshua C. Haines, Clarence E. Case.

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions of this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title of which was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,'

which said supplement was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. McGlennon moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was passed be reconsidered, which was agreed to by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Stevens—13.

In the negative—None.

Mr. McGlennon moved that Assembly Bill No. 71 be placed back on second reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. McGlennon asked consent to withdraw amendments to Assembly Bill No. 71.

Which was agreed to.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. McGlennon, and

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. McGlennon, and

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President),

McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens—16.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Richards, and

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title to which act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, giving to the commissioners of municipalities adopting the said act power to act as an excise board and to pass ordinances regulating the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Runyon asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Runyon offered the following amendment, which was read and adopted:

On page 15, section 61, line 3, strike out period after the word "created", insert a comma and the following words: *"provided, however,* that this section shall not be construed to prevent the continuance and completion under the laws in force at the time such buildings were commenced of any other proceeding or proceedings not herein mentioned which may have been or may be pending and remain unfinished and incomplete at the time this law shall take effect.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Stevens, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Case asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Case offered the following amendment, which was read:

Amend throughout by striking out the words "sixty-six and two-thirds per centum" wherever the same appears and insert in lieu thereof the words "fifty per centum."

And adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Haines, Munson, Stevens, Sturgess—6.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hammond, Runyon—2.

On motion of Mr. Hammond, said bill was laid over indefinitely.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of Mr. Croasdale, his Secretary, endorsed "Nominations."

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—11.

In the negative was—

Mr. Ackerson—1.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Runyon, and

The President be requested to sign Assembly Bill No. 52 without amendments thereto being printed, and said bill leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases,"

Was taken up on third reading.

Mr. Runyon asked unanimous consent to amend said bill on third reading.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Runyon offered the following amendments, which were read and adopted:

Amend section 1 by striking out lines 3 and 4, and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Whenever any local board of health or health officer shall receive a report from the Surgeon-General of the United States army or navy, or from the commanding officer of any camp, cantonment or other military or naval organization situated in this State, or from any person authorized by the Surgeon-General or said commanding officer to make such report, that any person within the jurisdiction of said board or health officer is, or is suspected to be".

Amend section 2, line 1, by adding after the word "prostitutes" and before the word "are" the following: "or other lewd persons".

Amend section 3 by striking out all of line 12 following the period after the word "officer", and all of lines 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

Said bill, as amended, was then read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, with amendment.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended, and the President be authorized to sign Assembly Bill No. 251 without the amendments being printed, and said bill leave the custody of the Senate forthwith.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess of ten minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Sturgess, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 235, with Senate amendments,

Correctly printed.

Signed—Edward L. Sturgess, Collins B. Allen.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Senate Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions supported in whole or in part by State funds,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into

agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights,"

All without amendment.

UPTON J. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

There being no objections, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Pilgrim, and

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells —12.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Wells, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 433.

Signed—Harold B. Wells, Collins B. Allen, Harry W. Mutchler, Samuel T. Munson.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 306.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Harold B. Wells.

Mr. Mackay, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 373.

Signed—William B. Mackay, Jr., Joshua C. Haines.

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act for the relief of Sarah Brensinger and her minor children,"

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Califon, in the county of Hunterdon,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to validate contracts, notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of boards of chosen freeholders issued for road purposes,"

Were each taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Case, and

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Califon, in the county of Hunterdon,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Martens, McGlennon, Munson—5.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to amend an amendment to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which amendment was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond,

Mackay, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors,' passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight," approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' approved April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Hammond, Martens, Munson, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, on the conclusion of which, and,

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bills:

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State,' approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

All without amendment;

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

With Assembly amendments,

And

Senate Bill No, 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

With Assembly amendments.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 252 were read three times and rejected by the following vote:

In the affirmative—None.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

The Senate having rejected the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 252,

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That a conference committee of three members be appointed by the House of Assembly to confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill.

In accordance with the above resolution the President appointed the following Senators: Mr. Wells, Mr. Stevens and Mr. Fithian.

Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 207 were read three times and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Richards moved that the Senate take a recess until 8:30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Conrad, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. McGlennon, and

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act for the relief of Sarah Brensinger and her minor children,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Runyon, and

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to validate contracts, notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of boards of chosen freeholders issued for road purposes,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Hammond, Mackay, McCran

(President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Sturgess—11.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

Mr. Case moved that the Senate take a recess of five minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Wells, and

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to provide for the changing of the objects of any association not for pecuniary profit,"

Was taken up and read a third time.

Upon the question, "Shall this Assembly bill pass?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—13.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, without amendment.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

The Senate having rejected the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 252,

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That a conference committee of three members be appointed by the House of Assembly to confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill.

The Speaker of the House has appointed as the conference committee on the part of the House, Messrs. Pierson, Kellam and Winne.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Case moved that the Senate take a recess of five minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the conclusion of which and under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—17.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 20th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That the one hundred and forty-second session of the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of February, nineteen hundred and eighteen, at six o'clock P. M. of said day.

In which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the above resolution was concurred in.

The Conference Committee appointed by the President of the Senate presented the following report, which was read and adopted:

Mr. President:

The Conference Committee appointed in accordance with the concurrent resolution have agreed and submit for the consideration of the Senate, as the unanimous recommendation of the House and Senate Conferees, the bill accompanying this report.

HAROLD B. WELLS,
J. HAMPTON FITHIAN,
LEWIS T. STEVENS,
ARTHUR N. PIERSON,
RALPH N. KELLAM,
WALTER G. WINNE.

Mr. Wells, by unanimous consent, on leave, introduced.

Conference Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Wells, and

Conference Substitute for Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up and read a second and third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Wells—14.

In the negative—None.

The Secretary was directed by the President to carry said bill to the House of Assembly and inform that body that the Senate has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Haines offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the President to await upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate has completed its labors and is about to adjourn *sine die* and to inquire if the Executive has any further communications to make to this body.

In compliance with the above resolution, the President appointed Senators Richards, Mackay and Allen, who waited upon the Governor, and shortly returned and advised the Senate the Governor had no further matters for its consideration.

The following message was received from the House of Assembly by the hands of its Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
February 28th, 1918.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House of Assembly to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the following bill:

Conference Substitute for Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Without amendment.

UPTON S. JEFFERYS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the hour of adjournment having arrived, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate is now ready to adjourn *sine die,* and awaits the presence of the House of Assembly in the Senate Chamber.

In accordance with the direction of the President, the Secretary carried the following bills to the House of Assembly, informed it that the Senate had passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos, 252, 258, Committee Substitute for 180, Committee Substitute for 169, Committee Substitute for 184, 260, 261, 95, Committee Substitute for 241, 251, 262, Committee Substitute for 252.

Also Assembly Bills Nos. 51, 53, 55, 56, 58, 59, 61, Committee Substitute for 136, 137, 138, 140, 141, 142, Committee

Substitute for 143, 151, 197, 229, 248, Committee Substitute for 250, 271, 291, 302, 303, Committee Substitute for 316, 352, 372, 379, Committee Substitute for 411, 419, 432, 28 with Senate amendment, 135 with Senate amendment, 430, 434, Committee Substitute for 416 with Senate amendments, 8, Committee Substitute for 69, 52 with Senate amendments, 71, 162, Committee Substitute for 166, Committee Substitute for 192, 360, 421, 435, 251 with Senate amendments, Committee Substitute for 14, 318, 391, 412, 431, 232, 257, 290, 306, 326, 178, 373, 375 and 433.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "An act to amend the title of an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in mercantile establishments,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act,"

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital,"

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to validate and provide for notice of liens of taxes of nineteen hundred and seventeen on real estate in townships, counties and other municipalities, except cities having charter provisions for a public record of tax liens on land where the list of unpaid taxes has not been filed in the time otherwise required by law,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to repeal section six of an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriation of money therefor,"

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits,"

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled 'An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable waters in this State,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.,' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States,"

Committee Substitute for Senate No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county to provide funds for such purposes,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Nos. 4 and 6, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Senate Bill No. 261, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State,' approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State

government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 251, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State,' approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to create in cities of the first class in this State the office of auditor of accounts, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled 'An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mortgages' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revisions of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bil No. 253, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts relative to charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions supported in whole or in part by State funds,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of the public health,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Conference Substitute for Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights,"

And

Senate Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

"I certify that this bill originated in the Senate.

"WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
"Secretary of the Senate."

Said bills were then reported by Mr. Hammond, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, as having been received from the Secretary of the Senate, and this day delivered to the Governor for his approval.

The hour of six o'clock P. M. having arrived, the members of the House of Assembly, preceded by Speaker, entered the Senate Chamber.

Upon the announcement of the Speaker that the House had adjourned, the President of the Senate declared the one hundred and forty-second session of the Legislature adjourned without day.

WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
Secretary of the Senate.

WILLIAM S. STILES,
Journal Clerk.

ADDENDA.

The following bills having failed to pass, remained on the Secretary's desk and, pursuant to resolution of the Senate, were filed with the State Librarian for safe-keeping:

Senate Bills Nos. 5, 13, 37, 40, 46, 48, 50, 58, 60, 63, C. S. No. 2 for 64, 65, 66, 69, 70, 72, 90, 100, 101, 113, 120, 128, 129, 136, 137, 138, 139, 144, 145, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 164, 166, 167, 168, 175, 177, 179, 183, C. S. No. 1 for 186, C. S. No. 2 for 186, C. S. for 191, 192, 196, 202, 203, 205, 211, 221, C. S. for 231, C. S. for 232, 236, 239, 240, 244, 248.

Assembly Bills Nos. 37, 39, 57, 62, 98, 100, 106, 107, 112, 146, 149, 186, C. S. for 201, 202, 204, 206, 211, 235, 246, 249, 252, 253, 259, 262, 268, 269, 274, 281, 312, 328, 341, 353, 356, 366, 378, 380, 385, 390, 392, 393, 394, 396, 410, 413, 414, 417, 418, 427, A. J. R. 12 (C. S. for 50).

WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
Secretary of the Senate.

Received of William H. Albright, Secretary of the Senate, the above bills.

JOHN P. DULLARD,
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SEVENTY-FOURTH SENATE.

TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

At 1:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The President laid before the Senate four sealed communications from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communications were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of Plainfield, county of Union, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Union.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson:

James W. McCarthy, of Jersey City, county of Hudson;

Richard Doherty, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, Pierre P. Garven, of Bayonne, county of Huson.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Hudson, Philip W. Grece, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, Second District of Jersey City, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, District of Hoboken, J. Raymond Tiffany, of Hoboken, county of Hudson.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, John B. Zabriskie, of Wyckoff, Bergen county, to be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Bergen.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 8th, 1918.

To the Senate:

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, A. Dayton Oliphant, of Trenton, county of Mercer, to be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Mercer.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communications of January eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Bergen, John B. Zabriskie, of Wyckoff, Bergen county.

To be Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson:

James W. McCarthy, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, to succeed Judge Sullivan;

Richards Doherty, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, to succeed Judge Tennent.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, Pierre P. Garven, of Bayonne, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Hudson, Philip W. Grece, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, Second District of Jersey City, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, District of Hoboken, J. Raymond Tiffany, of Hoboken, county of Hudson.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Union, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of Plainfield, county of Union.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Mercer, A. Dayton Oliphant, of Trenton, county of Mercer.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

At 9:10 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communiation were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be member of the Public Library Commission, Emmor Roberts, of Moorestown, county of Burlington, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Union, Carlton B. Pierce, of Cranford, county of Union.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Robert H. Ingersoll, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Edmund C. Gaskill, Jr., Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals, John J. White, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that action on the nomination of ex-Senator Carlton B. Pierce, in accordance with customary courtesy, be taken without reference.

Which was agreed to.

Said nomination was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

In the negative—None.

So the said nomination was declared unanimously confirmed.

The remaining nominations were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, endorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 12th, 1918.

I herewith appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield, Union county, to succeed George M. Lamonte, resigned.

To be Chaplain State Prison Farm at Leesburg, Rev. John R. O'Connor, of Millville, county of Cumberland.

To be member of the Commission on Old Age Insurance and Pensions, F. William Gertzen, of Ramsey, county of Bergen.

To be members of the Board of Managers, State Hospital Morris Plains:

Agnes Cromwell, of Mendham, Morris county;

Elizabeth H. A. Harris, of Glen Ridge, county of Essex;

William H. Ryan, of Elizabeth, county of Union, to succeed Patrick J. Ryan, deceased.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and their Wives, Vineland, Frank Bateman, of Grenloch, county of Gloucester, to succeed Cyrus F. Osgood, resigned.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton:

Mary B. Fox, Camden, county of Camden;

Anna L. S. Prendergast, Salem, county of Salem.

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, Max Miller, Hoboken, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases, William S. Jones, M.D., Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys, Robert Carey, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Commission of Uniform State Legislation, George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Russell Post, of Keyport, county of Monmouth.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the Public Library Commission, Emmor Roberts, of Moorestown, county of Burlington, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Robert H. Ingersoll, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Edmund C. Gaskill, Jr., Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals, John J. White, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Bergen, John B. Zabriskie, of Wyckoff, Bergen county.

To be Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson:

James W. McCarthy, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, to succeed Judge Sullivan;

Richards Doherty, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, to succeed Judge Tennent.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, Pierre P. Garven, of Bayonne, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Hudson, Philip W. Grece, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, Second District of Jersey City, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be Judge of the District Court, District of Hoboken, J. Raymond Tiffany, of Hoboken, county of Hudson.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Union, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., of Plainfield, county of Union.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Mercer, A. Dayton Oliphant, of Trenton, county of Mercer.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

At 9:35 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

To the Senate:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
TRENTON, January 14th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Morris, E. Bertram Mott, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the County of Morris, John M. Mills, of Morristown, county of Morris.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Morris, E. Bertram Mott, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the County of Morris, John M. Mills, of Morristown, county of Morris.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 15th, 1918.

At 1:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards the nominations

To be member of the Public Library Commission, Emmor Roberts, of Moorestown, county of Burlington, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Robert H. Ingersoll, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Atlantic, Edmund C. Gaskill, Jr., Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals, John J. White, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Morris, E. Bertram Mott, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas for the County of Morris, John M. Mills, of Morristown, county of Morris.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield, Union county, to succeed George M. Lamonte, resigned.

To be Chaplain State Prison Farm at Leesburg, Rev. John R. O'Connor, of Millville, county of Cumberland.

To be member of the Commission on Old Age Insurance and Pensions, F. William Gertzen, of Ramsey, county of Bergen.

To be members of the Board of Managers, State Hospital, Morris Plains:

Agnes Cromwell, of Mendham, Morris county;

Elizabeth H. A. Harris, of Glen Ridge, county of Essex;

William H. Ryan, of Elizabeth, county of Union, to succeed Patrick J. Ryan, deceased.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and their Wives, Vineland, Frank Bateman, of Greenloch, county of Camden, to succeed Cyrus F. Osgood, resigned.

To be members of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton:

Mary B. Fox, Camden, county of Camden;

Anna L. S. Prendergast, Salem, county of Salem.

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, Max Miller, Hoboken, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases, William S. Jones, M.D., Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys, Robert Carey, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Commission of Uniform State Legislation, George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 21st, 1918.

At 10:25 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: January 21st, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, Edmund B. Randall, of Paterson, county of Passaic, to be Judge of the District Court of the City of Paterson.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nomination was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 21st, 1918.

I hereby appoint the following persons, with the advice and consent of the Senate, to the following positions:

To be Judges of the District Court:

Monmouth County, First District, Benjamin B. Smith, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth;

Monmouth County, Second District, Harry Truax, of Long Branch, county of Monmouth.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Essex, Edward Schoen, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Judge of the District Court, First District, Newark, Cecil H. MacMahon, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, County of Essex, Michael W. Higgins, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be member of the Board of Tenement House Supervision, Augustus V. Hamburg, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Camden, Charles A. Wolverton, of Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, Richard C. Jenkinson, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communications of January twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be Judge of the District Court of the City of Paterson, Edmund B. Randall, of Paterson, county of Passaic.

To be Judges of the District Court:

Monmouth County, First District, Benjamin B. Smith, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth;

Monmouth County, Second District, Harry Truax, of Long Branch, county of Monmouth.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Essex, Edward Schoen, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Judge of the District Court, First District, Newark, Cecil H. MacMahon, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, County of Essex, Michael W. Higgins, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be member of the Board of Tenement House Supervision, Augustus V. Hamburg, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Camden, Charles A. Wolverton, of Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, Richard C. Jenkinson, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Russell Post, of Keyport, county of Monmouth.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 22d, 1918.

At 2:45 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 22d, 1918.

I here appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be members of the Commission on Uniform Legislation:

John R. Hardin, of Newark, Essex county, reappointed;

Mark A. Sullivan, of Jersey City, Hudson county, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton, William A. Klemann, of Trenton, county of Mercer, to succeed Stewart Paton, resigned.

To be Harbormaster, Hudson County, George J. Healing, of Jersey City, county of Hudson. (*Ad interim.*)

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Essex County, William E. Sandmeyer, of Newark, to succeed Jerome T. Congleton, resigned;

Salem County, William M. Burk, of Pedricktown, to succeed Clayton L. Batten, deceased; Charles L. Richmond, of Daretown, to succeed Samuel P. Foster, resigned;

Passaic County, Edgar T. Tilt, of Paterson, to succeed William C. Bateman, deceased.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, Frank H. Smith, of Plainfield, Union county, to succeed George M. Lamonte, resigned.

To be Chaplain, State Prison Farm at Leesburg, Rev. John R. O'Conner, of Millville, county of Cumberland.

To be member of the Commission on Old Age Insurance and Pensions, F. William Gertzen, of Ramsey, county of Bergen,

To be members of the Board of Managers, State Hospital, Morris Plains:

Agnes Cromwell, of Mendham, Morris county;

Elizabeth H. A. Harris, of Glen Ridge, county of Essex;

William H. Ryan, of Elizabeth, county of Union, to succeed Patrick J. Ryan, deceased.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and their Wives, Vineland, Frank

Bateman, of Grenloch, county of Camden, to succeed Cyrus F. Osgood, resigned.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton:

Mary B. Fox, Camden, county of Camden;

Anna L. S. Prendergast, Salem, county of Salem.

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, Max Miller, Hoboken, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases, William S. Jones, M.D., Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys, Robert Carey, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Commission on Uniform State Legislation, George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Judges of the District Court:

Monmouth County, First District, Benjamin B. Smith, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth;

Monmouth County, Second District, Harry Truax, of Long Branch, county of Monmouth.

To be Judge of the Juvenile Court of the County of Essex, Edward Schoen, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Judge of the District Court, First District, Newark, Cecil H. MacMahon, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, County of Essex, Michael W. Higgins, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be member of the Board of Tenement House Supervision, Augustus V. Hamburg, of Newark, county of Essex.

To be Prosecutor of the Pleas in and for the County of Camden, Charles A. Wolverton, of Camden, county of Camden.

To be member of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, Richard C. Jenkinson, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—18.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Judge of the District Court of the City of Paterson, Edmund B. Randall, of Paterson, county of Passaic.

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Russell Post, of Keyport, county of Monmouth.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E.

Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be members of the Commission on Uniform Legislation:

John R. Hardin, of Newark, Essex county, reappointed;

Mark A. Sullivan, of Jersey City, Hudson county, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton, William A. Klemann, of Trenton, county of Mercer, to succeed Stewart Paton, resigned.

To be Harbormaster, Hudson County, George J. Healing, of Jersey City, county of Hudson. (*Ad interim.*)

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Essex County, William E. Sandmeyer, of Newark, to succeed Jerome T. Congleton, resigned.

Salem County, William M. Burk, of Pedricktown, to succeed Clayton L. Batten, deceased; Charles L. Richmond, of Daretown, to succeed Samuel P. Foster, resigned.

Passaic County, Edgar T. Tilt, of Paterson, to succeed William C. Bateman, deceased.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, N. J., January 29th, 1918.

At 12:45 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 27th, 1918.

I hereby confer upon the following officers, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following brevet ranks, being in each case one grade higher than the highest rank held by them during their term of service:

Colonel Charles A. Reid, to be Brigadier-General.

Colonel Reid entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 7th Infantry, October 1, 1883; Corporal, July, 1886; Captain and Inspector of Rifle Practice, 7th Infantry, June 30, 1890; Colonel and Assistant Inspector-General of Rifle Practice, July 1, 1897; retired, April 5, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel T. Mathers, to be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mathers entered the National Guard as Private, Company E, 6th Infantry, March 4, 1880; Sergeant, October 6, 1882; First Sergeant, May 14, 1885; Second Lieutenant, May 7, 1888; First Lieutenant, September 12, 1892; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 6th Infantry, October 17, 1893; Captain, Company E, 6th Infantry, May 6, 1896; Captain, Company I, 3d Infantry, May 2, 1899; Major, 3d Infantry, January 12, 1900; Lieutenant-Colonel, March 13, 1913; retired, August 4, 1917.

Captain T. Bergen Gaddis, to be Major.

Captain Gaddis entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 4th Infantry, August 3, 1886; Corporal, September 11, 1888; Sergeant, January 5, 1892; Battalion Sergeant Major, 4th Infantry, April 26, 1895; Second Lieutenant, Company F, 4th Infantry, April 22, 1896; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 4th Infantry, January 1, 1901; Captain and Paymaster, Pay Department, December 10, 1907; Captain, 4th Infantry, May 28, 1901; retired, April 18, 1917.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 27th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, William K. Devereux, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny, William C. Smith, of North Plainfield, county of Somerset, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Essex, Harry V. Osborne, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that action on the nomination of ex-Senator Harry V. Osborne, in accordance with customary courtesy, be taken without reference.

Which was agreed to.

Said nomination was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

In the negative—None.

So the said nomination was declared unanimously confirmed.

The remaining nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communications of January twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, William K. Devereux, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny, William C. Smith, of North Plainfield, county of Somerset, reappointed.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 29th, 1918.

At 3 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, endorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, January 28th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

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To be member of the Passaic Valley District Sewage and Drainage Commission, William Black, of Rutherford, county of Bergen, to succeed Frank J. VanNoort.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Bergen County, William Conklin, of Hackensack, reappointed;
Burlington County, Henry P. Thorn, of Medford, reappointed;
Cumberland County, George Hampton, of Bridgeton, reappointed;

Mercer County, Alfred K. Leuckel, of Trenton, reappointed;

Monmouth County, Richard W. Herbert, of Wickatunk, reappointed;

Somerset County, Andrew R. Kenny, of North Plainfield, reappointed;

Union County, John J. Collins, of Elizabeth, reappointed.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: January 28th, 1918.

I hereby reappoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, county of Somerset, to be member of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nomination was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the Passaic Valley District Sewage and Drainage Commission, William Black, of Rutherford, county of Bergen, to succeed Frank J. VanNoort.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Bergen County, William Conklin, of Hackensack, reappointed;

Burlington County, Henry P. Thorn, of Medford, reappointed;

Cumberland County, George Hampton, of Bridgeton, reappointed;

Mercer County, Alfred K. Leuckel, of Trenton, reappointed;

Monmouth County, Richard W. Herbert, of Wickatunk, reappointed;

Somerset County, Andrew R. Kenny, of North Plainfield, reappointed;

Union County, John J. Collins, of Elizabeth, reappointed.

To be member of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation, William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, Somerset county,

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards the nominations

To be members of the Commission on Uniform Legislation:

John R. Hardin, of Newark, Essex county, reappointed;

Mark A. Sullivan, of Jersey City, Hudson county, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Hospital for the Insane, Trenton, William A. Klemann, of Trenton, county of Mercer, to succeed Stewart Paton, resigned.

To be Harbormaster, Hudson County, George J. Healing, of Jersey City, county of Hudson. (*Ad interim.*)

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Essex County, William E. Sandmeyer, of Newark, to succeed Jerome T. Congleton, resigned;

Salem County, William M. Burk, of Pedricktown, to succeed Clayton L. Batten, deceased; Charles L. Richmond, of Daretown, to succeed Samuel P. Foster, resigned;

Passaic County, Edgar T. Tilt, of Paterson, to succeed William C. Bateman, deceased.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells —16.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, January 30th, 1918.

At 3:20 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be member of the Passaic Valley District Sewage and Drainage Commission, William Black, of Rutherford, county of Bergen, to succeed Frank J. VanNoort.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Bergen County, William Conklin, of Hackensack, reappointed;

Burlington County, Henry P. Thorn, of Medford, reappointed;

Cumberland County, George Hampton, of Bridgeton, reappointed;

Mercer County, Alfred K. Leuckel, of Trenton, reappointed;

Monmouth County, Richard W. Herbert, of Wickatunk, reappointed;

Somerset County, Andrew R. Kenny, of North Plainfield, reappointed;

Union County, John J. Collins, of Elizabeth, reappointed.

To be member of the Civil Service Commission, William K. Devereux, of Asbury Park, county of Monmouth, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny, William C. Smith, of North Plainfield, county of Somerset, reappointed.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Florance, Haines, Hammond, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon—11.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 4th, 1918.

At 9:10 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, upon the conclusion of which,

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 11th, 1918.

At 3:20 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—16.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, upon the conclusion of which,

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 12th, 1918.

At 1 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, endorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 12th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be Judge of the District Court, Second Judicial District of the County of Morris (chap. 27, L. 1918), Lyman M. Smith, of Dover, county of Morris.

To be Justice of the Supreme Court, Samuel Kalisch, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Circuit Court, Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville, county of Somerset, reappointed.

To be Clerk of the Supreme Court, Enoch L. Johnson, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Warren, John I. Blair Reiley, of Phillipsburg, county of Warren.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Dr. John C. VanDyke, of New Brunswick, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Augustus J. Meerwald, of Dennisville, county of Cape May, reappointed.

To be members of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission:

Frederick Sutro, of Basking Ridge, county of Somerset, reappointed;

William H. Porter, of New York City, New York, reappointed.

To be member of the Fish and Game Commission, Alexander H. Phillips, of Princeton, county of Mercer.

To be members of the State Board of Health:

Oliver Kelly, of Oak Tree, Middlesex county, reappointed;

Howard E. Winters, D.V.S., of Plainfield, Union county, reappointed.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Gloucester County, William C. Allen, of Westville, county of Gloucester, reappointed;

Hunterdon County, James H. Trewin, of Flemington, county of Hunterdon, reappointed;

Warren County, Edward J. Vosler, of Washington township (Belvidere), Warren county.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of February twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be Judge of the District Court, Second Judicial District of the County of Morris (chap. 27, L. 1918), Lyman M. Smith, of Dover, county of Morris.

To be Justice of the Supreme Court, Samuel Kalisch, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Circuit Court, Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville, county of Somerset, reappointed.

To be Clerk of the Supreme Court, Enoch L. Johnson, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Warren, John I. Blair Reiley, of Phillipsburg, county of Warren.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Dr. John C. VanDyke, of New Brunswick, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Augustus J. Meerwald, of Dennisville, county of Cape May, reappointed.

To be members of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission:

Frederick Sutro, of Basking Ridge, county of Somerset, reappointed;

William H. Porter, of New York City, New York, reappointed.

To be member of the Fish and Game Commission, Alexander H. Phillips, of Princeton, county of Mercer.

To be members of the State Board of Health:

Oliver Kelly, of Oak Tree, Middlesex county, reappointed;

Howard E. Winters, D.V.S., of Plainfield, Union county, reappointed.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Gloucester County, William C. Allen, of Westville, county of Gloucester, reappointed;

Hunterdon County, James H. Trewin, of Flemington, county of Hunterdon, reappointed.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 13th, 1918.

At 1:10 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—Wells—19.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, upon the conclusion of which,

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 14th, 1918.

At 12:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—16.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of January twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

Colonel Charles A. Reid, to be Brigadier-General.

Colonel Reid entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 7th Infantry, October 1, 1883; Corporal, July, 1886; Captain and Inspector of Rifle Practice, 7th Infantry, June 30, 1890; Colonel and Assistant Inspector-General of Rifle Practice, July 1, 1897; retired, April 5, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel T. Mathers, to be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mathers entered the National Guard as Private, Company E, 6th Infantry, March 4, 1880; Sergeant, October 6, 1882; First Sergeant, May 14, 1885; Second Lieutenant, May 7, 1888; First Lieutenant, September 12, 1892; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 6th Infantry, October 17, 1893; Captain, Company E, 6th Infantry, May 6, 1896; Captain, Company I, 3d Infantry, May 2, 1899; Major, 3d Infantry, January 12, 1900; Lieutenant-Colonel, March 13, 1913; retired, August 4, 1917.

Captain T. Bergen Gaddis, to be Major.

Captain Gaddis entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 4th Infantry, August 3, 1886; Corporal, September 11, 1888; Sergeant, January 5, 1892; Battalion Sergeant Major, 4th Infantry, April 26, 1895; Second Lieutenant, Company F, 4th Infantry, April 22, 1896; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 4th Infantry, January 1, 1901; Captain and Paymaster, Pay Department, December 10, 1907; Captain, 4th Infantry, May 28, 1901; retired, April 18, 1917.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of February twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Warren County, Edward J. Vosler, of Washington township (Belvidere), Warren county,

Reported said nomination without recommendation.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be Judge of the District Court, Second Judicial District of the County of Morris (Chapter 27, Laws 1918), Lyman M. Smith, of Dover, county of Morris.

To be Justice of the Supreme Court, Samuel Kalisch, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Circuit Court, Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville, county of Somerset, reappointed.

To be Clerk of the Supreme Court, Enoch L. Johnson, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Warren, John I. Blair Reiley, of Phillipsburg, county of Warren.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Dr. John C. VanDyke, of New Brunswick, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Shell Fisheries, Augustus J. Meerwald, of Dennisville, county of Cape May, reappointed.

To be members of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission:

Frederick Sutro, of Basking Ridge, county of Somerset, reappointed;

William H. Porter, of New York City, New York, reappointed.

To be member of the Fish and Game Commission, Alexander H. Phillips, of Princeton, county of Mercer.

To be members of the State Board of Health:

Oliver Kelly, of Oak Tree, Middlesex county, reappointed;

Howard E. Winters, D.V.S., of Plainfield, Union county, reappointed.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Gloucester County, William C. Allen, of Westville, county of Gloucester, reappointed;

Hunterdon County, James H. Trewin, of Flemington, county of Hunterdon, reappointed.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 18th, 1918.

At 10:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, February 18th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

New Jersey Bridge and Tunnel Commission (Chapter 49, Laws 1918):

Weller H. Noyes, of Tenafly, county of Bergen, for the term of four years;

Palmer Campbell, of Hoboken, county of Hudson, for term of two years;

Franklin Murphy, of Newark, county of Essex, for the term of one year;

Thomas N. McCarter, of Rumson, county of Monmouth, for the term of three years;

Samuel T. French, of Camden, county of Camden, for the term of two years;

Richard T. Collings, of Collingswood, county of Camden, for the term of one year;

Thomas J. S. Barlow, of Mapleshade, county of Burlington, for the term of four years;

Daniel F. Hendrickson, of Woodbury, county of Gloucester, for the term of three years.

State Highway Commission:

Anthony R. Kuser, of Bernardsville, county of Somerset, reappointed;

John W. Herbert, of Helmetta, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation for the County of Morris, John J. Cunningham, of Boonton, county of Morris.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

Colonel Charles A. Reid, to be Brigadier-General.

Colonel Reid entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 7th Infantry, October 1, 1883; Corporal, July, 1886; Captain and Inspector of Rifle Practice, 7th Infantry, June 30, 1890; Colonel and Assistant Inspector-General of Rifle Practice, July 1, 1897; retired, April 5, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel T. Mathers, to be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mathers entered the National Guard as Private, Company E, 6th Infantry, March 4, 1880; Sergeant, October 6, 1882; First Sergeant, May 14, 1885; Second Lieutenant, May 8, 1888; First Lieutenant, September 12, 1892; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 6th Infantry, October 17, 1893; Captain, Company E, 6th Infantry, May 6, 1896; Captain, Company I, 3d Infantry, May 2, 1899; Major, 3d Infantry, January 12, 1900; Lieutenant-Colonel, March 13, 1913; retired, August 4, 1917.

Captain T. Bergen Gaddis, to be Major.

Captain Gaddis entered the National Guard as Private, Company A, 4th Infantry, August 3, 1886; Corporal, September 11, 1888; Sergeant, January 5, 1892; Battalion Sergeant Major, 4th Infantry, April 26, 1895; Second Lieutenant, Company F, 4th Infantry, April 22, 1896; First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant, 4th Infantry, January 1, 1901; Captain and Payamster, Pay Department, December 10, 1907; Captain, 4th Infantry, May 28, 1901; retired, April 18, 1917.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—19.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nomination

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Warren County, Edward J. Vosler, of Washington township (Belvidere), Warren county.

Was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess—15.

In the negative—None.

So the said nomination was declared unanimously confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 19th, 1918.

At 3:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 19th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Ocean County, Gilbert Clayton, of Lakewood, county of Ocean;

Sussex County, John J. Van Sickle, of the township of Sandyston, county of Sussex.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 20th, 1918.

At 5:30 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communications of February eighteenth and nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

New Jersey Bridge and Tunnel Commission (Chapter 49, Laws 1918):

Weller H. Noyes, of Tenafly, county of Bergen, for the term of four years;

Palmer Campbell, of Hoboken, county of Hudson, for term of two years;

Franklin Murphy, of Newark, county of Essex, for the term of one year;

Thomas N. McCarter, of Rumson, county of Monmouth, for the term of three years;

Samuel T. French, of Camden, county of Camden, for the term of two years;

Richard T. Collings, of Collingswood, county of Camden, for the term of one year;

Thomas J. S. Barlow, of Mapleshade, county of Burlington, for the term of four years;

Daniel F. Hendrickson, of Woodbury, county of Gloucester, for the term of three years.

State Highway Commission:

Anthony R. Kuser, of Bernardsville, county of Somerset, reappointed;

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation for the County of Morris, John J. Cummingham, of Boonton, county of Morris.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Ocean County, Gilbert Clayton, of Lakewood, County of Ocean.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 26th, 1918.

At 5:15 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Sturgess, Wells—20.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

New Jersey Bridge and Tunnel Commission (Chapter 49, Laws 1918):

Weller H. Noyes, of Tenafly, county of Bergen, for the term of four years;

Palmer Campbell, of Hoboken, county of Hudson, for term of two years;

Franklin Murphy, of Newark, county of Essex, for the term of one year;

Thomas N. McCarter, of Rumson, county of Monmouth, for the term of three years;

Samuel T. French, of Camden, county of Camden, for the term of two years;

Richard T. Collings, of Collingswood, county of Camden, for the term of one year;

Thomas J. S. Barlow, of Mapleshade, county of Burlington, for the term of four years;

Daniel F. Hendrickson, of Woodbury, county of Gloucester, for the term of three years.

State Highway Commission, Anthony R. Kuser, of Bernardsville, county of Somerset, reappointed.

To be Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Hudson, John A. Blair, of Jersey City, county of Hudson.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation for the County of Morris, John J. Cunningham, of Boonton, county of Morris.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Ocean County, Gilbert Clayton, of Lakewood, county of Ocean.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Conrad, Fithian, Florance Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Wells—15.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communications of February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the County Board of Taxation:

Sussex County, John J. Van Sickle, of the township of Sandyston, county of Sussex,

Reported said nomination, without comment.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 27th, 1918.

At —— o'clock — M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—20.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 27th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

To be the Adjutant-General, Frederick Gilkyson, of Ewing township, county of Mercer.

To be Commissioner of Labor, Lewis T. Bryant, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

To be Judge of the District Court:

Jersey City, Second Judicial District, Clyde D. Souter, of Kearny, county of Hudson, to succeed John A. Blair, resigned (resignation accepted as of March 31, 1918);

Hudson County, Second Judicial District (Ch. 64, P. L. 1918), Arthur B. Archibald, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners (Ch. 124, P. L. 1918), George F. Wright, of Paterson, county of Passaic.

To be member of the Board of Conservation and Development, William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, county of Union.

To be members of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment:

Alonzo D. Herrick, of Hackettstown, county of Warren;

Harry W. Mutchler, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Harbormaster, Port of Elizabeth, John P. Arnold, of Elizabeth, county of Union.

To be members of the Board of Managers of the Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny:

John Stagg, of Paterson, county of Passaic;

John B. Fagan, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Oscar W. Jeffery, of Englwood, county of Bergen, to succeed Edgar H. Sturtevant, resigned.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Atlantic County, Dominick Corsiglia, of Buena Vista, county of Atlantic;

Camden County, Patrick Harding, of Haddonfield, county of Camden;

Hudson County, Philip McGovern, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, reappointed;

Middlesex County, John Strassburger, of Highland Park, county of Middlesex.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Mr. Richards moved that the rules be suspended, and that action on the nomination of Senator Harry W. Mutchler, in accordance with customary courtesy, be taken without reference.

Which was agreed to.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination," it was decided as follows:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

The remaining nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 27th, 1918.

I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, to be member of the Commission on Uniform State Legislation, for the full term.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be the Adjutant-General, Frederick Gilkyson, of Ewing township, county of Mercer.

To be Commissioner of Labor, Lewis T. Bryant, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

To be Judge of the District Court:

Jersey City, Second Judicial District, Clyde D. Souter, of Kearny, county of Hudson, to succeed John A. Blair, resigned (resignation accepted as of March 31, 1918);

Hudson County, Second Judicial District (Ch. 64, P. L. 1918), Arthur B. Archibald, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners (Ch. 124, P. L. 1918), George F. Wright, of Paterson, county of Passaic.

To be member of the Board of Conservation and Development, William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, county of Union.

To be members of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment:

Alonzo D. Herrick, of Hackettstown, county of Warren;

Harry W. Mutchler, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Harbormaster, Port of Elizabeth, John P. Arnold, of Elizabeth, county of Union.

To be members of the Board of Managers of the Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny:

John Stagg, of Paterson, county of Passaic;

John B. Fagan, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Oscar W. Jeffery of Englewood, county of Bergen, to succeed Edgar H. Sturtevant, resigned.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Atlantic County, Dominick Corsiglia, of Buena Vista, county of Atlantic;

Camden County, Patrick Harding, of Haddonfield, county of Camden;

Hudson County, Philip McGovern, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, reappointed;

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

The rules were suspended, and upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nominations

To be the Adjutant-General, Frederick Gilkyson, of Ewing township, county of Mercer.

To be Commissioner of Labor, Lewis T. Bryant, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, reappointed.

To be Judge of the District Court:

Jersey City, Second Judicial District, Clyde D. Souter, of Kearny, county of Hudson, to succeed John A. Blair, resigned (resignation accepted as of March 31, 1918);

Hudson County, Second Judicial District (Ch. 64, P. L. 1918), Arthur B. Archibald, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners (Ch. 124, P. L. 1918), George F. Wright, of Paterson, county of Passaic.

To be member of the Board of Conservation and Development, William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, county of Union.

To be members of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment:

Alonzo D. Herrick, of Hackettstown, county of Warren;

Harry W. Mutchler, of Rockaway, county of Morris.

To be Harbormaster, Port of Elizabeth, John P. Arnold, of Elizabeth, county of Union.

To be members of the Board of Managers of the Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny:

John Stagg, of Paterson, county of Passaic;

John B. Fagan, of Kearny, county of Hudson.

To be member of the State Board of Education, Oscar W. Jeffery, of Englewood, county of Bergen, to succeed Edgar H. Sturtevant, resigned.

To be members of the County Boards of Taxation:

Atlantic County, Dominick Corsiglia, of Buena Vista, county of Atlantic;

Camden County, Patrick Harding, of Haddonfield, county of Camden;

Hudson County, Philip McGovern, of Jersey City, county of Hudson, reappointed.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the

said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—18.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were declared unanimously confirmed.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, to be member of the Commission on Uniform State Legislation, for the full term.

Reported favorably upon said nomination.

The rules were suspended, and

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nomination

George A. Bourgeois, of Atlantic City, county of Atlantic, to be member of the Commission on Uniform State Legislation, for the full term.

Was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—19.

In the negative—None.

So the said nomination was declared unanimously confirmed.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communica-

tion of February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Middlesex County, John Strassburger, of Highland Park, county of Middlesex.

Reported said nomination without comment.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nomination

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Sussex County, John J. Van Sickle, of the township of Sandyston, county of Sussex.

Was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative—None.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Case, Conrad, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Martens, McGlennon, Munson, Runyon, Sturgess—12.

The Senate refused to advise and consent to the said nomination.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

TRENTON, February 28th, 1918.

At 5:30 o'clock P. M. the Senate met in Executive Session.

Under the direction of the President, the Secretary called the Senate, when the following Senators appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: TRENTON, February 28th, 1918.

I herewith appoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the following persons to the following positions:

State Board of Charities and Corrections (Ch. 147, P. L. 1918):

Dwight W. Morrow, of Englewood, county of Bergen, term to expire June 30th, 1919;

Frank A. Fetridge, of Newark, county of Essex, term to expire June 30th, 1920;

Dr. John Nevin, of Jersey City, Hudson county, term to expire June 30th, 1921;

E. P. Earle, of Montclair, county of Essex, term to expire June 30th, 1922;

Ogden H. Hammond, of Bernardsville, county of Somerset, term to expire June 30th, 1923;

Dr. William S. Jones, of Camden, county of Camden, term to expire June 30th, 1924;

Mrs. Lewis L. Thompson, of Red Bank, county of Monmouth, term to expire June 30th, 1925;

Richard Stockton, of Trenton, county of Mercer, term to expire June 30th, 1926.

State Board of Fisheries (Ch. 143, P. L. 1918):

Walter Kudlich, of West Hoboken, county of Hudson, for the term of one year;

Joseph Schloss, of Newark, county of Essex, for the term of two years;

Augustus Hilton, of Wildwood, county of Cape May, for the term of three years;

Albert Runyon, of Belford, county of Monmouth, for the term of four years;

C. Asa Francis, of Long Branch, county of Monmouth, for the term of five years.

To be President of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, Frank B. Jess, of Haddon Heights, county of Camden, for the full term, this appointment vacating the term he is now serving from July 1st, 1918.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, County of Cape May, Edward L. Rice, Dennisville, county of Cape May.

To be members , Board of Managers, State Village of Epileptics:

Herman F. Moosbrugger, of Somerville, county of Somerset, reappointed;

John Edward Clark, of New Brunswick, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be members of the Board of Managers, Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases:

Frederick J. Hughes, North Plainfield, county of Somerset, reappointed;

Lucy J. W. Taylor, of High Bridge, county of Hunterdon, reappointed.

To be member, Board of Trustees, State Home for Girls, Paula Laddey, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be members, Board of Managers, State Institution for Feeble-Minded:

George B. Thorn, Crosswicks, reappointed, county of Burlington;

William J. Dawson, of Wenonah, reappointed, county of Gloucester;

Mrs. Bloomfield H. Minch, of Bridgeton, reappointed, county of Cumberland.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nominations were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his communication of February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

State Board of Charities and Corrections (Ch. 147, P. L. 1918):

Dwight W. Morrow, of Englewood, county of Bergen, term to expire June 30th, 1919.

Frank A. Fetridge, of Newark, county of Essex, term to expire June 30th, 1920;

Dr. John Nevin, of Jersey City, Hudson county, term to expire June 30th, 1921;

E. P. Earle, of Montclair, county of Essex, term to expire June 30th, 1922;

Ogden H. Hammond, of Bernardsville, county of Somerset, term to expire June 30th, 1923;

Dr. William S. Jones, of Camden, county of Camden, term to expire June 30th, 1924;

Mrs. Lewis L. Thompson, of Red Bank, county of Monmouth, term to expire June 30th, 1925;

Richard Stockton, of Trenton, county of Mercer, term to expire June 30th, 1926.

State Board of Fisheries (Ch. 143, P. L. 1918):

Walter Kudlich, of West Hoboken, county of Hudson, for term of one year;

Joseph Schloss, of Newark, county of Essex, for the term of two years;

Augustus Hilton, of Wildwood, county of Cape May, for the term of three years;

Albert Runyon, of Belford, county of Monmouth, for the term of four years;

C. Asa Francis, of Long Branch, county of Monmouth, for the term of five years.

To be President of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, Frank B. Jess, of Haddon Heights, county of Camden, for the full term, this appointment vacating the term he is now serving from July 1st, 1918.

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, County of Cape May, Edward L. Rice, Dennisville, county of Cape May.

To be members, Board of Managers, State Village for Epileptics:

Herman F. Moosbrugger, of Somerville, county of Somerset, reappointed;

John Edward Clark, of New Brunswick, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be members of the Board of Managers, Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases:

Frederick J. Hughes, North Plainfield, county of Somerset, reappointed;

Lucy J. W. Taylor, of High Bridge, county of Hunterdon, reappointed.

To be member, Board of Trustees, State Home for Girls, Paula Laddey, of Newark, county of Essex, reappointed.

To be members, Board of Managers, State Institution for Feeble-Minded:

George B. Thorn, Crosswicks, reappointed, county of Burlington;

William J. Dawson, of Wenonah, reappointed, county of Gloucester;

Mrs. Bloomfield H. Minch, of Bridgeton, reappointed, county of Cumberland.

Reported favorably upon said nominations.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the rules were suspended, and said nominations were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were unanimously confirmed.

The President laid before the Senate a sealed communication from the Governor, indorsed "Nominations."

On motion of Mr. Richards, the seals of the communication were broken by the President, and the Secretary read as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
To the Senate: February 28th, 1918.

I hereby reappoint, with the advice and consent of the Senate, Arthur D. Chandler, of Orange, county of Essex, to be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys.

Respectfully,

[SEAL.] WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

Said nomination was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Richards, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the nominations made by Hon. Walter E. Edge, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in his second communication of February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys, Arthur D. Chandler, of Orange, county of Essex.

Reported favorably upon said nomination.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the rules were suspended, and the nominations,

To be member of the State Highway Commission, John W. Herbert, of Helmetta, county of Middlesex, reappointed.

To be member of the Board of Managers, State Home for Boys, Arthur D. Chandler, of Orange, county of Essex.

Were then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nominations?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Allen, Barber, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Florance, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, Martens, McCran (President), McGlennon, Munson, Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess, Wells—21.

In the negative—None.

So the said nominations were unanimously confirmed.

Upon motion of Mr. Richards, the nomination

To be member of the County Board of Taxation, Middlesex County, John Strassburger, of Highland Park, county of Middlesex.

Was then taken up.

Upon the question, "Will the Senate advise and consent to the said nomination?" the ayes and nays were taken, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Allen, Case, Conrad, Fithian, Haines, Hammond, Mackay, McCran (President), Mutchler, Pilgrim, Richards, Runyon, Stevens, Sturgess—14.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Florance, Martens, McGlennon, Munson—6.

So the said nomination was declared confirmed.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the ban of secrecy was ordered raised from the Minutes of the Executive Session.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Executive Session then arose.

WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
Secretary of the Senate.

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LEGISLATURE OF 1918.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
January 28th, 1918.

At 8:30 P. M. the Senate and General Assembly met in Joint Assembly in the Assembly Chamber.

The Joint Assembly was called to order by the Hon. Charles A. Wolverton, Speaker of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Honorable Thomas F. McCran, President of the Senate, be chosen as Chairman of the Joint Assembly.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That William H. Albright, Secretary of the Senate, and Upton S. Jefferys, Clerk of the House of Assembly, be respectively chosen Secretary and Assistant Secretary of this Joint Assembly.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary called the Joint Assembly, when the following members appeared and answered the call:

Messrs. Abbott, Ackerson, Agans, Allen, Allinson, Amerman, Applegate, Badgley, Barber, Blair, Bostock, Burroughs, Case, Champion, Close, Cochran, Conrad, Dugan, Eaton, Edgar, Fithian, Florance, Fooder, Foxhall, Gaede, Gallagher, Gill, Glover, Hagaman, Haines, Hammond, Han-

ley, Herrick, Hershfield, Hirschberg, Hobart, Hurley, Kellam, Lake, Lewis, Litchfield, Lord, Mackay, Martens, Marzulli, McAteer, McCran, McGlennon, McGovern, Morgan, Munson, Mutchler, Nolan, Pierson, Pilgrim, Pruden, Read, Reeves, Richards, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Runyon, Schneider, Simpson, Smith, Snow, Stevens, Stewart, Stout, Sturgess, Tattersall, Vreeland, Warner, Wells, Whitney, Wilson, Winne, Wolverton, Yarrow, Young—81.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Charles S. Whitman, Governor of the State of New York, is present in the State House;

Resolved, That the Chair appoint a committee of five to await upon the Governor and request him to address the Joint Assembly.

The Chairman then appointed the following committee: Senators Mackay, Case and McGlennon, and Assemblymen Whitney and Herrick, to escort Governor Whitman to the Assembly Chamber, after which he addressed the members of the Joint Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, Governor Walter E. Edge was asked to make an address, after which he spoke to the Joint Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Joint Assembly then arose.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
TRENTON, February 27th, 1918.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Senate and General Assembly met in Joint Assembly in the Assembly Chamber.

The Joint Assembly was called to order by the Hon. Charles A. Wolverton, Speaker of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Honorable Thomas F. McCran, President of the Senate, be chosen as Chairman of this Joint Assembly.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

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On motion of Mr. Richards, the Joint Assembly then proceeded to election of Commissioners of Deeds.

Mr. Richards offered the following nominations for the respective counties, severally named:

LIST OF COMMISSIONERS OF DEEDS.

ATLANTIC COUNTY.

Atlantic City, First Ward,
Walter K. Cavilear,
Wm. A. Faunce,
Alexander Weintrob,
Arthur Wright,
George G. Ortlip,
A. T. Murphy,
John C. Green,
David R. Barrett,
Chris. S. Schrepper.

Atlantic City, Second Ward,
Walter Townsend,
William B. Wiswell.
John C. McManemin.

Atlantic City, Third Ward,
James Farley,
William H. Roberts,
Joseph C. Grannan,
Bertha L. Simpson,
James A. Lightfoot,
Samuel E. Crowly.

Atlantic City, Fourth Ward,
William T. Leek,
William S. Emley, Jr.,
William M. Haughey,
Lewis Howell,
Wm. B. Loudenslager,
Wilbur Zimmerman,
Joseph A. McNamee,
Anthony M. Ruffu, Jr.,
Edwin M. Spence,
Hugh P. Genoe,
Leon A. Dubois,
Julius B. Press.

Buena Vista (township),
Domenick Martinelli,
J. Wesley Arthur.

Egg Harbor City,
Valentine P. Hofmann,
Adolph G. Morgenweck,
Emil Hurlemann,
Ignatz Hauser.

Hamilton (township),
Daniel E. Iszard,
Ira T. B. Smith,
James A. Lambert.

Hammonton (town),
Nicholas Cashan.

Longport (borough),
James M. Brice.

Margate City,
Anthony Gertzen.

Mullica (township),
Henry Tapken.

Northfield City,
Ernest A. Lord.

Pleasantville (borough),
James H. Johnson,
Reuben E. Adams.

Ventnor City,
James G. Scull.

BERGEN COUNTY.

Closter (borough),
Albert T. Sneden,
Anna E. Scott.

Creskill (borough),
John P. B. Westervelt.

Delford (borough),
Elmer Blauvelt.

Demarest (borough),
Anton M. Schermann.

Dumont (borough),
Benjamin C. Fessenden,
William M. Peck,
Earle F. Watson.

East Rutherford (borough),
Charles B. Johnson,
H. Kirke White,
Frank Van Roden,
Albert Dexheimer.

Englewood (city), First Ward,
Emile Ritzier.

Englewood (city) Second Ward,
Edson B. Gorman,
Parker Stiles.

Englewood (city), Fourth Ward,
George W. Dietz,
John C. Gardiner.

Englewood (city), Fourth Ward),
William Conklin.

Fairview (borough),
James F. Lyons.

Fort Lee (borough),
Harry D. Schall,
William Cook,
Joseph C. Howell.

Garfield (borough),
Arthur Noack,
Albina B. Romaglia,
Louise H. Garies.

Harrington Park (borough),
James F. Gleason.

Harrington (township),
Louis Campora.

Hasbrouck Heights (borough),
Emma Milani.

Hillsdale (township),
William E. Large.

Little Ferry (borough),
Charles D. Castle,
Charles Schultze.

Lodi (borough),
Andrew D. Kerr,
Nicola Ciampo.

Midland (township),
Herbert O. Wentworth,
Ralph D. Childs,
Henry Schnakenberg.

Hackensack,
Henry W. Bunger,
Lyle A. Skinner,
Anna Lauf,
Frederick Bratt,
Paul M. T. Purps,
Evan G. Runner,
Walter E. Dobbins,
Fred J. Thomson,
Fred M. Fountain,
Louis W. Shaffer,
Charles Rosenberg.

North Arlington (borough),
John H. Shields.

Overpeck (township),
Ernst Bruno,
Alfred H. Koelier.

Palisades Park (borough)
Edward H. Gobber.

Ramsey (borough),
John Frank DeBaun.

Ridgewood (township),
Leonard N. Taft,
Fred W. Simonds.

Riverside (borough),
Melville J. Ford.

Rutherford (borough),
Duvall B. Brown,
Charles A. Morey,
Calvin P. Perham,
William P. Smith,
Charles A. Van Winkle,
William Harvey Ely.

Teaneck (township),
Thomas H. Oliver,
George L. O'Hare,
Joseph P. Burns.

Tenafly (borough),
E. May Riggles.

Westwood (borough),
Henry Hinck.

Woodbridge (borough),
Jerry A. Marconi.

CAMDEN COUNTY.

Berlin (township),
Charles D. Heath.

Camden (city), First Ward,
Philip Schmitz.

Camden (city), Second Ward,
Charles G. Jessup,
Joseph S. Kerbaugh,
Frank C. Sayrs.

Camden (city), Fourth Ward,
Sarah H. Mason.

Camden (city), Sixth Ward,
Ralph D. Baker,
Orville S. Godfrey.

Camden (city), Seventh Ward,
Samuel Albert,
James E. Weaver,
W. Taylor Wright.

Camden (city), Eighth Ward,
Charles H. Laird.

Camden (city), Eleventh Ward,
William Schmid,
Charles Bridge.

Camden (city), Thirteenth Ward,
Emil Mettler,
Henry A. Budney.

Barrington (borough),
William A. Gregory.

Clementon (township),
H. James Rebbeck.

Collingswood (borough),
Harry H. Rice,
George W. Jessup,
Earl R. Lippincott,
Charles F. Taylor.

Haddonfield (borough),
Edward J. Magill.

Merchantville (borough),
Joshua Griffiths,
Manus S. Rudderow.

CAPE MAY COUNTY.

Cape May City,
J. Harry Hughes,
Sol Needles.

Dennis (Township),
Herbert M. Carroll,
Jacob P. Collins,
A. Elton Holmes.

Lower (township),
Samuel Townsend.

Middle (Township),
A. Carlton Hildreth,
Luther T. Garretson.

Ocean City, First Ward,
R. Curtis Robinson,
E. John Hann,
Daniel P. Hendrickson,
Mary B. Lambert.

Ocean City, Second Ward,
William E. Massey.

Sea Isle City (borough),
Jeremiah P. Delaney.

Upper (township),
R. Fendall Smith.

Wildwood (city of),
Robert J. Kay,
William H. Bright,
Ebenezer Yenney,
Frank L. King,
Manlif L. Branin.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Bridgeton, Third Ward,
Walter H. Bacon, Jr.,
Eugene R. Laning.

Commercial (township),
Wilbert H. Robbins,
Joseph B. Wilson,
Wilson J. Purvis.

Lawrence (township),
Furman B. Sheppard.

Millville, Second Ward,
Samuel M. Sheldon.

Millville, Third Ward,
J. Wesley Arthur.

Millville, Fourth Ward,
Wilbert R. Goodwin.

Vineland (borough),
Marcus Fry,
Ira P. Sharp,
John A. Ackley,
William E. Rogers,
Thomas G. Tuso.

ESSEX COUNTY.

Belleville (town),
Abel P. Campbell,
Eugene M. Gavey,
Jennie M. Nixon,
Joseph Vicarisi.

Bloomfield (town of), First Ward,
James Albinson,
George M. Cadmus.

Bloomfield (town of), Second Ward,
Mildred Cueman,
John C. Moye.

Bloomfield (town of), Third Ward,
Harry Adler,
Joseph W. Oheiter.

Caldwell (borough),
Frederick P. Collins.

East Orange, Second Ward,
Harry H. Picking,
William R. Bingham,
Edward D. Birkholz.

East Orange, Third Ward,
Blanche G. Reynolds,
Theodore Hampson,
John W. McWilliams,
Charles Floid Simpson,
Charles E. Rousek.

East Orange, Fourth Ward,
Elijah Doremus,
James E. Garabrant,
John J. Moore,
Walter R. Pruden,
Charles H. Greening,
George M. Gibbs,
Charles S. Orben,
Charles W. Bockelman.

East Orange, Fifth Ward,
Noah M. Baldwin,
Norman P. Vanderhoof,
Charles C. Lurich.

Essex Fells (borough),
Louis V. Booraem.

Glen Ridge (borough),
Nathan Russell,
Nathan Russell, Jr.,
Arthur Russell.

Irvington (town of), First Ward,
Orrin E. Runyon.

Irvington (town of), Second Ward,
John B. Geyler,
Charles H. Harrison,
Oliver J. Ross,
J. Edward DeLancy,
William J. Woodhead, Jr.

Irvington (town of), Third Ward,
Samuel R. Cairns.

Millburn (township),
William H. Lushear,
Edward G. Layng.

Montclair, First Ward,
Gideon M. De Witt,
Henry Speer,
Ernest M. Marshall,
Calvin W. Smith.

Montclair, Second Ward,
Henry L. Yost,
Walter B. Larzelere.

Montclair, Third Ward,
Rebecca B. Draper,
John L. Cox,
Eddy Whitby,
Samuel C. Wheeler.

Montclair, Fourth Ward,
Benjamin F. Pabodie.

Montclair, Fifth Ward,
Isidor J. Auerbach.

Newark, First Ward,
Harry P. Kreiner,
Joseph Linarducci,
Gerardo J. Spatola,
Raffaele Del Deo,
Joseph Linarducci.

Newark, Second Ward,
Charles F. Schneider,
Harry Zeliff,
Walter R. Coe,
Joseph Korn,
William R. Conlon,
Herbert Finkelstein,
Mark F. Phillips.

Newark, Third Ward,
Frederick B. Agens, Jr.,
Isadare Resenbluth,
Paul Silberman,
Herman Simon.

Newark, Fourth Ward,
H. L. De Richemond,
De Forest P. Lozier,
Edith A. Crossland,
George F. Hewson.

Newark, Fifth Ward,
Vincent W. Ambrose,
Harry F. Weigand.

Newark, Sixth Ward,
Gustave W. Gehin,
Emil Germanus,
Jacob Kanengieser,
Owen A. Hanretty,
Delphine Kraemer,
Bertha Nies,
Charles P. Gillon,
John J. Berry,
James B. Reilly,

Owen A. Henretty,
Nicolas R. Sica,
John J. Berry.

Newark, Seventh Ward,
David D. Forman,
Nathan Pallant,
Fillippo A. Sacchetti,
John J. Brady,
Joseph F. Murphy,
Samuel Schwartz.

Newark, Eighth Ward,
Joseph Horvath,
Lorenzo Boscanio,
P. L. Bryce,

Bernard Eben,
William F. Kimber,
John W. Park,
David Cronheim,
Charles L. Adolph,
Karl Zeigler Kiefer,
John S. Sheldon,
Peter B. Fox,
Henry A. Guenther,
Gustave W. Gehin.

Newark, Ninth Ward,
Harry Berger,
Alfred S. Chapman,
Clifford J. Horner,
John P. S. Lower,
Sidney S. Smith,
William M. Resh,
Alexander L. Schlesinger,
Rosalie Kaplan,
Myrtle M. Trube,
Charles T. Savitz,
Israel J. Rachlin,
Mary C. Durr,
Meyer Slutzky,
A. Otto Birn,
Alfred L. Swain.

Newark, Tenth Ward,
Christopher F. O'Brien,
Michael Pecci.

Newark, Eleventh Ward,
George O. Totten,
Gustav B. Whitehead,
George E. Van Dyne,
Hannah Knowles,
Louis V. Tonero,
Samuel F. Bentley,
William I. Fisk,
Louis E. Meeker,
Theron A. Phillips,
Clinton N. Healy.

Newark, Twelfth Ward,
Clarence G. Richards,
Thomas J. Smith,
Alphonsus M. McGrath,
G. Leonard Kusterer.

Newark, Thirteenth Ward,
Thomas E. Burke,
Otto L. Puth,
Charles G. Hahn,
Chas. B. Bloemecke,
Arthur S. Walker,
Charles T. Ziegler,
Michael W. Higgins.

Newark, Fourteenth Ward,
Michael Baron,
Paul Curcio,
Anthony G. Kroehl, Jr.,
Alfred Poqik,
Wm. H. Bush,
Chas. A. Herr,
Jos. H. Steinhardt,
Jas. J. Perlitt,
Wm. G. Dassing,
Thos. E. Burke,
Clarence F. Muller,
Frank Lagay,
Jos. F. Papscoe,
George A. Roehm.

Newark, Fifteenth Ward,
William Sibilia,
Peter Pollock.

Newark, Sixteenth Ward,
Samuel D. King,
John A. Linnett,
Valentine C. Trabold,
Adam Lebert,
Frederick W. Butler,
Frederic L. Wolf,
Gustave Jay,

George Otto,
Charles A. Scheffmeyer,
Frances B. Stewart,
Frederick W. Conklin,
Frederick W. Corwin,
Leser Oury.

Nutley (town of), Second Ward,
John F. Clark, Jr.,
Annie L. Van Winkle,
Frank L. Rusby,
James M. Post,
Frank A. Brandreth.

Orange (city of), First Ward,
John C. Fineran.

Orange (city of), Second Ward,
Michael J. Brown.

Orange (city of), Third Ward,
Joseph Federici,
John Randall.

Orange (city of), Fourth Ward,
Wilbur F. Kynor,
Harry D. Wethling.

Orange (city of), Fifth Ward,
Helen M. Kiendl.

Roseland (borough),
George E. DeCamp.

South Orange (village and township),
Peter A. Smith,
William J. Rink,
Harry H. Picking.

Verona (borough),
Aaron B. DeCamp.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

Greenwich (township),
Frank P. Shuster.

Mantua (township),
Charles S. Dilkes.

HUDSON COUNTY.

Bayonne, First Ward,
Charles E. Annett,
Joseph W. Moore,
Louis S. Silverman,
Horace Roberson, Jr.,
William P. Lee,
Matthew J. Coughlin.

Bayonne, Second Ward,
Hugh C. Colville,
George H. Cramer,
Eugene Macchi,
Lanning F. Roake,
Charles A. Wilson,
Julius A. Rose,
Raymond H. O'Connor,
John J. Driscoll,
Emanuel Goldweber,
Matthew T. Cronin.

Bayonne, Third Ward,
John J. Ryan.

Bayonne, Fourth Ward,
J. Edsall Johnson.

Bayonne, Fifth Ward,
Joseph P. Bond,
Herman Klien,
Michael E. Vrabel,
Max I. Goldweber.

Guttenburg (town),
James P. Barrett,
John Maus.

Harrison, Second Ward,
Joseph Di Sabato,
Ellen A. Rice.

Harrison, Fourth Ward,
John A. McKeon,
Anthony O'Malley,
George W. Riordan.

Hoboken, Second Ward,
Wm. V. Buckbinger,
Charles A. Kingsland,
Leo Mayer,
George H. Steljes,
Henry C. Steneck,
Charles A. Fall.

Hoboken, Fourth Ward,
George A. Capelli,
Louis Engler,
Frank Hauck.

Hoboken, Fifth Ward,
Timothy A. Dooley,
August Graf,
John J. Eckhardt,
George A. Conklin,
William C. Brown.

Jersey City, First Ward,
Marcus Singer,
John Hindle,
Stefan Milanowycz,
Thomas Burke.

Jersey City, Second Ward,
Hugh J. Burns,
John Bender.

Jersey City, Third Ward,
Mary F. Carroll,
Charles E. Carroll,
Samuel Lesser,
Louis J. Messano,
Harry T. Nugent,
Daniel J. Harper.

Jersey City, Fourth Ward,
E. Charles Altshul,
L. Theodore Everett,
James F. Gannon,
James W. Simpson,
Albert Datz,
James J. McBride,
William F. Daly,
Joseph P. Hayden.

Jersey City, Fifth Ward,
James J. Anglesey,
Louis E. Calitri,
Joseph John Loori.

Jersey City, Sixth Ward,
Joseph F. Gillick,
William H. Owens,
Arthur Thornton.

Jersey City, Seventh Ward,
William C. Collins,
Frederick Platz,
James W. Shannon,
Morris Blatt,
Anthony F. Shoemaker,
Harry J. Read,
Carl A. Orrico.

Jersey City, Eighth Ward,
Bergen Gaddis,
Frank E. Older,
Cornelius P. Sheehan,
John J. O'Connor,
William R. Roach,
William M. Booker,

Harry A. Hughes,
William F. Roehrer,
Althea A. Letts,
Louis Sherwood,
Sidney A. Anderson,
Marie Doyle.

Jersey City, Ninth Ward,
Frederick W. Bietz,
Nicholas E. Feury,
Charles N. King,
Edward Romaine,
Daniel E. Cleary,
Thomas W. Coyle,
Harry J. Russel,
Patrick J. Cooney,
Edwin J. Donohue,
Harry W. Byrne,
Joseph A. O'Connor,
William P. Drew,
Morton Brown.

Jersey City, Tenth Ward,
Louis A. Boehler,
John J. Erwin,
James S. Lynch,
Martin F. Ryan,
William C. Wallace,
Hugh K. Vaughan,
John F. O'Neill,
James A. Cavanaugh,
John Verga,
Frank Boland,
John J. Coffey.

Jersey City, Eleventh Ward,
James H. Clarke,
Albert A Franck,
William Kohl,
George Pforr,
John C. Weitzel,
George M. Wormann,

E. Julius Brandes,
Louis C. Allen,
John J. O'Neill,
May A. Feeney.

Jersey City, Twelfth Ward,
William H. Brown,
William Goetzen,
Joseph A. Hartel,
Hugh Shaw,
Charles Newkirk.

Kearny (town) First Ward,
Burton E. Canfield.

Kearny (town), Second Ward,
Joseph E. Hall.

North Bergen (township),
George de Medina,
Edward Hunke,
John J. Marione,
John J. McMahon,
Howard W. Seeley,
Edward Rowland,
William H. Halpin,
William H. Drescher, Jr.,
Theodore A. Kieffman,
Howard J. Campbell.

Secaucus (borough),
Louis H. Hilke, Jr.

Town of Union, First Ward,
Charles Schley,
Emil Shield,
Frederick C. Hausen,
William Peters.

Town of Union, Second Ward,
Alfred Blume,
Frank Levey,
Charles Singer, Jr.,
George N. Zeh,
Henry Spitz.

Town of Union, Third Ward,
Sylvester J. Eastwood,
William J. Kopp,
Domenico Sinisi,
Michael Modarelli,
Edwin B. Young,
Harry W. Betz,
Mollie Weitz.

Weehawken (township),
Thomas Carroll,
Henry Frank, Jr.,
Percy W. Limouze,
Pauline Paul,
John G. Peppler,
Harry W. Renner,
Arthur J. Ciccarelli,
Patrick J. Rock,
William E. Bodenstein,
Stewart Hamilton.

West Hoboken, First Ward,
Anthony J. Barberis,
Morris G. Fredman,
Dominick J. Protonastro.

West Hoboken, Second Ward,
John E. Davis,
Edward A. Hannan.

West Hoboken, Third Ward,
Thomas P. Usher,
William Frentzen,
Charles Bernhammer,
Isador Haber.

West New York (town), First Ward,
John Dippel.

West New York (town), Second Ward,
Edward Hoehl.

West New York (town), Third Ward,
Samson Lowenthal.

HUNTERDON COUNTY.

Clinton (township),
John Shurts,
E. B. Coss,
John D. Hoffman,
John Swenzy.

Delaware (township),
Erastus C. Rockafellow.

Flemington (borough),
Frank E. Green,

Franklin (Township),
E. L. Dalrymple.

Frenchtown (borough),
George Eddy,

Lambertville, First Ward,
C. C. B. John.

Lebanon (township),
Elston Beaty.

Milford (borough),
Charles H. Cooley,
A. S. Eckel.

Readington (township),
Warren R. Thompson,
Grant Davis.

Tewksbury (township),
George F. Martens, Jr.,
Charles P. Farley,
Harry G. Geist,

West Amwell (township),
William Lauderale.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Cranbury (township),
John C. Barlow.

Dunellen (borough),
William W. Giddes.

Helmetta (borough),
Chester A. Burt.

Jamesburg (borough),
Eugenia R. Chandler.

Metuchen (borough),
Henrietta T. Silzer,
Edna M. Wittnebert.

Milltown (borough),
Joseph A. Headley.

New Brunswick (city), First Ward,
Charles W. Pierce,
John Watson,
Vivian C. Ross.

New Brunswick (city), Fourth Ward,
Frederick W. Conger,
John W. Helm,
Frederick C. Schneider.

New Brunswick (city), Fifth Ward,
Joseph Pokorny.

New Brunswick (city), Sixth Ward,
Mary A. McElroy,
Clara C. Mastersen.

Perth Amboy, First Ward,
Axel Olsen.

Perth Amboy, Second Ward,
Arthur Reichmann.

Perth Amboy, Third Ward,
Niels Adolph Nielsen,
Albert Goldfinger.

Perth Amboy, Fifth Ward,
William P. OHara,
Jacob Goldberger,
Louis Csipo.

Raritan (township),
Wilfred R. Woodward.

Roosevelt (borough),
Samuel B. Brown,
Samuel C. C. Harris,

Sayreville (township),
Charles E. Gildersleeve,
Frederick M. Townley.

South Amboy (borough), Third Ward,
Catherine T. Seagrave.

South River (borough),
August Nuss,
David Serviss,
John W. Ledwon,
Joseph Raksanyi,
Herman Hollander.

Woodbridge (township),
Edward G. Cone,
J. Edward Harned,
Stephen Penik,
Theodore E. Drake,
Isaac B. Esberg.

Highland Park (borough),
Theodor L. Drumpelmann.

Piscataway,
Clarence M. Haight.

MERCER COUNTY.

East Windsor (township),
W. Lyle Swett.

Hamilton (township),
Leon McGalliard,
John W. Harter,
William A. Robinson,
Charles A. Comp,
Joshua H. Pierrepont,
J. Chauncey Van Horn,
Joseph L. Watson.

Hightstown (borough),
Norman A. Keeler.

Hopewell (borough),
Simpson D. Stilwell,
J. Mason Ege,
John F. Armstrong.

Pennington (borough),
Oliver B. Gray.

Princeton (borough),
F. Louis Sperling,
Irving W. Mershon,
Charles A. Seidensticker.

Trenton, First Ward,
Charles H. Williams,
Wm. C. Hirsch.

Trenton, Second Ward,
Robert M. Hutchinson,
Harry E. Hack.

Trenton, Third Ward,
Richard J. Carey.

Trenton, Fourth Ward,
David L. Kelsey.

Trenton, Fifth Ward,
John E. Mulrey.

Trenton, Sixth Ward,
Emma V. Atkinson,
Fred B. Potts.

Trenton, Seventh Ward,
William A. Holcomb.

Trenton, Ninth Ward,
Charles G. Cook,
Frank S. Lanza,
Ernest Volk,
Arpad Brieger,
Sigmund Zeisler.

Trenton, Tenth Ward,
Solomon R. Block,
Laura E. Marshall,
Horace E. Barwis,
Hartley T. Updike,
James W. Reilly.

Trenton, Eleventh Ward,
John Harper,
Nicholas Binder,
Andrew M. Tomko.

Trenton, Thirteenth Ward,
Lincoln Updike.

Trenton, Fourteenth Ward,
Lewis C. Case,
W. M. Dickinson.

MONMOUTH COUNTY.

Allenhurst (borough),
Abram V. Havens,
J. R. Hoffman.

Asbury Park (city), First Ward,
Martin L. Ferris,
Wm. C. Rogers,
George L. Atkins.

Asbury Park (city), Second Ward,
Ira C. Smock,
Morris May,
Wm. J. Osborn,
Theodore W. Brewer.

Atlantic (township),
Harry W. Leland.

Atlantic Highlands (borough),
Grover C. Williams,
H. H. Stilwell.

Avon-by-the-Sea (borough),
R. C. Love,
Chas. D. Snyder,
A. Quinton Coles.

Bradley Beach (borough),
Margaret R. Forde.

Freehold (township and town),
Cornelius B. Barkalow,
Edgar I. VanDeveer,
Rose Mooney,
Carl McDermott.

Holmdel (township),
John W. Hance.

Keyport (borough),
Arthur S. Van Buskirk,
Eliza Rogers,
George W. Walling.

Long Branch, First Ward,
Albert Hirschfeld,
Romulus P. Rimo,

Henry W. Burke,
Lela M. Sutphin,
Wm. D. Martin,
Arthur Holtson,
J. Wesley Seaman.

Long Branch, Fourth Ward,
E. E. Throckmorton.

Long Branch, Fifth Ward,
Cora M. Throckmorton.

Matawan (borough),
Charles E. Close,
Charles A. Geran.

Middletown (township),
Cornelius D. Sullivan.

Neptune (township),
Daniel C. Covert,
John H. Dewis,
Walter H. Gravatt,
Thomas H. Murray,
Joel C. Perry,
Herman E. Shubert,
Amy L. Hickman,
Kays R. Morgan,
F. Edgerton Reynolds.

Ocean (township),
LeRoy Martin,
Lottie Metzgar.

Red Bank (borough),
Edward W. Wise,
Frank A. Morehouse,
A. E. Russell.

Rumsen (borough),
Wm. H. Hintelman,
James Enright, Jr.

Spring Lake (township),
Horatio Clayton.

Upper Freehold (township),
Barclay P. Malsbury,

Wall (township),
Albert S. Craig.

MORRIS COUNTY.

Boonton (town),
Nicholas S. Van Duyne,
John Bolcar,
Katherine M. Conklin.

Butler (borough),
Francis H. McCue.

Chatham (township),
Charles A. Johnson.

Chester (township),
Alonzo P. Green.

Dover (town),
Robert Killgore,
Newton Ely,
Edward D. Neighbour,

Madison (borough),
Alexander Eagles,
Joseph V. Keating,
Pasquale Maioran,

Mendham (borough),
Charles H. Day,
Edson J. Rood.

Morris (township),
Alice D. Smith.

Morristown (town), Second Ward,
Stuart W. Kay,
Daniel E. Romine.

Morristown (town), Third Ward,
Ethel L. Miller.

Morristown (town), Fourth Ward,
Vincent D. Roache.

Mount Olive (township),
Abraham D. Budd.

Pequannock (township),
Robert J. Stell.

Roxbury (township),
Theodore F. King.
John W. Fancher.

Wharton (borough),
Wm. J. Coles.

Dover (town),
Newton Ely.

OCEAN COUNTY.

Beach Haven (borough),
Wm. L. Butler.

Brick (township),
John A. Dorsett.

Toms River (township),
David C. Brewer.

Englewood (township),
Chas. L. Shinn,
Oscar Parker.

Jackson (township),
James D. Holman,
Walter Hendrickson,
Chas. A. Allen.

Lakewood (township),
J. Goodrich Holman,
Frank W. Todd,
Wm. E. Nowlan,
George B. Peters.

Point Pleasant (borough,
Albert Allen,

Sea Side Park (borough),
A. Carl Hoag.

Tuckerton (borough),
J. Sabine Otis.

Union (township),
Wm. H. Spangler.

PASSAIC COUNTY.

Acquackononk (township),
S. Grant Thorburn,
Jacob Kucala,
Emil Schmidlin.

Haledon (borough),
Arthur A. V. Gionti.

Passaic City, First Ward,
Michelino Grasso,
Adolph Kroll,
Jelka G. Verbich,
Joseph Balcar,
Emanuel B. Schablik,
John Trella,
Charles A. Biczak.

Passaic City, Second Ward,
George F. Allen,
Henry Hubschmidt,
Ira J. Bogert,
Arthur S. Hughes,
Frank Hughes,
Charles Rust,
Samuel Weinberger,
Oscar T. Merritt.

Passaic City, Third Ward,
James Strachan,
Dominick De Muro,
John B. Fitchett,
Zabriskkie A. Van Houten.

Passaic City, Fourth Ward,
Daniel J. Dunphy,
Alvin J. Meyer,
Phillip Richmond,
Joseph Rosenberg,
Cyrus W. Baldwin.

Paterson, First Ward,
Jacob De Lazier,
Maurice Shea.

Paterson, Second Ward,
Ephraim Babcock,
Nicholas V. Kroege,
James H. Auburn,
Ada Frances Corwin,
Hugh Greene,
Edward Acorn,
Frank I. Adams.

Paterson, Third Ward,
John A. Hugg.

Paterson, Fourth Ward,
David Harris,
George L. King,
Robert H. Potter,

Abel Del Vacchio,
Amy A. Borden,
Cornelius Poelstra,
Frank S. Zeitlinger.

Paterson, Fifth Ward,
Richard Rossiter,
Lewis A. Ryan,
William J. Fraley.

Paterson, Sixth Ward,
Benjamin Cohn,
Frank P. Romano,
John D. S. Goodridge.

Paterson, Seventh Ward,
George F. Shaw,
Edward F. Murphy.

Paterson, Eighth Ward,
Alexander Orico.

Paterson, Ninth Ward,
Catherine Farrar,
Sidney Farrar,
May Rigg,
Henry Dardia.

Paterson, Tenth Ward,
James Tomai.

Paterson, Eleventh Ward,
August Muller,
Eugene H. Olden,
David V. Proskey,
Harry J. Corwin,
Harry S. McIntosh,
Robert Sinclair,
Thomas A. Christie,
Wm. B. Morrison,
Harold J. Harder,
Francis X. Meegan,
James C. Porter.

Pompton Lakes (borough),
George W. Mickens,
Lawrence H. Shorter, Jr.

Totowa (borough),
Sigfred Bech.

Wayne (township),
Theodore F. C. Demarest,
Harry L. Hammond.

West Milford (township),
Grant S. Winters,
G. Gordon Francisco.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

Bedminister (township),
Abram Dunn.

Bernards (township),
Frank P. Bowman,
Henry Scheuerman,
John R. Turner,
John J. Foley.

Bound Brook (borough),
Thomas D. Vansyckel,
John J. Maier,
Hubert Suydam.

Bridgewater (township),
Thomas F. Hickey.

Franklin (township),
Thomas E. Gibson,
George A. Woolf.

North Plainfield (borough),
A. Gibby Spencer.

North Plainfield (township),
Richard Moldenke.

Rocky Hill (borough),
Edwin S. Voorhees,
Theo. F. Stryker.

Somerville (borough),
Mary L. Staats,
Jennie C. Brown,
Jacob K. Brokaw,
Selenda E. Rowland,
John Enk,
Charles L. Voorhees,
Frederick E. Duckers,
Roy Bolles.

SUSSEX COUNTY.

Andover (borough),
Watson R. Ayers.

Branchville (borough),
Alfred J. Canfield.

Newton (town),
Charles M. Woodruff.

Sparta (township),
John P. Madden.

Stanhope (borough),
Helen E. Shaw.

Stillwater (township),
Charles H. M. Angle.

Vernon (township),
Nicholas P. Ryerson.

UNION COUNTY.

Cranford (township),
Augustus O. Hopkins,
James E. Warner.

Elizabeth, First Ward,
James J. Manning.

Elizabeth, Second Ward,
Joseph J. Farrell,
James A. Dowd,
Simon Mack,

Elizabeth, Third Ward,
Alexander Mihalkovitz,
Bertram B. Miller.

Elizabeth, Fifth Ward,
Elsa E. Looseman.

Elizabeth, Sixth Ward,
Hannah Walsh.

Elizabeth, Seventh Ward,
John J. Farrelly,
Carl Marz,
Thomas J. Pierson,
Frank D. Jaques.

Elizabeth, Eighth Ward,
Louis Messing, Jr.,
Valeria Husbands.

Elizabeth, Ninth Ward,
Frank A. Long.

Elizabeth, Tenth Ward,
Alexander P. Dunbar,
Mary F. Fox,
Charles A. Craig,
Jacob J. Coyne,
Charles L. Bauer, Jr.,
Frank Shanley.

Elizabeth, Twelfth Ward,
Kimber C. Taylor.

Fanwood (borough),
Charles Sheelen,
Edward D. Hand.

Fanwood (township),
T. J. Nicholl,
John W. Whetstone.

Kenilworth (borough),
Anthony Grippo.

Plainfield, Second Ward,
Daniel F. Dugan,
Adelia Runyon.

Rahway, Second Ward,
Clifford B. Gehring,
Charles H. Lambert,
Alexander Stamler.

Rahway, Third Ward,
Nathan V. Compton,
Henry L. Moore.

Roselle (borough),
Nellie W. Colohan.

Roselle Park (borough),
Francis V. Lowden.

Summit (city), First Ward,
Fred W. Clift.

Union (township),
Fred W. C. Crane,
Joseph F. Greer.

Westfield (township), Second Ward,
Charles H. Kyte.

WARREN COUNTY.

Blairstown (township),
Edward L. Lanterman.

Greenwich (township),
John H. Kinkle.

Independence (township),
James E. Fleming.

Knowlton (township),
Charles J. Quig.

Phillipsburg, Second Ward,
Thomas F. Marnell.

Phillipsburg, Fourth Ward,
J. M. R. Shimer,
John Brady.

Phillipsburg, Fifth Ward,
Michael Kenney.

Phillipsburg, Sixth Ward,
Joseph M. Myers.

Under the direction of the Chairman, the Secretary called the Joint Assembly, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott, Ackerson, Agans, Allen, Allinson, Amerman, Applegate, Badgley, Barber, Blair, Bostock, Burroughs, Case, Champion, Close, Cochran, Conrad, Dugan, Eaton, Edgar, Fithian, Florance, Fooder, Foxhall, Gaede, Gallagher, Gill, Glover, Hagaman, Haines, Hammond, Hershfield, Hirschberg, Hobart, Hurley, Kellam, Lake, Lewis, Litchfield, Lord, Mackay, Martens, Marzulli, McAteer, McCran, McGlennon, McGovern, Morgan, Munson, Mutchler, Nolan, Pierson, Pilgrim, Pruden, Read, Reeves, Richards, Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Runyon, Schneider, Simpson, Smith, Snow, Stevens, Stewart, Stout, Sturgess, Tattersall, Vreeland, Warner, Wells, Whitney, Wilson, Winne, Wolverton, Yarrow, Young—79.

In the negative—None.

The persons named were declared duly elected for the terms prescribed by law.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Joint Meeting then proceeded to the election of a State Director of Railroads.

Mr. Roberts nominated Mr. Joseph Kaighn, of the county of Burlington, which nomination was seconded by Mr. Pierson.

Mr. McGlennon nominated Mr. Robert D. Foote, of the county of Morris, which nomination was seconded by Mr. Simpson.

Under direction of the Chairman, the Secretary called the Joint Assembly, with the following result:

Those voting for Mr. Kaighn were—

Messrs. Abbott Allen, Allinson, Amerman, Applegate, Badgley, Blair, Bostock, Burroughs, Case, Champion, Close, Cochran, Conrad, Eaton, Edgar, Fithian, Fooder, Foxhall, Gill, Glover, Hagaman, Haines, Hammond, Hershfield, Hobart, Kellam, Lake, Lewis, Litchfield, Lord, Mackay, Marzulli, McCran, Morgan, Mutchler, Pierson, Pilgrim, Pruden, Read, Reeves, Richards, Robinson, Rogers, Runyon, Schneider, Simpson, Smith, Stevens, Stewart, Stout, Sturgess, Tattersall, Vreeland, Warner, Wells, Whitney, Wilson, Winne, Wolverton, Yarrow, Young—63.

Those voting for Mr. Foote were—

Messrs. Ackerson, Barber, Dugan, Florance, Gaede, Gallagher, Hirschberg, Hurley, Martens, McAteer, McGlennon, McGovern, Munson, Nolan, Snow—15.

Mr. Joseph Kaighn, having received a majority of the votes of the members present, was declared by the Chairman duly elected State Director of Railroads for the term prescribed by law.

Mr. Richards offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the Honorable William Howard Taft, former President of the United States of America, be invited to appear at the Joint Session of this Legislature, and also his Excellency the Governor, Walter E. Edge.

Mr. Richards moved that a committee of five be appointed to escort former President William H. Taft to the Assembly Chamber.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman then appointed the following: Senators Richards, Wells and McGlennon; Assemblymen Pierson and Simpson. After which the former President addressed the Joint Assembly.

Mr. Wells offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has declared that our present and immediate task is to win the war; and

WHEREAS, He has set forth that the chief aim of the war is to secure a permanent peace guaranteed by a partnership of free nations; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of the State of New Jersey in Joint Session assembled, That the State of New Jersey pledges all its resources to the vigorous prosecution of the war until Prussian autocracy has been defeated; and be it further

Resolved, That the State of New Jersey favors the entrance of the United States, after the war, into a league of free democratic nations to safeguard the peace that must be won by the joint military forces of the Allied nations; and be it further

Resolved, That certified copies of these resolutions be sent by the Secretary of State to the President and to the presiding officers of both branches of Congress and to each of the Senators and Representatives from New Jersey.

On motion of Mr. Richards, the Governor was asked to speak. The Governor then addressed the Joint Assembly.

Mr. Richards moved that the Joint Assembly do now arise.

Which was agreed to.

The Joint Assembly then arose without day.

WILLIAM H. ALBRIGHT,
Secretary of the Joint Assembly.

Memoranda of Bills Originating in the Senate and Filed in the State Library by Governor Walter E. Edge Without His Approval, 1918.

SENATE BILL No. 20.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate bill number twenty.

I would be inclined to approve this bill, which is needed because of the fact that the procedure of the traffic act would apply under the terms of the bill, to the act of 1911 requiring certain lights for horse-drawn vehicles and also requiring that the light shown in the rear shall be red. The difficulty is, however, that the bill contains a fatal typographical error, making the penalty less than two dollars and fifty cents. Under the bill which would, if enacted, be strictly construed, no fine of more than two dollars and fifty cents could be imposed and any sum under that amount might be fixed, so that if this bill were approved the purpose of the act of 1911 would be totally destroyed.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 43.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate bill number forty-three.

The principle of this measure I heartily approve. There is a real need, in my judgment, for collecting at some central point and preserving in an accessible place, valuable papers relating to the history and activities of New Jersey, but I doubt the necessity for creating a new and separate department for this purpose. The policy of the State is to consolidate departments and centralize activities rather than to add to the administrative branches of the State Government.

My suggestion would be that additional powers, and perhaps some legislation, be given to the State Librarian in order to impose upon his department the duty of collecting and preserving valuable records. It is necessary, at this time, to carefully consider the increasing cost of running the State Government, which is affected precisely the same as any private business by circumstances and conditions. I hesitate to authorize a new department, which, while limited to an expenditure of $5,000.00 during the first year, might find that the magnitude of the task imposed upon it would require an annual expenditure running into the thousands of dollars in the years to follow. Consequently, I withhold my approval from the bill, at the same time that I heartily sympathize with the views of those citizens who urge the necessity of collecting and preserving records of historic interest.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL No. 130.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill number one hundred and thirty.

In taking this course I am persuaded principally by the conviction that this is an inappropriate time to authorize counties to increase their bonded indebtedness. I think everybody will agree

that it is essential to postpone until after the present period of war emergency many public improvements, even though they may be most desirable.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 131.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and thirty-one, for the reason that the object of this bill has been accomplished by an amendment to Senate Bill number twenty-two, which I have already approved.

I am advised by the Home Rule Commission that the amendment to Senate number twenty-two is of the same character but of wider scope.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 155.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 6th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and fifty-five.

If the provisions of this bill were confined alone to uniformed police officers I would be inclined to approve it, as I believe

these officers in the performance of their duty worthy of every protection.

The difficulty is, however, that these provisions would likewise be extended to ununiformed special officers, who under our law are considered as members of police departments. To my mind this greatly extends the opportunity for abuses under such legislation. I am quite certain that if an officer should make a justifiable mistake in the exercise of his duty that the municipality would gladly reimburse him so far as the elasticity of a budget might permit, to the extent of any judgment for damages. Further, I am confident any jury would use common sense to protect an officer of the law unless he were proven in every way unworthy of such protection.

I cannot conceive that there is any necessity among the regular uniformed members of the police departments in this State for this legislation, or that they need such unusual protection.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 156.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and fifty-six.

This bill apparently would apply to three boroughs, Rutherford, in Bergen county; Roosevelt, in Middlesex county, and Red Bank, in Monmouth county. Under the present law a borough can have but one assessor, who is elected by the people. This bill would provide for three assessors to be appointed by the mayor with the consent of council. The appointive feature is good and appeals to me, but I fail to see the necessity for three assessors in a borough. The city of Newark, with its vast population, has but three commissioners for the assessment of taxes. If such an act as the one under consideration is good in principle,

it is difficult to see why it should not extend in its application to all municipalities coming within the prescribed classification.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,

Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,

Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 159.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and fifty-nine, for the reason that the purpose of the bill is far from clear. Certainly, the word "children" has already been clearly defined in the law for all practical purposes.

As the bill is drawn it would seem to cast an unwarranted reflection upon policemen and firemen as a class, merely for the purpose of covering isolated cases. However, I am informed that this was not the purpose of the bill.

Considered in connection with the act of 1885 and supplements thereto, this bill seems to serve no useful purpose whatsoever.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,

Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,

Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 178.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and seventy-eight, for the

reason that there is a fatal defect in its construction. The principal purpose of the bill is to remove any doubt that the State Highway Commission has the right to acquire land or other property by condemnation. In order to carry out the intent of the Legislature in this respect the bill may be important, although I am informed that there is strong legal opinion to the effect that no doubt exists regarding the powers of the Highway Commission in this regard. However, irrespective of the merits of the bill, it is absolutely necessary to decline to approve it on account of construction. It is apparent from the subject matter of the amendment to paragraph one that it was intended to be an amendment to paragraph one of Chapter fourteen, P. L. 1917. However, as the bill reads, it is an amendment to paragraph one of Chapter fifteen, P. L. 1917, and as such, of course, operates to nullify the section of the act of 1917, which created and established the Highway Department. Such a defect involves considerable danger and, of course, makes approval of the act out of the question.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,

Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,

Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 182.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number one hundred and eighty-two.

This bill permits action to be noticed for trial at the first day of any special term. The present law contemplates notice only for a regular term. The original section, 149, which the bill under consideration amends, permits the court to order that an action be dismissed if not noticed according to law or if not moved for trial in accordance with notice. This provision has been omitted from the bill under consideration, and as the reason

for this omission is not clear to me, I do not believe the bill advisable legislation.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 228.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and twenty-eight, for the reason that the object is already accomplished by legislation heretofore approved.

The sole purpose of this bill is to require that the reports of accountants engaged to audit the finances of a city shall be published within thirty days after the same is received. This, of course, is most necessary by way of informing the public the result of such audits and consequently as further safeguard against fraud. This is provided for fully, however, by Assembly Bills numbers one hundred and forty and one hundred and forty-one, which I have already approved. Assembly Bill number one hundred and forty provides that the municipal accountant shall file the report of his audit with the Commissioner of Municipal Accounts at the State House, in Trenton, within five days after he has filed his report with the municipality or county; Assembly Bill number one hundred and forty-one provides that the clerk of the municipality or the clerk of the board of freeholders, as the case may be, shall publish a summary of such audit and recommendations within thirty days after the receipt of the report, under penalty of a fine of $10.00 per day for each day of delay after the thirty-day period; and, therefore, the legislation already approved seems to be even stronger on

this point than Senate Bill number two hundred and twenty-eight, which is, therefore, unnecessary.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 229.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill two hundred and twenty-nine.

This bill provides for a new office, known as Auditor of Accounts, in cities of the first class. I appreciate the situation in Jersey City which inspired the legislation, but it seems to me that it will not in any way accomplish the object sought as I understand it, *i. e.*, a check upon the method of expenditure on the part of the City Commission as under the terms of this act, the Auditor is a creature of the Commission, being appointed, and his salary fixed by it. Further, I would draw attention to the fact that I have already approved Assembly Bills 140 and 141, which provide for an audit annually in cities and counties having an assessed valuation in excess of three million dollars by a State Auditor, the result of such audit to be published in the official newspapers of such county or municipality. It is true that Senate 229 provides that the auditor shall certify that funds are available before payment can be made from the State Treasury. There is, however, a criminal statute affecting municipalities, covering just such a situation. An auditor of accounts appointed independently of the City Government with power within the lines of recent financial legislation might be of real benefit, but otherwise, it appeals to me as simply an extra official and a consequent unnecessary, additional expense.

The Commission Government acts now in operation and affecting the municipal government of Jersey City are, in my judgment, sufficient at the present time to accomplish all that is comprehended in Senate 129.

I might also draw attention to the fact that the act as originally introduced provided that such appointees should be appointed under Civil Service rules, but the act as finally passed removes this restriction. Further, the salary in the original act was stipulated to be not less than the salary of the Mayor, thus apparently providing for a high grade auditor. In the bill finally passed, this provision is entirely eliminated.

Respectfully,

WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:

FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL No. 241.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Substitute for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill number two hundred and forty-one, for the reason that I do not believe this bill harmonizes with the fundamental principle of Civil Service. The effect of the bill is to provide the same protection that is afforded a person in the competitive class of the classified service to a person who has been advanced from such competitive class by promotion to a position in the exempt class.

I believe thoroughly in Civil Service, but when one is promoted to a position not construed by the Legislature or other authority as properly within the protected class, then the incumbent of such position should not have the protection which it was never intended that he should have. If it is maintained that any particular office in the exempt class should be protected in the same way as a position in the competitive class, then the proper procedure, it seems to me, is to put the particular office in the competitive class. My judgment is that to give the protection of the competitive class to positions in the exempt class would be

a one-sided proposition, and would tend to destroy the underlying principle of exempt positions.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL No. 246.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill number two hundred and forty-six.

The effect of this bill would be to increase the salaries of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs from $4,500.00 to $5,500.00 in Atlantic county, from $2,500.00 to $3,000.00 in Cape May county, from $2,000.00 to $2,500.00 in Ocean county and from $2,500.00 to $3,000.00 in Sussex county. I am prepared to admit that there may be justification for some increased salaries in some of these counties and perhaps in other counties of the State, but I am absolutely opposed to adding to inequalities of compensation already existing. The entire subject of salaries of county officials warrants a general readjustment to meet in an equitable way changing population and new conditions. The entire subject cannot be given justice by patchwork methods such as is contemplated by piecemeal legislation from year to year affecting certain counties in such a way as merely to add to the inequalities.

While I might be inclined to favor some of the increases provided for in the bill under consideration, the bill is so drawn as to make any serious consideration of it out of the question. For instance, it provides that in counties between thirty thousand and fifty thousand inhabitants, the salaries of these officials shall be $2,500.00, while in counties between twenty-four thousand and thirty thousand inhabitants the salaries are made $3,000.00. In other words, under this bill a county like Sussex, with twenty-five thousand population, would pay its county

officials more money than counties with fifty thousand population; and, similarly, Ocean county, with about twenty-three thousand inhabitants, would pay its county officials as much as a county with fifty thousand inhabitants. I fail to see any logic in fixing the salary without regard to population.

I am approving Assembly Bill number four hundred and nineteen, which amends the same section of the act of 1906, for the reason that this bill omits all of the glaring inequalities in Committee Substitute for Senate number two hundred and forty-six, and simply increases the salary of county officials in Ocean county from $2,000.00 to $2,400.00. In view of the fact that county officials in Cape May county, with 24,407 population, receive $2,500.00, while those officials in Ocean, with 23,011 population, or only 1,396 less than Cape May, get but $2,000.00, it seems to me that this increase of $400.00 is justifiable and in the interest of equality and uniformity.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 249.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and forty-nine, for the reason that as the bill comes before me there is unmistakable evidence of unfortunate but fatal typographical errors.

Furthermore, the subject matter of the bill does not appear as sufficiently important to warrant a statute under the circumstances.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 250.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and fifty, for the reason that it appears to be needless. The general rule seems to be that municipal ordinances, unless inconsistent with a new charter under which a municipality is operating, continue in effect until repealed. However, if this rule should be held invalid, such an act as that contemplated by this measure might cause confusion in that it would operate to revive ordinances which had been dead perhaps for years.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 251.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and fifty-one, for the reason that this appears to be unnecessarily drastic. Under its provisions a person boarding a train while in motion becomes a disorderly person subject to the penalties prescribed in the act concerning disorderly persons. Such legislation is not warranted.

Another section of the bill would appear to make one of the objects to the legislation the conferring of authority of men in charge of railroad trains to arrest passengers riding without permission. The real meaning of this is not clear to me and might very easily be subject to detrimental interpretation.

I believe there is already ample law authorizing conductors of trains to arrest persons who conduct themselves in a disor-

derly manner or who insist upon riding without the payment of fare or other permission.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 254.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and fifty-four.

This is a repealer of what is known as the Corrupt Practices Act of 1911. I can see no reason for expressly repealing that act when the new act of 1918 with respect to corrupt practices in itself repeals any inconsistencies in the 1911 act.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL No. 258.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 5th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and fifty-eight.

This measure was intended to correct a number of errors in the appropriation bill for the year ending October 31st, 1918. Unfortunately, the bill, as it comes to me, contains an error in the title wherein the appropriation bill of the previous year is amended rather than, as was intended, the appropriation bill of the year 1917.

This, of course, renders the whole purpose of the bill nugatory.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

SENATE BILL. No. 259.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 4th, 1918.

To the State Librarian:

I herewith file in the State Library, without my approval, Senate Bill number two hundred and fifty-nine.

This bill is intended to increase the advertising rates in small counties by making it identical with the legal rate in all other counties. While I have every sympathy for the rural newspaper, and am firmly convinced regarding its tremendous value in a community, yet it cannot be gainsaid that $1.20 per inch is a very fair price for advertising in local communities. Certainly it is not consistent to pay the same advertising rates to papers having comparatively small circulation as it is to newspapers having circulations running into the thousands. The same principle applies to commercial advertising. Advertising must be looked upon in the same way as any other commodity, and in this case circulation is quantity. You pay so much more for a gross of eggs than you do for a dozen eggs.

One advertising rate all over the State, irrespective of the number of people reached, is contrary to business principles.

Respectfully,
WALTER E. EDGE,
Governor.

Attest:
FRANCIS E. CROASDALE,
Secretary to the Governor.

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Legislative Record, Session of 1918.

Disposition of bills and joint resolutions intorduced during the One Hundred and Forty-second Session New Jersey Legislature. Convened, Tuesday, January 8th, 1918. Adjourned, Thursday, February 28th, 1918. Duration, eight weeks.

During the session, which was the shortest in calendar days and first to complete its work within two calendar months since the adoption of the Constitution in 1844, a total of 697 bills and 14 joint resolutions were introduced, of which number 262 bills and 2 joint resolutions originated in the Senate, and 435 bills and 12 joint resolutions originated in the House of Assembly. Of that total, 382 bills and 5 joint resolutions passed both houses and were delivered to the Governor, leaving a total of 315 bills and 9 joint resolutions that failed to reach final passage. The Governor approved 290 bills and 5 joint resolutions, making a total of 295 laws for the session of 1918 as against 289 last year. Of the total number of bills and joint resolutions presented to the Governor, executive approval was withheld from 81 bills, all of which were returned to the house of origin with a veto and later sustained, or filed in the State Library. The Governor also returned to the Legislature by request a total of 11 bills, 5 of which were returned a second time and became laws. Of the measures from which executive approval was withheld, 59 bills originated in the House and 33 in the Senate. Of the laws for 1918, 134 bills and 2 joint resolutions originated in the Senate, while 156 bills and 3 joint resolutions originated in the House.

The list of laws and joint resolutions as presented to the Governor, with the chapter number, date of approval, veto or filing, are found in the following list:

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8	2/26	2/28	149	....	....	....
9	2/6	2/9	15	....	....	....
10	2/6	2/9	16	....	....	....
11	2/27	3/1	161	....	....	....
12Sub	2/27	3/1	162	....	....	....
14Sub	2/28	2/28	150	....	....	....
15HA	2/26	2/28	147	....	....	....
16	2/20	2/26	128	....	....	....

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17Sub	2/27	3/4	185	....	....	....
18	2/27	3/4	186	....	....	....
19	2/27	3/4	187	....	....	....
20	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
21	2/27	3/4	188	....	....	....
22	2/27	3/1	163	....	....	....
24	2/27	3/4	189	....	....	....
25	2/27	3/4	190	....	....	....
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27	2/27	3/4	192	....	....	....
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32	2/27	3/4	197	....	....	....
33	2/27	3/4	198	....	....	....
34	2/27	3/4	199	....	....	....
35	2/4	2/6	9	....	....	....
36	2/5	2/9	17	....	....	....
38Sub	3/1	3/4	200	....	....	....
41	2/5	....	...	....	2/11	....
42	2/19	2/21	89	....	....	....
43HA	2/26	....	...	....	....	3/4
44	2/19	2/26	124	....	....	....
45	2/14	2/14	48	....	....	....
47	2/5	2/9	18	....	....	....
49	2/4	2/6	10	....	....	....
51	2/6	2/11	35	....	....	....
52	2/5	2/9	19	....	....	....
53	2/5	2/9	20	....	....	....
54	2/5	2/9	21	....	....	....
55	2/7	2/13	38	....	....	....
56HA	2/21	2/27	145	....	....	....
57	2/19	....	...	2/25	....	....
61	2/6	2/9	22	....	....	....
67	2/4	2/6	11	....	....	....
68	2/5	2/6	12	....	....	....
71SA	2/19	....	...	....	2/25	....
73	2/7	2/13	39	....	....	....
74	2/19	2/21	90	....	....	....
77	2/4	2/6	13	....	....	....
78*	2/28	3/1	171	....	2/6	....
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85	2/7	2/13	42	....	....	....
86	2/21	2/22	102	....	....	....
87	2/7	....	...	2/13	....	....
88	2/7	2/13	43	....	....	....
89	2/7	2/13	44	....	....	....
91	2/19	2/21	92	....	....	....
92	2/5	2/11	36	....	....	....
93	2/7	2/13	45	....	....	....
94	2/21	2/22	103	....	....	....
95	2/21	....	...	....	2/27	....
96	2/27	3/5	280	....	....	....
98Sub	2/28	3/4	225	....	....	....
102	2/26	3/1	164	....	....	....
103	2/19	2/21	93	....	....	....
104	2/19	....	...	2/25	....	....
105Sub	2/21	2/26	125	....	....	....
106	2/19	2/22	104	....	....	....
107HA	3/1	3/4	202	....	....	....
108	2/26	3/4	270	....	....	....
110	2/7	2/13	46	....	....	....
111	2/7	2/13	47	....	....	....
112	2/19	....	...	2/25	....	....
114	2/19	....	...	2/25	....	....
115	2/21	2/22	105	....	....	....
116	2/14	2/19	87	....	....	....
117	2/14	2/19	88	....	....	....
118	2/21	....	...	2/27	....	....
119	2/27	3/4	203	....	....	....
121	2/28	3/4	204	....	....	....
123	2/26	3/4	205	....	....	....
126	2/26	3/1	165	....	....	....
127	2/27	3/4	206	....	....	....
130Sub	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/4
131	2/26	....	....	....	....	3/4
133	2/26	3/4	271	....	....	....
134	2/7	....	....	2/13	....	....
135	2/19	2/25	126	....	....	....
140	2/26	3/1	166	....	....	....
141	2/26	3/1	167	....	....	....
143	2/27	2/27	142	....	....	....
146	2/21	2/22	106	....	....	....
148	2/26	3/1	168	....	....	....
149	2/21	....	....	....	2/26	....
155	2/27	....	....	....	....	3/5
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172Sub	3/1	3/4	226	....	....	....
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176Sub	3/1	3/4	209	....	....	....
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180Sub	3/1	3/4	210	....	....	....
181	2/21	2/22	107	....	....	....
182	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/4
184HS	2/28	3/1	169	....	....	....
188	2/26	3/4	227	....	....	....
189	2/28	3/4	228	....	....	....
190	2/26	3/4	211	....	....	....
194	2/28	3/4	229	....	....	....
195	2/26	2/28	152	....	....	....
197	2/27	3/4	212	....	....	....
198	2/27	3/4	230	....	....	....
199	2/27	3/4	231	....	....	....
200	2/21	2/22	108	....	....	....
201Sub	2/21	2/22	109	....	....	....
207	3/1	3/6	288	....	....	....
208	2/21	2/22	110	....	....	....
209	2/27	3/4	213	....	....	....
210	2/21	2/23	113	....	....	....
214	2/26	3/4	214	....	....	....
215	2/27	3/4	215	....	....	....
217	2/21	2/22	111	....	....	....
218	2/28	3/4	232	....	....	....
219	2/27	3/4	216	....	....	....
220	2/28	3/4	217	....	....	....
226	2/26	3/4	233	....	....	....
228	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/5
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237	2/28	3/4	220	....	....	....
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243HA	3/1	3/4	221	....	....	....
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253	3/1	3/5	281	....	....	....
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257	2/28	3/1	172	....	....	....
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3	2/13	2/14	51	....	....	....
4	1/29	2/4	4	....	....	....
5	1/29	2/4	5	....	....	....
6	1/29	2/4	6	....	....	....
7	2/21	2/22	94	....	....	....
8	2/28	3/4	235	....	....	....
9	1/29	2/4	7	....	....	....
10SA	2/13	2/15	53	....	....	....
11	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
12	1/29	2/4	8	....	....	....
13	2/27	2/27	143	....	....	....
14Sub*	2/27	3/1	153	....	2/25	....
15SA	2/27	2/27	144	....	....	....
16	2/12	2/15	54	....	....	....
17	2/6	2/9	24	....	....	....
18	2/13	2/18	81	....	....	....
19	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
20	2/13	2/18	82	....	....	....
21	2/13	2/18	83	....	....	....
22	2/13	2/18	84	....	....	....
23	2/13	2/18	85	....	....	....
24	2/13	2/18	86	....	....	....

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26	2/20	2/26	130	....	....	....
27	1/22	1/24	1	....	....	....
28SA	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/4
29	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
30	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
31	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
32	2/6	2/9	25	....	....	....
35	2/21	2/27	136	....	....	....
36	2/5	2/9	26	....	....	....
38	2/27	3/4	174	....	....	....
40	2/20	2/26	131	....	....	....
41	2/6	2/9	27	....	....	....
43SA	2/5	2/9	28	....	....	....
44	2/13	2/15	55	....	....	....
45	2/5	2/11	30	....	....	....
46SA	2/28	3/1	170	....	....	....
47	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
51	2/28	3/4	236	....	....	....
52SA	3/1	3/4	237	....	....	....
53	2/28	3/4	238	....	....	....
55	2/28	3/4	175	....	....	....
56	2/28	3/4	265	....	....	....
58	2/28	3/4	239	....	....	....
59	2/28	3/4	240	....	....	....
61	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
63	2/13	2/16	65	....	....	....
64	2/20	2/22	95	....	....	....
69Sub	2/28	2/28	148	....	....	....
71	2/28	3/4	241	....	....	....
72SS	2/28	3/4	201	....	....	....
74	2/6	2/9	29	....	....	....
75SA	2/14	2/16	66	....	....	....
77	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
78*	2/28	3/4	176	....	2/18	....
79	2/6	2/12	37	....	....	....
85	2/6	2/11	31	....	....	....
86	2/6	2/11	32	....	....	....
90	2/6	2/11	33	....	....	....
93	2/5	2/11	34	....	....	....
97	2/13	2/16	56	....	....	....
101SA	2/27	3/1	154	....	....	....
103	2/27	3/1	154	....	....	....
108	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
115	2/13	2/16	57	....	....	....
119	2/13	2/16	58	....	....	....
120	2/13	2/16	59	....	....	....

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121	2/27	3/1	156	....	....	....
123	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
124	2/20	2/22	96	....	....	....
125	2/21	2/23	114	....	....	....
126	2/20	....	...	2/26	....	....
128	2/12	2/16	60	....	....	....
134	2/28	3/5	273	....	....	....
135SA	2/28	3/4	242	....	....	....
136Sub	2/28	3/4	243	....	....	....
137	2/28	3/4	266	....	....	....
138	2/28	3/4	244	....	....	....
139	2/21	....	...	2/27	....	....
140	2/28	3/4	267	....	....	....
141	2/28	3/4	268	....	....	....
142	2/28	3/4	245	....	....	....
143Sub	2/28	3/4	276	....	....	....
148SA	2/21	2/27	137	....	....	....
150	2/13	2/18	76	....	....	....
151	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/4
152	2/13	2/16	67	....	....	....
153	2/13	2/16	61	....	....	....
154*	2/27	3/4	177	....	2/18	....
156	2/13	2/16	62	....	....	....
157	2/13	2/16	68	....	....	....
158	2/13	2/16	69	....	....	....
161	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/4
162	2/28	3/4	246	....	2/27	....
164	2/13	2/14	52	....	....	....
165SA	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
166Sub	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
167SA	2/21	2/27	138	....	....	....
174	2/13	2/16	63	....	....	....
175	2/13	2/18	77	....	....	....
176	2/13	2/18	78	....	....	....
178	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/4
179	2/28	3/4	247	....	....	....
180	2/20	2/22	97	....	....	....
183	2/20	....	...	2/26	....	....
184	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/5
189	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
192SA*	2/28	3/4	248	....	2/25	....
193	2/20	2/26	132	....	....	....
194	2/13	2/16	70	....	....	....
195	2/27	3/1	157	....	....	....
196SA	2/28	3/4	249	....	....	....
197	2/28	3/4	250	....	....	....
198	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4

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205	2/20	2/25	123	....	....	....
207	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
208	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
209	2/13	2/16	71	....	....	....
210	2/13	....	...	2/19	....	....
212	2/21	2/23	115	....	....	....
213	2/13	2/16	213	....	....	....
216	2/27	3/1	158	....	....	....
218	2/13	2/16	64	....	....	....
219	2/13	2/18	79	....	....	....
223	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
227	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
228SA	2/21	2/23	116	....	....	....
229	2/28	3/6	286	....	....	....
230	2/20	2/22	99	....	....	....
231SA	2/21	2/27	139	....	....	....
232	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
233	2/13	2/18	80	....	....	....
234	2/13	2/16	73	....	....	....
236	2/21	....	...	2/27	....	....
237	2/27	3/4	269	....	....	....
238	2/27	3/5	282	....	....	....
240	2/27	3/4	251	....	....	....
247	2/13	2/16	74	....	....	....
248	2/28	3/4	252	....	....	....
250Sub	2/28	3/5	274	....	....	....
251SA	2/28	3/4	253	....	....	....
257	2/28	3/4	254	....	....	....
258	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
264	2/20	....	...	2/26	....	....
270	2/13	2/16	75	....	....	....
271	2/28	3/4	255	....	....	....
272	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
277	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
280	2/20	2/26	133	....	....	....
283	2/27	....	...	....	....	3/4
286	2/27	3/4	256	....	....	....
290	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/6
291	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
292	2/21	2/26	134	....	....	....
293Sub	2/27	3/4	277	....	....	....
294	2/27	3/4	178	....	....	....
295	2/20	2/22	100	....	....	....
296	2/20	2/22	101	....	....	....
297	2/28	....	...	....	....	3/5
298	2/21	2/26	135	....	....	....

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302	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
303	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
306	2/28	3/4	257	....	....	....
308	2/28	3/5	275	....	....	....
310	2/21	....	....	2/27	....	....
314SA	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/4
316Sub	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/4
318	2/28	3/4	179	....	....	....
321	2/21	....	....	2/27	....	....
326	2/28	3/4	278	....	....	....
327	2/27	3/4	180	....	....	....
339	2/21	....	....	2/27	....	....
343	2/28	3/4	181	....	....	....
344Sub	2/21	2/23	117	....	....	....
352	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
357	2/27	3/4	279	....	....	....
358	2/28	3/5	283	....	....	....
360	2/28	3/6	287	....	....	....
365	2/21	2/23	118	....	....	....
367SA	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
368	2/27	....	....	....	....	3/4
372	2/28	3/5	284	....	....	....
373	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
374	2/27	....	....	....	....	3/5
375	2/28	3/5	285	....	....	....
379	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/6
389	2/21	2/27	140	....	....	....
391	2/28	3/6	289	....	....	....
395	2/27	3/1	160	....	....	....
401	2/27	3/4	258	....	....	....
411Sub	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/4
412	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
416SA	3/1	3/4	259	....	....	....
419	2/28	3/4	260	....	....	....
421	2/28	3/4	261	....	....	....
423	2/21	2/23	119	....	....	....
424	2/21	2/23	120	....	....	....
425	2/21	2/23	121	....	....	....
426	2/21	2/23	122	....	....	....
430	2/28	3/4	262	....	....	....
431	2/28	3/4	263	....	....	....
432	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
433	2/28	3/4	264	....	....	....
434	2/28	....	....	....	....	3/5
435	2/28	3/4	182	....	....	....

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6	JR 2	2/21	2/23
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3	1/29	2	...	36	2/11	92	...
4	2/4	....	4	37	2/12	....	79
5	2/4	....	5	38	2/13	55	...
6	2/4	....	6	39	2/13	73	...
7	2/4	....	9	40	2/13	82	...
8	2/4	....	12	41	2/13	84	...
9	2/6	35	...	42	2/13	85	...
10	2/6	49	...	43	2/13	88	...
11	2/6	67	...	44	2/13	89	...
12	2/6	68	...	45	2/13	93	...
13	2/6	77	...	46	2/13	110	...
14	2/9	7	...	47	2/13	111	...
15	2/9	9	...	48	2/14	45	...
16	2/9	10	...	49	2/14	....	1
17	2/9	36	...	50	2/14	....	2
18	2/9	47	...	51	2/14	....	3
19	2/9	52	...	52	2/14	....	164
20	2/9	53	...	53	2/15	....	10
21	2/9	54	...	54	2/15	....	16
22	2/9	61	...	55	2/15	....	44
23	2/9	80	...	56	2/16	....	97
24	2/9	....	17	57	2/16	....	115
25	2/9	....	32	58	2/16	....	119
26	2/9	....	36	59	2/16	....	120
27	2/9	....	41	60	2/16	....	128
28	2/9	....	43	61	2/16	....	153
29	2/9	....	74	62	2/16	....	156
30	2/11	....	45	63	2/16	....	174
31	2/11	....	85	64	2/16	....	218
32	2/11	....	86	65	2/16	....	63
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69	2/16	....	158	116	2/23	....	228
70	2/16	....	194	117	2/23	....	344
71	2/16	....	209	118	2/23	....	365
72	2/16	....	213	119	2/23	....	423
73	2/16	....	234	120	2/23	....	424
74	2/16	....	247	121	2/23	....	425
75	2/16	....	270	122	2/23	....	426
76	2/18	....	150	123	2/25	....	205
77	2/18	....	175	124	2/25	44	...
78	2/18	....	176	125	2/25	105	...
79	2/18	....	219	126	2/25	135	...
80	2/18	....	233	127	2/25	245	...
81	2/18	....	18	128	2/26	16	...
82	2/18	....	20	129	2/26	161	...
83	2/18	....	21	130	2/26	....	26
84	2/18	....	22	131	2/26	....	40
85	2/18	....	23	132	2/26	....	193
86	2/18	....	24	133	2/26	....	280
87	2/19	116	...	134	2/26	....	292
88	2/19	117	...	135	2/26	....	298
89	2/21	42	...	136	2/27	....	35
90	2/21	74	...	137	2/27	....	148
91	2/21	83	...	138	2/27	....	167
92	2/21	91	...	139	2/27	....	231
93	2/21	103	...	140	2/27	....	389
94	2/22	....	7	141	2/27	81	...
95	2/22	....	64	142	2/27	143	...
96	2/22	....	124	143	2/27	....	13
97	2/22	....	180	144	2/27	....	15
98	2/22	....	203	145	2/27	56	...
99	2/22	....	230	146	2/27	157	...
100	2/22	....	295	147	2/27	15	...
101	2/22	....	296	148	2/28	....	69
102	2/22	86	...	149	2/28	8	...
103	2/22	94	...	150	2/28	14	...
104	2/22	106	...	151	2/28	158	...
105	2/22	115	...	152	2/28	195	...
106	2/22	146	...	153	3/1	....	14
107	2/22	181	...	154	3/1	....	101
108	2/22	200	...	155	3/1	....	103
109	2/22	201	...	156	3/1	....	121
110	2/22	208	...	157	3/1	....	195
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163	3/1	22	...	209	3/4	176	...
164	3/1	102	...	210	3/4	180	...
165	3/1	126	...	211	3/4	190	...
166	3/1	140	...	212	3/4	197	...
167	3/1	141	...	213	3/4	209	...
168	3/1	148	...	214	3/4	214	...
169	3/1	....	184	215	3/4	215	...
170	3/1	....	46	216	3/4	219	...
171	3/1	78	...	217	3/4	220	...
172	3/1	256	...	218	3/4	233	...
173	3/1	257	...	219	3/4	234	...
174	3/4	....	38	220	3/4	237	...
175	3/4	....	55	221	3/4	243	...
176	3/4	....	78	222	3/4	247	...
177	3/4	....	154	223	3/4	260	...
178	3/4	....	294	224	3/4	261	...
179	3/4	....	318	225	3/4	98	...
180	3/4	....	327	226	3/4	172	...
181	3/4	....	343	227	3/4	188	...
182	3/4	....	435	228	3/4	189	...
183	3/4	3	...	229	3/4	194	...
184	3/4	4 and 6	...	230	3/4	198	...
185	3/4	17	...	231	3/4	199	...
186	3/4	18	...	232	3/4	218	...
187	3/4	19	...	233	3/4	226	...
188	3/4	21	...	234	3/4	255	...
189	3/4	24	...	235	3/4	....	8
190	3/4	25	...	236	3/4	....	51
191	3/4	26	...	237	3/4	....	52
192	3/4	27	...	238	3/4	....	53
193	3/4	28	...	239	3/4	....	58
194	3/4	29	...	240	3/4	....	59
195	3/4	30	...	241	3/4	....	71
196	3/4	31	...	242	3/4	....	135
197	3/4	32	...	243	3/4	....	136
198	3/4	33	...	244	3/4	....	138
199	3/4	34	...	245	3/4	....	142
200	3/4	38	...	246	3/4	....	162
201	3/4	72	...	247	3/4	....	179
202	3/4	107	...	248	3/4	....	192
203	3/4	119	...	249	3/4	....	196
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255	3/4	....	271	274	3/5	....	250
256	3/4	....	286	275	3/5	....	308
257	3/4	....	306	276	3/5	....	143
258	3/4	....	401	277	3/5	....	293
259	3/4	....	416	278	3/5	....	326
260	3/4	....	419	279	3/5	....	357
261	3/4	....	421	280	3/5	96	...
262	3/4	....	430	281	3/5	253	...
263	3/4	....	431	282	3/5	....	238
264	3/4	....	433	283	3/5	....	358
265	3/4	....	56	284	3/5	....	372
266	3/4	....	137	285	3/5	....	375
267	3/4	....	140	286	3/6	....	229
268	3/4	....	141	287	3/6	....	360
269	3/4	....	237	288	3/6	207	...
270	3/4	108	...	289	...	....	391
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EXPLANATIONS OF ABBREVIATIONS USED.

Sub=Substitute.
Cs=Committee Substitute.
Acs=Assembly Committee Substitute.
Scs=Senate Committee Substitute.
Aa=Assembly Amendment.
Sa=Senate Amendment.
JR=Joint Resolution.
AJR=Assembly Joint Resolution.
SJR=Senate Joint Resolution.
S=Senate.
A=Assembly.
*=Received second time in Governor's Office.

Senate Bills.

1 An act to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, excepting counties, where the legal voters thereof shall decide by majority vote in favor of such prohibition or the continuance thereof—181, 200, 204, 215, 222, 227, 244, 248, 293, 309.

2 to regulate the licensing and sale of intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any town, township, village, borough, city or other municipality in this State, except counties, by ordinance, where the legal voters of such municipality shall initiate and vote in favor of such ordinance—181, 200, 204, 215, 227, 231, 244, 248, 294, 309.

3 to authorize the counties of this State to construct, improve and complete the whole or any part of any State highway within any such county now or hereafter laid out by the State Highway Commission, and to issue and sell the bonds or other obligations of the county ot provide funds for such purposes—181, 675, 677, 716, 717, 718, 790, 802, 837.

4 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—182, 401, 402, 509, 527, 557, 668, 800, 801, 837.

5 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—182, 376.

6 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—182, 401, 402, 509, 527, 557, 668, 800, 801, 837.

7 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—182, 208, 209, 215, 241, 244, 248, 410, 413.

8 entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule for compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, providing for the establishment of a workmen's bureau to aid in carrying out the provisions of said act. A supplement to—182, 313, 484, 485, 527, 556, 590, 683, 745.

9 to repeal an act entiled "An act to provide compensation for employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military duty as members of the

National Guard," approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—183, 208, 209, 215, 240, 244, 248, 410, 413.

10 An act to permit the payment of compensation to employees of the State, or any subdivision or municipality thereof, while performing military or naval duty—183, 208, 209, 215, 241, 244, 248, 411, 413.

11 to amend and supplement "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—183, 523, 524, 527, 665, 706, 748, 792.

12 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—183, 523, 524, 527, 558, 668, 726, 793.

13 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—183.

14 entitled "An act to regulate elections," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to —184, 654, 676, 718, 790, 802, 834.

15 concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State which are supported in whole or in part from State funds (Revision of 1918)—184, 308, 375, 427, 428, 494, 598, 599, 676, 745.

16 to extend protection to the civil rights of members of the military and naval establishments of the United States engaged in the present war—184, 273, 274, 287, 298, 370, 494, 598, 641.

17 concerning counties—184, 338, 531, 536, 636, 639, 676, 691, 692, 706, 748, 792.

18 providing for the election of members of boards of chosen freeholders in certain cases—184, 338, 609, 676, 691, 693, 706, 748, 792.

19 to amend the title of an act entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,' approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight," and which supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and two—185, 609, 618, 653, 680, 706, 748, 792.

20 entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violations of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. A supplement to—185, 338, 609, 667, 691, 693, 706, 748, 792.

21 concerning the protection of lands, streets and roads from injury by flow of waters and providing for the payment of

damages caused thereby in certain cases—185, 338, 610, 667, 691, 694, 706, 748, 792.

22 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—185, 603, 605, 676, 691, 694, 706, 748, 793.

23 providing for the establishment and maintenance of district police systems—186, 609, 610, 618, 676, 691, 695, 706.

24 to repeal sundry acts relative to counties—186, 609, 610, 618, 676, 691, 695, 706, 748, 793.

25 to repeal sundry acts relative to roads—186, 609, 611, 618, 676, 691, 695, 706, 749, 793.

26 to repeal sundry acts relative to toll roads—186, 609, 613, 618, 653, 680, 706, 749, 793.

27 to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to turnpike roads," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six (Revision of 1877)—186, 609, 613, 618, 676, 691, 696, 706, 749, 793.

28 to repeal sundry acts relative to bridges and viaducts—187, 609, 613, 619, 676, 691, 696, 706, 749, 793.

29 to repeal sundry acts relative to eminent domain—187, 609, 614, 619, 676, 691, 696, 706, 749, 793.

30 to repeal sundry acts relative to fairs and exhibitions—187, 609, 615, 619, 676, 691, 697, 706, 749, 793.

31 to repeal sundry acts relative to monuments—187, 609, 619, 667, 691, 697, 706, 749, 793.

32 to repeal sundry acts relative to newspapers—187, 609, 615, 619, 667, 691, 697, 706, 749, 793.

33 to repeal sundry acts relative to cities—187, 609, 615, 619, 676, 691, 698, 706, 749, 790.

34 to repeal sundry acts relative to municipal corporations—188, 609, 617, 619, 667, 691, 698, 706, 749, 790.

35 to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in places where biscuits, pies, bread, crackers, cakes, macaroni and other foodstuffs, confectionery, candy, ice cream or frozen sweets are manufactured or made for the purpose of sale, and providing for the sanitation, sanitary condition and licensing of such places," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—188, 208, 209, 215, 243, 280, 361, 366.

36 to authorize the commissioner of labor to charge fee for the approval of plans of buildings, for issuance of certificates of approval for work performed and for publications of the department of labor—188, 208, 209, 215, 242, 244, 248, 387, 391.

37 to further amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—188.

38 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof," approved October nineteenth, one

thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—189, 604, 605, 650, 740, 790, 822, 837.

39 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which said amendment was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and six—189, 362, 368, 373, 393, 455.

40 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the courts of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—189.

41 entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof" (title amended by chapter 60, Laws 1914, approved March 26, 1914, and chapter 236, Laws 1914, approved April 17, 1914. A Supplement to—189, 216, 218, 257, 290, 304, 338, 387, 391.

42 providing for compensation and reimbursement of persons appointed as court officers by the sheriff of any county in this State the title to whose office or position has been adjudged against such persons or hereafter may be adjudged against such persons, in appropriate legal proceedings, or where such offices or positions have been or may hereafter be adversely affected by judicial decision by a court of competent jurisdiction within twelve months last past, and providing for the payment of the expenses incurred by any such persons in litigation in which their right or title to such position or employment aforesaid was involved in those cases where legal proceedings concerning such position or employment were actually conducted and who have actually performed services for any county in the State as court officers—190, 235, 239, 257, 291, 301, 366, 559, 590.

43 to establish a public record office—191, 287, 288, 325, 346, 372, 391, 598, 599, 745.

44 entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven. A supplement to—191, 273, 287, 298, 380, 391, 540, 590.

45 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900)," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—191, 273, 274, 287, 298, 315, 337, 366, 484, 525.

46 entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—191.

47 entitled "An act providing for the preparation and use of maps for the purposes of taxation in all taxing districts," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. A supplement to—192, 216, 219, 242, 246, 253, 280, 387.

48 entitled "An act relative to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1908)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—192.

49 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State, and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four—192, 216, 218, 242, 246, 254, 280, 361, 366.

50 to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a board of of examiners for licensing of persons to carry on such practice, to provide rules regulating the proper sanitation of barber shops, and to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases—192.

51 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—193, 258, 260, 269, 298, 338, 411, 414.

52 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand, nine hundred and one—193, 235, 240, 257, 291, 304, 338, 387, 391.

53 entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—193, 216, 218, 235, 246, 251, 280, 388, 391.

54 concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment, approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—193, 216, 218, 235, 246, 252, 280, 388, 392.

55 to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—193, 216, 218, 257, 292, 304, 338, 425, 434.

56 entitled "An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—193, 216, 218, 235, 246, 252, 280, 598, 599, 672.

57 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit Courts' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten—194, 313, 314, 340, 365, 368, 391, 540, 590.

58 to amend an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—194, 258, 260, 269, 366, 500, 501.

59 An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight," which said supplement was approved May fifteenth, nineteen hundred and seven —194, 564, 593, 663, 706.

60 for the assessment and collection of taxes, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—194, 272, 287, 298.

61 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to persons or corporations engaged in the business of transmitting money to foreign countries, or of receiving money on deposit to be transmitted to foreign countries,'" approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten—194, 235, 239, 257, 292, 304, 338, 411, 414.

62 to authorize cities in this State to sell and convey certain lands acquired for use as a public park, which are not needed or desirable for public park purposes—195, 216, 218, 235, 246, 253, 280.

63 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,' approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten. A further supplement to—195.

64 to amend an act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—195, 470, 567, 763, 764, 809, 817.

65 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—195.

66 to amend an amendment to "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, county clerks, and county registers of deeds and mortgages in counties of the first class and providing salaries for such officers," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—198.

67 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—204, 216, 246, 250, 280, 361, 366.

68 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two," which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—204, 280, 287, 298, 315, 337, 366, 388, 392.

69 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—204, 232, 233, 246.

70 to amend an act entitled "An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—206, 216, 217, 235, 246.

71 to prevent the advertising, labelling, offering for sale, selling or distribution of certain narcotic and habit forming drugs and medicines, as remedies for children under five years of age—206, 216, 217, 235, 246, 297, 366, 484, 592.

72 to amend an act entitled "An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—206, 216, 217, 257, 794.

73 to authorize the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey to make analyses of water, food, drugs, pathological materials and similar substances, for persons, corporations and institutions in this State—206, 216, 217, 246, 302, 366, 425, 434.

74 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the receipt and disbursement of State moneys in certain cases,' approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten—206, 216, 217, 246, 249, 269, 271, 340, 365, 369, 391, 560, 591.

75 providing that factories, workshops or places for the manufacture of materials or goods, hereafter established within the watershed of streams above the point at which public supplies of potable water are taken, shall obtain from the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey a permit to locate or establish such factories, workshops or places—206, 216, 217, 242, 246, 296, 366.

76 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use of water-closets and urinals on railroad trains and other public conveyances," approved April seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—207, 216, 217, 246, 249, 280.

77 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate cold storage of food and the sale or distribution of articles of food after cold storage," approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen—207, 216, 246, 250, 280, 361, 366.

78 to repeal section six of an act entitled "An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties—207, 216, 246, 251, 280, 361, 366, 491, 566, 771, 835.

79 to amend an act entitled "An act prohibiting the discharge of sewage, excremental matter, domestic refuse and other polluting matter into fresh water," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten—207, 216, 257, 293, 304, 338, 388, 392.

80 An act to provide for the examination and licensing of superintendents and operators in charge of water purification or treatment plants and sewage treatment plants under the direction of the Department of Health of the State of New Jersey—207, 216, 246, 295, 304, 338, 388, 392.

81 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinance further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authority to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and authorities," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—207, 232, 233, 246, 329, 330, 437, 453, 457, 494, 628, 669.

82 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two," which amendatory act was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven—208, 268, 269, 287, 298, 316, 337, 366, 425, 434.

83 to amend the title and the body of an act entitled "An act to fix the minimum of salary of the prosecutors of the pleas in the counties of the third class in this State," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—210, 257, 259, 269, 303, 366, 540, 591.

84 to further amend an act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six—211, 269, 270, 287, 298, 316, 337, 366, 425, 434.

85 entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six. A supplement to—211, 269, 325, 346, 372, 391, 425, 434.

86 concerning the title of certain lands situate in the city of Plainfield, in the county of Union, in this State, which were conveyed by one David Martin and Elizabeth, his wife, to The Inhabitants of the Township of Plainfield, by deed dated September eighteenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, and which lands are now in possession of The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, under a claim of title by adverse possession; and limiting to July fourth, anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the time within which may be brought any suit, action or proceeding by the said David Martin, Elizabeth, his wife, or any person or persons claiming by, through or under them or either of them, asserting any claim, interest or title in said lands adverse to the said title claimed by The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield—211, 257, 259, 269, 298, 304, 338, 628, 669.

87 to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire communicated from the State Prison farm, situate near Lees-

burg, in said county—212, 257, 259, 269, 299, 304, 338, 425, 434, 504.

88 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a Department of Weights and Measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—212, 269, 270, 287, 298, 299, 317, 337, 366, 425, 434.

89 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—212, 257, 259, 269, 304, 338, 425, 435.

90 to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)"—212, 259, 269, 300, 326, 327, 449.

91 to authorize charitable and educational corporations to make changes in their acts or certificates of incorporation and their organization—213, 273, 274, 287, 298, 317, 337, 366, 560, 591.

92 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—213, 257, 258, 269, 300, 304, 338, 388, 392.

93 to supplement and amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—213, 269, 270, 287, 298, 317, 337, 425, 435.

94 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and six—213, 257, 259, 269, 300, 304, 338, 628, 669.

95 to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the State," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six—213, 257, 259, 269, 301, 304, 338, 628, 670, 798, 799, 833.

96 to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918)—214, 581, 582, 629, 652, 668, 749, 790.

97 entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis and to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten. A supplement to—214, 269, 287, 298, 372, 391.

98 to validate and provide for notice of liens of taxes of nineteen hundred and seventeen on real estate in townships, counties and other municipalities, except cities having charter provisions for a public record of tax liens on land, where the list of unpaid taxes has not been filed in the time otherwise required by law—214, 217, 287, 298, 539, 593, 668, 802, 834.

99 An act authorizing the taking of suckers, catfish, carp and eels in the waters of this State through the use of fish-baskets, and prescribing penalties for violation of its provisions—214.

100 entitled "An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven. A supplement to—214, 340, 341, 368, 373.

101 constituting eight hours' service a full day's labor for deputy keepers and guards employed in or about the New Jersey State Prison and New Jersey State Reformatory—215, 412, 413, 431, 434, 441.

102 to provide for the maintenance of old and faithful servants of the several counties of the State of New Jersey—215, 271, 287, 298, 350, 391, 683, 745.

103 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the receipts and disbursements of State moneys in certain cases,' approved October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seven," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and ten. A further supplement to—215, 284, 285, 325, 347, 372, 391, 560, 591.

104 entitled "An act to create a sewerage district to be called Passaic Valley Sewerage District," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and two. A further supplement to—232, 269, 270, 287, 298, 318, 337, 366, 540, 591.

105 entitled "An act to regulate the use of power vessels and boats navigating the waters within the jurisdiction of this State above tidewater, and to provide for the inspection and licensing of power vessels, their masters, pilots and engineers," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and six. A further supplement to—235, 312, 313, 340, 373, 374, 427, 434, 444, 506, 629, 670.

106 to validate and confirm reinstatements of charters of corporations heretofore made—235, 288, 325, 347, 372, 391, 541, 591.

107 to amend the title of and the provisions of an act entitled "An act declaring all buildings and places wherein or upon which acts of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are permitted to occur to be nuisances, and providing for the statement thereof by the Court of Chancery," approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—236, 272, 273, 287, 298, 335, 340, 365, 380, 391, 784, 838.

108 to amend an act entitled "An act directing the descent of real estates," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six—236, 272, 273, 287, 298, 351, 372, 391, 683, 744.

109 to secure the payment of laborers, mechanics, merchants, traders and persons employed upon or furnishing materials toward the performing of any work in cities, towns, townships and other municipalities in this State (Revision of 1918)—236.

110 entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A supplement to—236, 288, 325, 348, 372, 391, 426, 435.

111 An act entitled "An act to prevent deception in the distribution or sale of food in package form," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. A supplement to—236, 285, 286, 325, 348, 372, 391, 426, 435.

112 to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—237, 269, 270, 287, 298, 319, 337, 366, 541, 591.

113 to provide for the prevention of noise in the operation of vessels propelled in whole or in part by gas, gasoline or naphtha, upon the waters within the jurisdiction of this State—237.

114 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—237, 269, 270, 287, 298, 351, 372, 391, 541, 591.

115 to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—237, 269, 271, 287, 298, 352, 372, 391, 629, 670.

116 fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic ocean having a population of more than seventy-five thousand—238, 273, 287, 298, 334, 337, 366, 426, 427, 437, 438, 442, 484, 525.

117 entitled "An act relating to the Courts of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900)," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—238, 273, 287, 298, 334, 366, 426, 427, 437, 438, 525.

118 entitled "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water,' approved April thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. Supplemnt to—238, 374, 375, 399, 400, 418, 494, 655, 671.

119 providing for a payment to the State by an employer operating under section II of an act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, upon the death, without dependents, of an employee as a result of an injury received in the course of his employment—238, 373, 374, 399, 400, 522, 527, 607, 668, 749, 790.

120 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for decreeing and making known that certain laws and joint resolutions have become inoperative and void—238.

121 to amend the title of an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees

and operatives in mercantile establishments," approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, so as to make said act apply to persons employed for wages or other compensation in any employment other than in factories, workshops, mills, places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, mines, quarries, or in agricultural pursuits, and to amend the body of said act—239, 593, 667, 691, 698, 743, 770, 834.

122 An act to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operatives in newspaper plants, printeries, factories, workshops, mills, commercial laundries, and all places where printing or the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and in mines and quarries, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four—239, 581, 582, 629, 663, 706.

123 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freeholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912),' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," which amendment was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—244, 269, 270, 287, 298, 352, 372, 391, 682, 743.

124 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—244, 271, 287, 298, 333, 337, 366.

125 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—244, 346, 399, 400, 417, 494.

126 to amend an act entitled "An act to secure the purity and wholesomeness of shellfish," approved February twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—245, 362, 363, 399, 400, 417, 494, 682, 743.

127 creating the office of county supervisor in counties of the first class in this State—245, 468, 469, 503, 536, 590, 749, 790.

128 entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—245.

129 entitled "An act to reorganize the government of counties of the first class in this State," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—245.

130 to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain a maternity hospital—247, 285, 340, 365, 379, 391, 455, 802, 834.

131 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—248, 285, 286, 325, 370, 391, 682, 743.

132 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—248, 285, 286, 325, 349, 391.

133 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—249, 288, 325, 349, 455, 683, 744.

134 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—249, 288, 325, 350, 372, 391, 426, 435, 503.

135 to amend an act entitled "An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—249, 312, 313, 340, 365, 369, 391, 540, 591.

136 entitled "An act concerning firemen's relief associations," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five. A supplement to—257.

137 to provide for children born out of wedlock—257, 340, 342, 368, 373, 444.

138 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning firemen's relief associations," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five—257, 580, 581, 593.

139 relating to official advertising in the counties of the first and second class—258, 285, 286, 325.

140 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class,' approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five," which amendatory act was approved March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen—261, 345, 399, 400, 444, 506, 682, 743.

141 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning local boards of health and employees thereof in cities in this State, and for the relief of such employees," approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—261, 340, 342, 399, 400, 445, 506, 682, 744.

142 entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—261, 339, 341, 374, 376, 412, 499, 566.

143 authorizing cities of the first class in this State to provide moneys for increase of salaries of policemen or firemen during fiscal year by issuing temporary loan bonds—262, 339, 340, 344, 402, 412, 428, 494, 750, 790.

144 entitled "An act respecting the creation of Juvenile Courts in counties of the first class. A supplement to—262.

145 entitled "An act concerning mortgages (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—262, 339, 341, 368, 373.

146 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of the courts of law (Revision of 1903),' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight," which act was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—262, 339, 341, 373, 498, 566, 655, 671.

147 An act entitled "An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A supplement to—262, 340, 343, 368, 373, 439.

148 to grant and release the title and interest of the people of the State of New Jersey in and to certain real estate of which John Meleveske died seized in the city of Newark, county of Essex and State of New Jersey—263, 340, 343, 368, 373, 499, 566, 683, 744.

149 to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled "An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—263, 339, 341, 400, 417, 494, 655, 671.

150 entitled "An act for the punishment of crime (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. Supplement to—263.

151 respecting the salaries of county engineers—263.

152 for the preservation of crabs—263, 340, 342, 368, 373.

153 to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled "An act to regulate fishing by steam and other vessels with shirred or purse seines in the waters of the State of New Jersey, and to require a license for such fishing," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—263, 362, 363, 368, 373, 450, 458.

154 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform standard of weights and measures in this State, to establish a department of weights and measures, and to provide penalties for the use of other than standard or legal weights and measures," approved April twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven—264, 340, 342, 368, 373.

155 relating to actions against members of police departments in this State—264, 339, 343, 368, 373, 394, 455, 750, 790.

156 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision of 1897)," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A further supplement to—264, 401, 402, 431, 434, 447, 448, 494, 683, 744.

157 to enable cities of the first and second class to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries—264, 339, 343, 399, 400, 447, 506, 656, 671.

158 to secure the tenure of office and employment of certain officers and employees of municipalities of this State upon entering the military and naval service of the United States—265, 593, 653, 681, 743, 770, 837.

159 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to remove the fire and police departments in cities of this State from political control,' approved May second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to provide for the establishment, management and distribution of a police pension or retirement fund," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and

fifteen. A supplement to—265, 339, 343, 374, 376, 537, 668, 750, 790.

160 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—265, 339, 343, 368, 373, 394, 455, 656, 671.

161 authorizing members of the fire departments of cities of this State to exercise the powers of police officers—265, 339, 343, 368, 373, 395, 455, 656, 671.

162 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act to authorize and to provide for requiring the construction, maintenance and operation of an extension or extensions of street railway tracks in cities of the first class in this State for the purpose of connecting or of making a detour of existing tracks," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—265, 340, 362, 363, 399, 400, 448, 458, 566.

163 entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies," approved May twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six. Supplement to—265, 339, 343, 374, 376, 397, 455.

164 requiring public utilities to file plans showing the location and character of property used by them in the public streets and public places of municipalities of this State—266.

165 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two—266, 340, 342, 374, 376, 412, 455.

166 authorizing all municipalities in the State to pass, alter, amend, repeal and enforce ordinances regulating the opening and closing of bootblacking and shoe repairing shops—266.

167 to permit the retirement on pension from public office, position or employment, after thirty-five years' service of this State, or of any county or city therein, and providing for the payment of such pension—266, 340, 342, 389.

168 to repeal an act entitled "An act to empower the Board of Public Utility Commissioners to require any common carrier by railroad to employ a sufficient number of men in the management of any of its trains, and to repeal an act entitled 'An act to promote the safety of travelers and employees upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—266.

169 to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight (Committee Substitute for). A supplement to—267, 735, 738, 751, 799, 823, 833, 838.

170 providing for the recovery of dogs lost while hunting, and prescribing penalties for violations thereof—267.

171 to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—267, 374, 399, 400, 459, 494.

172 entitled "An act concerning mortgages" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—267, 389, 402, 529, 536, 593, 608, 668, 801, 838.

173 An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the Secretary of War of the United States for the construction of such work or works, sea walls, bulkheads and jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper to protect the inland waterways, navigable rivers and waterways and riparian lands of this State in counties bordering upon the Atlantic ocean from destruction by encroachments of the Atlantic ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea—268, 367, 368, 431, 434, 494, 496, 590, 750, 791.

174 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, as amended by an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning tuberculosis,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," which amendment was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—268, 388, 389, 399, 400, 449, 506, 683, 744.

175 entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—272.

176 entitled "An act for the protection of the public health," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—272, 340, 342, 368, 373, 608, 618, 619, 676, 742, 790, 822, 839.

177 to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight —275.

178 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—281, 479, 480, 482, 527, 570, 641, 726, 793.

179 concerning the solicitation and collection of money or materials within the State of New Jersey, as contributions for eleemosynary objects—281, 362, 363, 368, 373.

180 entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—281, 735, 738, 751, 788, 823, 833, 838.

181 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—281, 362, 363, 399, 400, 418, 494, 629, 670.

182 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—281, 362, 374, 376, 433, 494, 770, 837.

183 An act providing for the establishment and maintenance of county police systems—281, 523, 527, 701.

184 creating a State Council and Defense and defining its powers and duties—282, 362, 363, 368, 373, 395, 455, 729, 735, 737, 779, 833.

185 to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled 'An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District,' and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary thereof," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—282, 504, 527, 571, 641.

186 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, which amendment was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—282, 527, 528, 650, 679, 691, 692, 716, 753.

187 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—282, 339, 341, 399, 400, 445, 506.

188 to regulate the keeping of employment agencies—282, 339, 341, 399, 400, 446, 506, 683, 744.

189 entitled "An act regulating the appointment of members of the Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; members of the Board of Architects, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of Architecture,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the Board of Undertakers and Embalmers, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of embalming, burial and disposal of dead human bodies, to license undertakers and embalmers, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six; members of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and dentistry in the State of New Jersey, to license veterinarians, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and two; members of the New Jersey State Board of Optometrists, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of optometry, to license optometrists, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April

seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen; members of the State Board of Registration and Examination in Dentistry, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; members of the State Board of Examiners of Nurses, pursuant to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation "R. N.," and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and the various acts supplementary and amendatory of the acts hereinabove recited, and to fix the compensation and allowances to members of said board," approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. Supplement to —283, 523, 527, 572, 641, 770, 836.

190 An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900)," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—284, 362, 399, 400, 446, 506, 683, 744.

191 to establish a Board of Estimate and Apportionment in counties of the first class and defining its powers and duties—285, 415, 437, 453, 468, 469, 662, 676.

192 to authorize two or more adjoining municipalities, each of which own and operate an electric light or power plant, to supply electricity, gas, steam, or other product, interchangeably for the purpose of supplying light, heat or power to the inhabitants of such municipalities—285.

193 entitled "An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable water in this State," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—286, 340, 342, 368, 373, 411, 455.

194 to amend an act entitled "An act to secure the purity of the public supplies of potable waters in this State," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—286, 340, 342, 399, 400, 447, 506, 771, 836.

195 to incorporate the borough of Ocean Gate, in the county of Ocean—288, 368, 399, 400, 419, 505, 527, 573, 641, 684, 744.

196 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—288, 339, 341, 399, 400.

197 in relation to municipalities—289, 339, 343, 374, 376, 633, 668, 750, 791.

198 entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—289, 339, 343, 374, 376, 537, 582, 609, 668, 750, 791.

199 entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Supplement to—289, 339, 344, 368, 373, 538, 567, 590, 750, 791.

200 An act authorizing the division of townships into water districts for the purpose of supplying water within such districts for fire purposes, and the election of water commissioners in said district," approved October thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and seven. A supplement to—289, 339, 344, 427, 497, 566, 656, 671.

201 entitled "An act authorizing the division of townships into street-lighting districts, and the erection and maintenance of street lights therein, and the election of street light commissioners in said districts," approved May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. A supplement to—289, 339, 344, 427, 498, 566, 656, 671.

202 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—294, 399, 400, 431, 434.

203 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—295.

204 to amend section one hundred of "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)"—295, 339, 341, 368, 373, 395, 455.

205 to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three"—295.

206 to regulate the keeping of employment agencies—295.

207 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one—304, 388, 389, 399, 400, 507, 566, 827, 828, 839.

208 to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—304, 393, 431, 434, 497, 566, 656, 670.

209 to provide for the inspection of steam boilers in this State carrying a pressure of more than fifteen pounds per square inch; creating a bureau for such inspection and prescribing its powers and duties—304, 438, 564, 565, 608, 620, 668, 750, 791.

210 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning townships (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine)," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—305, 368, 399, 400, 452, 506, 656, 670.

211 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—305, 568, 569, 593.

212 to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate fishing in the north branch of the Shrewsbury river, in the county of Monmouth," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—305.

213 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916—305.

214 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight," which supplement was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—308, 401, 402, 434, 497, 566, 684, 745.

215 to enable the Board of Commerce and Navigation to acquire title to riparian lands in the name of the State of New Jersey and to provide for the use and occupation of such lands, together with the adjacent lands under tidewater—309, 495, 527, 630, 668, 750, 791.

216 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—310, 340, 342, 374, 376, 500, 566.

217 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—310, 362, 368, 373, 430, 494, 629, 670.

218 to abolish the payment of fees for searches and transcripts of records of the birth of children for use as proof of age to obtain them employment—310, 340, 342, 399, 400, 458, 494, 802, 834.

219 entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—311, 365, 368, 373, 396, 455, 751, 791.

220 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—311, 374, 397, 399, 400, 467, 469, 496, 506, 566, 668, 802, 834.

221 entitled "An act concerning townships (Revision of 1899)," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—311, 412, 413, 431, 434.

222 entitled "An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters and clams on lands lying under the tidal waters of the county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—311, 362, 364, 368, 373, 396, 455.

223 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and two—311, 412, 413, 431, 434, 443, 494.

224 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen'"—312, 412, 413, 431, 434, 443, 506.

225 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City,' passed March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three—319, 523, 527, 573, 641.

226 to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning cities of this State," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four—320, 362, 363, 368, 373, 397, 523, 524, 539, 590, 684, 744.

227 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—320, 523, 527, 574, 641.

228 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—320, 523, 527, 574, 641, 726, 793.

229 to create in cities of the first class in this State the office of auditor of accounts, and prescribing the powers and duties thereof (Committee Substitute for)—320, 575, 629, 662, 771, 772, 838.

230 to incorporate the borough of Wyckoff, in the county of Bergen —326, 346, 368, 373, 397, 455.

231 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Committee Substitute for)—327, 568, 569, 676, 742, 780, 805.

232 to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water-supply commissioners in the water-supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water-supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water-Supply District and the South Jersey Water-Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—327, 495, 503, 527, 567, 568, 629.

233 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—327, 401, 402, 431, 434, 644, 668, 751, 791.

234 An act extending the time for the completion of certain water works, pipes, mains and conduits—328, 580, 593, 644, 668, 803, 835.

235 entitled (as amended by act approved June twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and six) "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns, townships, villages, boroughs and other municipalities in this State with water," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—328, 580, 629, 645, 668.

236 regulating the appointment of insurance agents, brokers and solicitors, and prescribing the method of writing insurance business in the State of New Jersey—328.

237 to provide for the opening of an entrance to the inland waterways of the State through the Manasquan inlet, on the basis of payments contingent upon results secured, and for the appropriating of money therefor—331, 438, 439, 458, 556, 668, 803, 835.

238 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of lobsters,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," which amendatory act was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—331.

239 to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to 'An act to provide for the recovery of damages in cases where the death of a person is caused by wrongful act, neglect or default,' approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—331, 605, 650.

240 to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogate' (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), which supplemental act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen"—332, 605, 650.

241 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—338, 412, 413, 431, 434, 484, 618, 619, 676, 740, 741, 759, 800, 827, 833, 837.

242 giving the consent of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to the purchase by the United States of lands within the State for public purposes (Committee Substitute for)—367, 456, 496, 503, 566, 656, 670.

243 entitled "An act to provide a budget system, and to provide a method of ascertaining the financial condition of the State and the appropriations necessary for the various departments, institutions and other agencies of the State," approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. An amendment to—401, 492, 493, 527, 574, 641, 801, 838.

244 to repeal the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Dundee Manufacturing Company, in the county of Bergen," passed March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, and

the several acts supplemental thereto and amendatory thereof—431.

245 An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of free public libraries and reading rooms—439, 440, 458, 459, 494, 541, 592.

246 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the fees of surrogates, register of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six," approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen (Committee Substitute for)—439, 479, 481, 482, 527, 581, 668, 751, 792.

247 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the militia of the State," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—452, 575, 653, 662, 706, 751, 792.

248 relating to salaries, wages and compensation of officers, employees, servants and agents, to be paid out of the funds of a county—500, 530, 567, 608, 650, 679.

249 entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, boroughs and other municipalities within this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A further supplement to—529, 593, 650, 661, 668, 751, 792.

250 entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—538, 593, 594, 650, 679, 743, 771, 835.

251 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—560, 603, 605, 650, 680, 739, 759, 803, 827, 833, 838.

252 making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—701, 780, 827, 828, 831, 832, 833, 839.

253 to repeal sundry acts relative to charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions supported in whole or in part by State funds—654, 655, 691, 717, 719, 790, 822, 838.

254 to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—673, 675, 676, 691, 717, 720, 790, 803, 835.

255 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to define the duties and fix the salary of the Attorney-General,' approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four," which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—673, 675, 676, 716, 717, 720, 790, 803, 835.

256 to authorize the payment of damages sustained by sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county by reason of fire com-

municated from the State Prison Farm, situate near Leesburg, in said county—674, 790, 803, 835.

257 An act authorizing the directors or trustees of any corporation of this State to contribute from surplus property or assets of such corporation for war relief purposes—691, 692, 716, 717, 720, 790, 803, 835.

258 entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—701, 702, 716, 782, 827, 833, 837.

259 to amend a portion of, and to repeal a portion of, an act entitled "An act to regulate the price to be paid for official advertising," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—709, 790, 803, 835.

260 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—752, 780, 805, 827, 833, 837.

261 entitled "An act providing for the enlargement of sewers and for the building of additional or relieving sewers in towns of this State," approved April twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—752, 780, 805, 827, 833, 837.

262 to provide for the expression of the will of the legal voters of the State upon a certain amendment to the Constitution of the United States—764, 765, 788, 789, 833.

Assembly Bills.

1 An act to provide for the appointment of an interstate bridge and tunnel commission, and to define its powers and duties—404, 406, 412, 428.

2 to provide for the construction of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, navigable rivers which are boundaries of the State, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridge or tunnel shall connect—382, 384, 402, 403, 428, 429.

3 to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a bridge or tunnel across the Delaware river in co-operation with the city of Philadelphia or the State of Pennsylvania, or both, and a bridge or tunnel across the Hudson river in co-operation with the city or State of New York, or both, for vehicular and other traffic—383, 385, 402, 403, 428, 429.

4 entitled "An act for the instruction and maintenance of indigent deaf and dumb, blind and feeble-minded persons, inhabitants of this State," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three. A supplement to—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

5 to authorize the Governor to delegate to any executive officer of this State the duty now imposed by any law upon the Governor, of approving plans, specifications and contracts—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

6 entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of a State institution for feeble-minded," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the title of which said act was amended by act approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. A supplement to—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

7 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to ascertain the rights of the State and of the riparian owners in the lands lying under the waters of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the State,' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four," which further supplement was approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one—383, 385, 602, 606, 647, 669.

8 to create within the Department of Labor a negro welfare and employment bureau, fixing the compensation of the chief and defining the duties of said bureau—404, 406, 523, 525, 807, 834.

9 to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—219, 220, 235, 240, 254, 280.

10 providing for the purchase, storage and sale of food and fuel by municipalities—307, 312, 314, 340, 381, 391.

11 An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to authorize municipalities in this State to purchase and distribute food supplies in cases of emergency," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—275, 277, 374, 375, 464, 494.

12 entitled "An act concerning the militia of the State," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—219, 221, 242, 256, 280.

13 to create a State Board of Fisheries, defining its powers and duties, regulating the disposal of food fish, and regulating the taking of fish within three nautical miles of the coast line in this State and in Sandy Hook bay or Raritan bay—657, 659, 667, 668, 705, 743.

14 relating to the receipt and disbursement of State moneys—404, 406, 451, 454, 488, 503, 566, 730, 731, 783, 821, 834.

15 to change the beginning and termination of the fiscal year of the State and of the several State officers and institutions, and to regulate the making of their reports—275, 277, 362, 364, 399, 400, 437, 502, 566.

16 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—275, 278, 374, 375, 399, 455.

17 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—307, 312, 314, 365, 372, 391.

18 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—307, 308, 328, 330, 473, 506.

19 entitled "An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—276, 278, 313, 315, 472, 506.

20 entitled "An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof," approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve. A supplement to—276, 278, 313, 315, 472, 506.

21 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act providing for the hearing and determination of disputes or matters affecting the domestic relation, and conferring jurisdiction upon the county juvenile courts," approved April second, nineteen hundred and twelve—276, 278, 313, 314, 471, 506.

22 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment by counties of the first class in this State of parental schools, to provide for the procuring of lands to be used in connection therewith, and to purchase, erect or construct such schools, and to provide for the government of the same," approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve—307, 308, 313, 314, 464, 494.

23 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the welfare of children," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—307, 308, 313, 314, 465, 494.

24 entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—276, 278, 313, 314, 471, 506.

26 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—353, 356, 468, 470, 553, 590.

27 entitled "An act to reorganize the boards of chosen freholders of the several counties of this State, reducing the membership thereof, fixing the salaries and providing for the election and terms of office of the members, and also for the appointment and terms of office of officers appointed by such boards (Revision of 1912)," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—220, 221, 231, 248.

28 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendment was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine—544, 550, 561, 711, 780, 834.

29 to repeal section nineteen of an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six—320, 322, 362, 364, 465, 494.

30 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which further supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—353, 356, 451, 454, 487, 506.

31 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898),' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the supplement thereto approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—404, 407, 454, 488, 506.

32 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting proceedings in certain criminal cases in certain cities of the second class in this State and to regulate and increase the powers of the police courts, recorder's courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in any such city, and providing for the

appointment and compensation of a city prosecutor and regulating the compensation of judges or recorders presiding over the said courts," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—321, 323, 339, 345, 381, 391.

35 An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—404, 407, 567, 570, 632, 669.

36 to amend a supplement to an act approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and ten, entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—276, 278, 284, 286, 336, 337, 366.

37 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A further supplement to—276, 279.

38 entitled "An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns, townships, boroughs and other municipalities except cities of this State, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subject to future taxation and assessment," approved May eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—419, 421, 675, 677, 718, 790.

39 providing for the pensioning of former fire officers and firemen in cities of the first class in this State, who shall at any time heretofore have been honorably connected with the fire department of such city for a period of more than thirty years, and who shall have attained the age of seventy-five years, for and during the term of their natural lives, amounting to one-half of the pay received by them while in active service in such fire department at the time they were honorably dismissed or retired from such fire department—727, 731, 797, 798.

40 to enable municipalities to pay for certain improvements left or to be left uncompleted because of war conditions, and to authorize the assessment of benefits for any completed portion of any such improvement prior to the completion of the whole thereof, and validating improvement certificates issued or to be issued in payment thereof—404, 407, 528, 529, 577, 641.

41 to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Morris—321, 323, 339, 345, 378, 391.

43 to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation—220, 222, 235, 240, 243, 246, 247, 269, 303, 304, 338.

44 requiring all able-bodied male persons, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, inclusive, to be regularly or continuously engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation or employment, whenever, because of a state of war, the Governor determines such employment to be necessary and essential for the protection and welfare of the State

and of the United States, and providing the procedure for carrying this act into effect and penalties for noncompliance therewith—404, 407, 438, 440, 475, 506.

45 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve—276, 279, 289, 336, 337, 366.

46 to authorize individuals, copartnerships, associations, corporations and joint stock companies, their lessees, trustees, or receivers appointed by any court, defined as public utilities by any law of this State, and not having power to take land or other property for public use, to exercise such power—321, 323, 328, 331, 379, 451, 455, 554, 593, 712, 751, 790.

47 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—657, 659, 667, 668, 713, 790.

49 to amend the title and certain sections of "An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—729, 733, 746, 747, 780, 785, 797.

50 to provide for the settlement, registration, transfer and assurance of titles to land and to establish courts of registration, with jurisdiction for said purposes—730, 735, 783.

51 for the assessment and collection of taxes (Revision of 1918) —584, 587, 650, 710, 713, 764, 833.

52 relating to the sale of real property for unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal liens (Revision of 1918)—585, 587, 650, 652, 809, 816, 819, 834.

53 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act establishing a fiscal year in all towns, townships, boroughs, villages, counties and other municipalities, excepting first and second class cities and first class counties, and the time for publishing and filing the various reports of the officers of the same," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to extend the provisions of the act to apply to first and second class cities and first class counties, and to provide for raising funds in municipalities and counties affected by this act—585, 587, 675, 677, 769, 833.

55 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property in this State for State road purposes," approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen—585, 587, 650, 652, 768, 833.

56 to regulate the assessment and collection of taxes upon the shares of the capital stock of banks, banking associations and trust companies incorporated under the laws of the United States, or of this State, and engaged in business within this State—585, 587, 650, 652, 767, 833.

57 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—585, 588.

58 to amend an act entitled "An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or

occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State," approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six—585, 588, 650, 652, 767, 833.

59 An act to amend an act to amend a supplement to an act, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, entitled "An act for the taxation of all the property and franchises of persons, copartnerships, associations or corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places, except municipal and corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or any of the supplements or amendments thereto, and except corporations taxable under the act entitled 'An act for the taxation of the property and franchises of street railroad corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads, lanes or other public places in this State,'" approved May twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and six—585, 588, 650, 651, 766, 833.

61 concerning the salaries of assessors and collectors of taxes—586, 588, 650, 651, 766, 833.

62 relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager—594, 596.

63 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which said act was approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—353, 357, 402, 403, 462, 494.

64 to further amend an act entitled "An act respecting the burial of the bodies of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, the marking of their graves with suitable headstones and the care and preservation of their graves," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and two—404, 408, 456, 457, 509, 566.

69 entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—786, 787, 796, 797, 806, 834.

71 to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—354, 357, 431, 432, 466, 496, 566, 813, 814, 834.

72 fixing the compensation to be paid to sergeants-at-arms and court criers of the Supreme Court, Circuit Court and of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the first class (Committee Substitute for)—276, 279, 527, 528, 593, 621, 669, 726, 794.

74 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration

of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendment was approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—321, 323, 362, 364, 378, 391.

75 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," which amendment was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—277, 279, 287, 381, 391, 402, 455.

77 to remove limitations imposed by the State of New Jersey upon the development and use of lands and lands under water which may have been granted to any municipality in this State—321, 324, 389, 390, 474, 506.

78 to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation of this State to enlarge or reduce the area of lands and lands under water heretofore dedicated to public use by the State as a tide-water basin, or to change the boundary lines thereof, and authorizing the reclamation thereof by abutting owners—321, 324, 389, 390, 474, 506, 657, 659, 735, 738, 757, 790.

79 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twelve—322, 324, 339, 345, 378, 391.

85 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—322, 324, 340, 344, 376, 391.

86 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—322, 324, 340, 344, 377, 391.

90 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—322, 324, 340, 344, 377, 391.

93 entitled "An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,"

approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen. A supplement to—277, 279, 289, 290, 335, 337, 366.

97 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize cities having a public water supply derived from sources beyond the city limits to protect the same from pollution by providing for any portion of the territory from which such water is derived, or through which it flows, a system of sewers or drains in order to take up, carry off and dispose of the sewage and other polluting matter, and providing also for the raising and expenditure of the money necessary for this purpose," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seven—322, 325, 438, 441, 478, 506.

98 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State, to abolish the State Board of Health, and to create a State Department of Health, and to prescribe and define the powers and duties of such department,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—277, 279, 340, 345.

100 creating a department of State police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith—483, 581, 582, 600, 757, 759.

101 to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act for the protection of deer," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—354, 357, 467, 469, 496, 502, 566.

103 to authorize any municpality in this State to make annual appropriations for the purpose of conducting and maintaining dental clinics in any such municipality for the free treatment of indigent persons of school age—383, 385, 456, 457, 496, 552, 590.

106 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and nine of an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—543, 549, 735, 737.

107 to repeal an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which further supplement was approved February nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—594, 596, 735, 737.

108 entitled "An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine. A supplement to—354, 357, 451, 454, 488, 506.

112 entitled "An act concerning naturalization and regulating the procedure in cases of naturalization in courts of this State and establishing uniform fees of clerks and judges in naturalization cases," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—595, 597.

115 An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—354, 358, 451, 453, 487, 506.

119 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulating, care and control of shade trees and shrubbery upon the public highways and in municipal parks, and for the care, control and improvement of such parks; authorizing the continuance of existing shade tree commissions, and the appointment of shade tree commissions, and prescribing their powers and duties" (Revision of 1915), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—354, 358, 451, 453, 486, 506, 556.

120 to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—354, 358, 431, 432, 461, 494.

121 entitled "An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish," approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A supplement to—622, 624, 650, 652, 703, 743.

123 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county physicians,' approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight—383, 385, 415, 459, 494.

124 vesting the title of the property of extinct Methodist Episcopal Churches and Methodist Episcopal Societies of "The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church" in "The New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church," and authorizing and empowering said conference to sell and convey the same—405, 408, 481, 482, 507, 566.

125 to prohibit the killing or pursuing of birds or animals by the aid or use of an automobile—355, 358, 482, 507, 575, 576, 632, 669.

126 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision), approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five—419, 422, 523, 525, 555, 590.

128 entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—355, 358, 374, 375, 398, 455.

130 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—451.

134 to amend an act entitled "An act for the prevention of frauds and perjuries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which said amendment was approved May first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Committee Substitute for)—657, 659, 667, 668, 759, 790.

135 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—586, 589, 675, 678, 751, 776, 834.

136 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning sinking funds and sinking fund commissions," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Committee Substitute for)—675, 678, 776, 833.

137 to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—622, 625, 675, 678, 775, 833.

138 entitled "An act defining floating indebtedness and authorizing and directing the funding of floating and other indebtedness in any municipality and county in this State," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—586, 589, 675, 678, 775, 833.

139 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of licenses and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which amendatory act was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and ten. A supplement to—586, 589, 602, 606, 648, 669.

140 concerning municipal accountants—587, 589, 675, 678, 774, 833.

141 requiring the audit of public accounts—587, 590, 675, 678, 774, 833.

142 validating the local budget heretofore adopted by any municipality of this State pursuant to the provisions of chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917—587, 590, 675, 677, 774, 833.

143 to change the date of annual meeting for voting appropriations in certain municipalities (Committee Substitute for)—675, 677, 769, 834.

146 to incorporate the borough of Gibbsboro, in the county of Camden—787, 788.

148 concerning the use by the government of the United States of surface or underground waters for purposes connected with the military encampments within this State—543, 549, 567, 569, 634, 669.

149 to provide for the establishment of a home for the care, maintenance, education and training of orphan colored children—405, 408.

150 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' and which amendment was approved March twen-

tieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. A supplement to—405, 408, 451, 454, 489, 506.

151 An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of certain public officers of the State,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten—684, 687, 754, 755, 778, 834.

152 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning mortgages (Revision)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—355, 359, 451, 453, 485, 506.

153 entitled "An act respecting conveyances (Revision)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. A supplement to—355, 359, 451, 453, 486, 506.

154 to amend chapter 91, Laws of 1914, approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, entitled "An act to further amend 'An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in maintaining hospitals located in such county,' approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six"—355, 359, 388, 390, 398, 455, 684, 687, 710, 711, 715, 790.

156 entitled "An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A further supplement to—405, 408, 451, 455, 493, 506.

157 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the use of motor vehicles for commercial purposes," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—383, 385, 415, 416, 462, 494.

158 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," as amended by the act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—383, 385, 415, 416, 463, 494.

161 entitled "An act concerning the making and collection of assessments conferred by the construction of sewers and drains," approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—594, 596, 717, 754, 790.

162 authorizing the appointment of chaplains in police departments in the several cities of this State and fixing their title and compensation—541, 546, 582, 583, 620, 669, 804, 806, 808, 810, 834.

164 entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—384, 386, 438, 441, 479, 506.

165 to amend an act entitled "An act for the establishment of farms for the propagation of game and fish," approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven, approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—545, 552, 575, 576, 593, 647, 669.

166 An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by board of commissioners or improvement commissions of this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title of which was amended to read as above by act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," which said supplement was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—786, 787, 796, 797, 812, 834.

167 to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act regulating the business of undertaking, embalming and disposal of dead human bodies," approved May twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six, the title of which said act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—355, 359, 388, 390, 473, 503, 566.

174 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates' (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and which said amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—355, 359, 451, 453, 479, 506.

175 entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court, and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—355, 359, 451, 453, 478, 506.

176 entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—419, 422, 431, 471, 506.

178 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—622, 625, 649, 651, 828, 834.

179 establishing a State Athletic Commission and regulating the art of boxing and sparring exhibitions or performances in the State of New Jersey—727, 731, 735, 737, 756, 790.

180 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—420, 422, 523, 525, 555, 590.

183 to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Monmouth," approved February twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and thirteen—384, 386, 523, 524, 579, 641.

184 to establish a nautical school in this State for the education and training of pupils from the several counties of this State in the science and practice of navigation, seamanship, steam and electrical engineering and to provide for the maintenance and government of the same—384, 386, 584, 714, 734, 790.

186 entitled "An act for the punishment of crime"—727, 731.

189 An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries (Revision),' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—405, 409, 451, 454, 490, 506.

191 to prohibit the setting of steel traps or other traps in any woods, swamp, field, road, either public or private, main or woods road, path, or byway, whereby any dog might or could be caught, and fixing the penalty therefor—728, 733.

192 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 422, 481, 482, 527, 553, 590, 787, 788, 806, 808, 813, 834.

193 authorizing municipalities to appoint to its fire or police departments any person now serving in the military or naval service of the United States or subject to service therein, without pay during the period thereof—384, 386, 505, 506, 554, 590.

194 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State and the various counties and municipalities thereof and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—355, 360, 438, 440, 476, 506.

195 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—356, 360, 388, 390, 419, 529, 530, 582, 621, 669.

196 to supplement an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis among cattle, regulating the importation of cattle into this State; providing measures to check the spread of tuberculosis among cattle in this State; creating the commission on tuberculosis among animals; prescribing its powers and duties, and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—356, 360, 388, 390, 419, 529, 530, 531, 582, 664, 706.

197 to regulate the manufacture, sale and use of certain biological products within this State—356, 360, 388, 390, 419, 699, 700, 777, 834.

198 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1908)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—543, 549, 599, 664, 706.

201 entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—729, 734.

202 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 422, 431, 432, 439.

203 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 422, 431, 432, 439, 528, 576, 641.

204 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—541, 546, 568, 570.

205 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—483, 528, 576, 641.

206 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 422, 431, 432, 439.

207 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 423, 431, 432, 460, 494.

208 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 423, 431, 432, 460, 494.

209 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 423, 431, 432, 461, 494.

210 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 423, 431, 432, 461, 494.

211 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—420, 423, 431, 432, 439.

212 relating to pupils of the public schools of this State who shall enter the military or naval service of the United States—545, 552, 567, 569, 632, 669.

213 to provide for the collection from mutual associations and stock companies writing workmen's compensation or employers' liability insurance in this State, of funds to defray the expenses incurred by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance in carrying out the provisions of the act entitled "An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—420, 423, 438, 440, 476, 506.

216 to authorize companies operating street railways to carry freight and express matter thereon—542, 546, 606, 666, 706.

218 to incorporate the Second Judicial District of the county of Hudson—384, 387, 451, 454, 490, 506.

219 to further amend an act entitled "An act to cede to the mayor and common council of Jersey City certain lands of the State now and heretofore under the tidewaters of Communipaw bay, and to establish tidewater basin adjacent thereto," approved

April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two—384, 387, 401, 403, 463, 494.

223 An act entitled "An act to prevent the spread of glanders in horses," approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four. A supplement to—542, 546, 602, 606, 665, 706.

227 entitled "An act to promote home life for dependent children," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. A supplement to—541, 546, 653, 704, 706, 743.

228 to protect hospitals, sanitariums, dispensaries and clinics from imposters—542, 547, 567, 633, 669.

229 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs (Revision, 1897),' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and seventeen—595, 597, 735, 737, 761, 834.

230 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—405, 409, 528, 529, 577, 641.

231 to provide for the recovery of salary by municipal officers or employees, illegally dismissed from such office or employment—421, 424, 481, 482, 503, 508, 566.

232 to amend an act entitled "An act for the construction, maintenance and operation of water works for the purpose of supplying cities, towns and villages of this State with water," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six—542, 546, 751, 752, 824, 834.

233 to vacate public roads or highways which have been unworked and unused for a period of not less than twenty years—405, 409, 451, 455, 491, 506.

234 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898),' approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and five—405, 409, 437, 440, 475, 506.

235 entitled (as amended by chapter 200, Session Laws of 1910) "An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers, and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine; and providing for the enlarging or otherwise increasing the capacity of such outlet or trunk sewers and the construction and equipping of plants for the purification or other treatment of the sewage to be disposed of thereby, and for the payment of the cost of said works, and for the admission of other municipalities to participation in the use and the cost of construction of said outlet or trunk sewers. A supplement to—543, 549, 797, 798, 822.

236 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—544, 549, 599, 600, 645, 669.

237 An act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A supplement to—657, 659, 676, 678, 725, 790.

238 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved June twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seven—657, 659, 676, 678, 725, 790.

240 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," and which amendment was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and six—686, 688, 700, 739, 790.

245 prohibiting any person from keeping or harboring any cat without first procuring a license—545, 551.

246 entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—685, 588, 699, 700.

247 to authorize the appropriation of money for agricultural extension work and the promotion of home economics—406, 409, 431, 433, 466, 494.

248 to amend section one of Article XV of an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—685, 688, 710, 711, 765, 834.

249 to give preferred rating to civil service tests to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines who have served in any war in which the United States of America has participated, providing such soldier, sailor or marine shall have reached a qualifying average—542, 547, 717, 809.

250 to declare the mooring, grounding or otherwise, attaching or fastening of boats, barges or rafts to or upon the riparian lands of the State, nuisances, and to provide for the abatement thereof (Committee Substitute for)—729, 734, 736, 760, 834.

251 for the control and prevention of infectious venereal diseases—406, 409, 630, 715, 820, 821, 834.

252 entitled "An act concerning marriages," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—406, 409, 630.

253 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—406, 410, 630.

257 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, and to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating and brewed liquors," passed March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,' approved March twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," ap-

proved April thirteenth, nineteen hundred and six—684, 687, 783, 826, 834.

258 An act to amend an act entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—595, 598, 649, 651, 702, 743.

259 entitled "An act to establish parks in certain counties of this State, and to regulate the same," approved May sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—727, 732.

262 entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," being chapter 237, Laws of 1898, page 866; Compiled Statutes, page 1820 (Vol. II). A supplement to—729, 733.

264 entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships," approved March tenth, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine. A further supplement to—421, 424, 528, 529, 578, 641.

266 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law (Revision of 1903)'"—657, 660.

267 authorizing and regulating certain classes of indemnity reciprocal or inter-insurance contracts; empowering corporations to make such contracts; regulating process in suits on such contracts; fixing certain fees and providing penalties for any violations of this act—654.

268 to authorize the acquisition of the building and lot or tract of land whereon the same is situate in the town of Morristown, on the northeast side of South street, known as the Library and Lyceum property of the Morristown Library and Lyceum, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, for a battalion armory in the town of Morristown for State military purposes—406, 410, 451, 455, 759.

269 creating a Bureau of Vital Statistics in this State, and to provide for the registration of all births and deaths and vital facts relating thereto—545, 551.

270 to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works—421, 424, 438, 440, 477, 506.

271 to incorporate the borough of Wrightstown in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey—642, 643, 699, 700, 777, 834.

272 making the cost of repairing and removing unsafe buildings, in cities of this State, a lien upon the land—595, 597, 618, 619, 714, 790.

274 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—545, 552.

277 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to

the same," approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. A supplement to—658, 660, 675, 678, 723, 790.

280 An act to provide for the licensing, regulation and inspection of public eating houses and places, and the posting of ratings of such public eating places, in municipalities of this State—421, 424 438, 441, 477, 566.

281 relating to the compilation and codification of the ordinances of cities of this State—658, 660.

283 to provide for the removal of grass and weeds from lots in municipalities of this State—542, 547, 599, 600, 665, 706.

286 providing for the retirement of certain judicial officers and fixing their compensation when retired—658, 660, 675, 677, 723, 790.

290 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of New Jersey, and to license osteopathic physicians to practice in this State and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—727, 732, 812, 820, 823, 834.

291 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—421, 424, 717, 779, 834.

292 requiring proprietors of theatres, moving-picture houses and other places of public amusement to call the attention of their patrons at every performance to all exits and fire-escapes in the manner hereinafter described, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act—543, 548, 567, 569, 631, 669.

293 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of the fishing interests of the State of New Jersey," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,' which supplement was approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—686, 689, 699, 700, 724, 790.

294 entitled "An act regulating fraternal beneficiary societies, orders or associations," approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-three. A supplement to—542, 547, 561, 738, 790.

295 amending an act entitled "An act amending an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same; of the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and the penalties for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine—544, 550, 561, 578, 641.

296 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regu-

lating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalty for said violations,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—544, 550, 561, 579, 641.

297 An act for the restoration to citizenship of persons who may be convicted of crime—542, 547, 735, 738, 756, 790.

298 concerning police justices in the villages of this State—406, 410, 582, 583, 635, 669.

299 to provide for municipal aid to Home Defense Units—544, 550, 654, 655, 704, 743.

302 to fix the allowance of sheriffs for victualling, care and keep of prisoners in the county jails of the respective counties of this State—658, 660, 742, 762, 834.

303 to authorize the sale by any municipality in the State of any abandoned or unclaimed goods, wares or merchandise which may be left unclaimed by the owners thereof in any hospital conducted by such municipality—623, 625, 649, 650, 763, 834.

306 to incorporate the borough of Califon, in the county of Hunterdon—542, 547, 824, 825, 834.

308 entitled "An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four (Committee Substitute for). A supplement to—686, 689, 710, 754, 790.

310 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—595, 597, 620, 648, 669.

312 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act to create the office of inspector of combustibles and fire risks in cities of the first class, and to define the duties thereof," approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and six—623, 625.

314 entitled "An act concerning District Courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—642, 643, 667, 676, 724, 751, 790.

316 entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning fees,' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six" (P. L. 1866, p. 257), Compiled Statutes "Fees and Costs," p. 2290, sec. 11. An amendment to—686, 689, 699, 700, 777, 834.

318 entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. An amendment to—595, 596, 716, 717, 821, 834.

321 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish in this State boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties," approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven—545, 551, 567, 570, 635, 669, 815.

326 An act to amend an amendment to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which amendment was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three —658, 660, 747, 825, 834.

327 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendatory act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven—594, 596, 604, 606, 666.

328 entitled "An act to regulate the buying and selling of firearms—685, 688, 710, 711.

339 entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—542, 547, 568, 570, 622, 669.

341 to prevent substitution and deception of the public by misappropriation of labels, trademarks, designations or forms of advertisement, by forbidding the wrongful use thereof, imposing penalties for violations of its provisions to be sued for by the party aggrieved, and conferring jurisdiction upon courts of equity in such cases—642, 643.

343 fixing the compensation to be paid to court criers of the Court of Common Pleas in counties of the third class—594, 596, 735, 738, 755, 790.

344 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide and furnish an office for the use of the county superintendent of schools, at the county seat of the several counties of this State, and to aid in maintaining the same,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight," which said amendatory act was approved April twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Committee Substitute for)—623, 625, 641, 649, 669.

352 to amend an act entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor (Revision of 1911)," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—623, 626, 653, 768, 834.

353 entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—727, 732.

356 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—686, 689, 735, 737.

357 entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision, 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to —729, 733, 735, 737, 740, 790.

358 to amend an act entitled "An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution, by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—623, 626, 735, 737, 755, 790.

360 An act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title to which act was amended to read as above set forth by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, giving to the commissioners of municipalities adopting the said act power to act as an excise board and to pass ordinances regulating the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors. A supplement to—728, 732, 751, 752, 815, 834.

365 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of nursing in the State of New Jersey, to register nurses with the privilege of using the abbreviation 'R. N.' and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—543, 548, 567, 570, 634, 669.

366 entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary and the Orphans' Court and surrogates (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to —772, 773.

367 regarding exempt firemen of volunteer fire departments, volunteer fire engine, hook and ladder, hose or supply companies, or salvage corps of the cities, towns, townships, boroughs and fire districts of this State—623, 626, 722, 751, 790.

368 entitled "An act concerning the appointment of commissioners of assessment of taxes in certain cities," approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine. A supplement to —643, 650, 651, 703, 743.

372 entitled "An act to revise and amend 'An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,' approved April tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. A supplement to—586, 588, 650, 651, 766, 834.

373 to validate contracts, notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of boards of chosen freeholders issued for road purposes 728, 732, 824, 829, 834.

374 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—543, 548, 692, 721, 790.

375 to provide for the changing of the objects of any association not for pecuniary profit—623, 626, 806, 808, 830, 834.

378 relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—623, 626.

379 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898)," ' aproved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight—542, 548, 599, 600, 762, 834.

380 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—623, 626.

385 entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children (Revision of 1907)," approved May seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and seven. A supplement to—686, 689.

389 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis," approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twelve—542, 548, 567, 570, 636, 669.

390 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1898)," being chapter 237 of the Laws of 1898—687, 689.

391 to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three—772, 773, 783, 784, 819, 834.

392 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896),' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—624, 626.

393 to supplement "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—624, 627.

394 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations and for the collection thereof,' approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six—624, 627, 797.

395 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the licensing and bonding of all dealers in milk and cream who purchase from or contract with producers in this State or who receive milk or cream from such producers for shipment, sale or manufacture," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—624, 627, 649, 651, 702, 743.

396 creating the office of public defender in the counties of the first and second class, providing for the method of their appointment, defining their powers and duties, and fixing the salary of such officers—624, 627.

401 defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act—643, 644, 649, 651, 713, 790.

410 providing for the creation of Small Claims Courts in cities of the first class and defining the jurisdiction and power thereof —731, 783.

411 entitled "An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—658, 660, 667, 668, 785, 834.

412 An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—658, 661, 675, 677, 818, 834.

413 terminating the term of office of elective assessors in cities of the second class wherein there are now more than five assessors, and providing for the appointment, tenure and removal of their successors—685, 688.

414 for the apportionment of assessments for taxes and other municipal assessments or charges—624, 627, 797, 798.

416 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—729, 734, 746, 747, 780, 819, 834.

417 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—658, 661, 806, 808.

418 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—658, 661, 806, 808.

419 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the fees of surrogates, registers of deeds and mortgages, county clerks and sheriffs in certain counties of this State, and providing salaries for such officers," approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six—595, 597, 754, 755, 765, 834.

421 entitled "An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898)." A supplement to—685, 688, 806, 808, 834.

423 to incorporate the borough of Wanaque, in the county of Passaic—583, 599, 600, 645, 669.

424 to incorporate the borough of Bloomingdale, in the county of Passaic—583, 599, 600, 646, 669.

425 to annex to the borough of Pompton Lakes, in the county of Passaic, parts of the township of Pompton, in the county of Passaic—583, 599, 600, 646, 669.

426 to incorporate the borough of Ringwood, in the county of Passaic—583, 584, 599, 600, 646, 669.

427 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies' (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and providing for the incorporation and management of congregations or parishes of the Protestant Episcopal church in this State, and repealing sundry acts and parts of acts relating to religious societies in so far as they affect or relate to the Protestant Episcopal church or congregations or parishes

thereof," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and one—772, 773.

429 An act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their methods of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903)," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—687, 690.

430 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—728, 733, 736, 761, 834.

431 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—772, 773, 783, 784, 818, 834.

432 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—728, 733, 754, 755, 778, 834.

433 for the relief of Sarah Brensinger and her minor children—773, 774, 824, 829, 834.

434 entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular or other traffic across the Delaware river and the Hudson river, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect," approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. Supplement to—730, 734, 736, 760, 834.

435 entitled "An act concerning marriages (Revision of 1912)," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—804, 806, 808, 817, 834.

Senate Joint Resolutions.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, "Joint resolution authorizing and constituting the Judiciary Committee of the Senate and the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly of the one hundred and fortv-second Legislature of New Jersey, a joint committee to make a survey of questions of public interest and to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any public official, public body, department, board or commission"—325, 362, 363, 399, 400, 416, 494, 629, 669.

No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution to authorize the Board of Commerce and Navigation to enter into agreement with the Dundee Water Power and Land Company, subject to the approval of the Legislature, with regard to the improvement of the Passaic river and the surrender by said company of some of its charter rights"—674, 675, 676, 716, 722, 790, 822, 839.

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Senate Concurrent Resolutions.

Concurrent Resolution—That the State Printer be directed to furnish to the State Library, as soon as printed, for the use of the Legislative Department of said State Library, and for exchange by said State Library with the State Libraries and Legislative Reference Libraries of other States, twenty copies each of all bills and joint concurrent resolutions introduced in the Senate and House of Assembly, as well as printed committee substitutes; also forty copies of each weekly installment of the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the House of Assembly, and forty copies each of the gummed slips containing synopsis of Senate and Assembly bills introduced—7, 232.

That no further bills or joint resolutions (excepting the usual appropriation bills and bills submitted by special investigating committees) be offered in either house of the Legislature after the legislative week commencing Monday, January 28th, 1918, unless by the unanimous consent of the members of the body wherein such bills or joint resolutions are proposed for introduction—179, 199.

WHEREAS, The Legislature of 1917 provided, in Chapter 277, Pamphlet Laws of 1917, in item 91, as follows: "For indexing the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the Executive Sessions, and the Minutes of the House of Assembly, and other incidental and contingent expenses of the Legislature, twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500.00)": and, WHEREAS, Chapter 158, Pamphlet Laws of 1914, requires that a requisition officer be appointed, and the acts regulating receipts and disbursements require the designation of approving officers for the payment of the necessary expenses of all divisions of the government; *Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring). That the Secretary of Senate and the Clerk of the House of Assembly be designated as requisition officers for the Legislature; and be it further *Resolved,* That all statements of expenses of the Legislature be referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses of the Senate and House of Assembly, respectively, and when approved by said committee, said approval shall be indicated by the signature of the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Incidental Expenses, for expenses of the Senate, and by the Chairman of the House Committee on Incidental Expenses, for expenses of the House of Assembly, together with the signature of the Secretary of the Senate, or the Clerk of the House of

Concurrent Resolution—Assembly, respectively, and said bills, when approved, shall be forwarded to the Comptroller of the Treasury for payment—180, 199.

That the House and Senate do meet in joint session at the hour of 8:30 o'clock P. M., Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—268, 274.

That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 78, for further consideration —411, 433.

That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 79 and 41, for further consideration—438, 442.

That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 71, for further consideration —679, 704.

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That the Senate and House of Assembly meet in joint session Wednesday, February 27th, at 8 P. M., for the election of Commissioners of Deeds and a Director of Railroads and such other business as may properly come before the Joint Session—778, 782.

That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 95, for further consideration —789, 796.

That all statements of expenses incurred in connection with the Legislative Session of 1918 after the date of adjournment which comes under the business of this session, be paid when properly approved in the manner provided by the Senate Concurrent Resolution dated January 8th, 1918, and concurred in by the House of Assembly on that date—808, 810.

The Senate having rejected the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 252, *Resolved*, That a conference committe of three members be appointed by the House of Assembly to confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill—828, 831.

Assembly Concurrent Resolutions.

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That no employee of either the Senate or the House of Assembly be permitted to lobby for any bill pending in either House. Any such offender shall be brought before the respective house to which he may be attached for the imposition of such punishment as may be determined to be proper—306.

WHEREAS, The government and people of the United States are engaged in a titanic struggle with the powers of autocracy; and WHEREAS, New Jersey, since Revolutionary days, has been ever foremost in the cause of democracy, and by her sons and her treasure have aided in the promulgation of those sacred principles to the whole world; and WHEREAS, In the present colossal world war, through the foresight and energy of her courageous Governor, she was found ready and prepared to render adequate and effective assistance to the Federal Government in the successful prosecution of the war; and WHEREAS, By reason of her strategic position on the Atlantic seaboard, by the location within her boundaries of numerous plants for the manufacture of war munitions, for the building of ships, the terminals of the great trunk railways and steamship lines, her thousands of miles of adequately operated railroads, and her innumerable facilities for expeditiously aiding the Government of the United States, she has come to play a great and important part in the struggle for liberty; and WHEREAS, By reason of her thorough preparation commenced long before the present struggle began, and developed to a high degree of efficiency through the tireless efforts of her Governor and his officials, she has been able to render untold aid to the Federal Government; and WHEREAS, By reason of the skill and efficiency displayed through her military policy she has taken steps to curb the plots of alien enemies and their sympathizers, bent on bringing havoc and destruction and endeavoring to cripple the successful prosecution of the war; and WHEREAS, On Saturday last, on but a few moment's notice, she was able to mobilize and dispatch to threatened points the State militia for the more effective safeguarding of life and property, thereby relieving the Government of the United States of such a duty; and WHEREAS, The State militia is a

part of the scheme of National defense organized by the Governor and his advisors; therefore, be it *Resolved,* That we indorse this policy and extend to our war Governor, his Excellency Walter E. Edge, and to his Adjutant-General, Frederick Gilkyson, our congratulations upon their foresight, zeal and untiring energy, displayed in countless ways for the protection of life and property and aiding the Government in bringing the war to a successful termination—332.

Concurrent Resolution—That the Senate be requested to return to the House of Assembly, Senate Bill No. 116, with House amendments, for further consideration—442.

That the Governor be and he is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No. 78, for further consideration—562.

That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, where it originated, Assembly Bill No. 154, for further consideration—562.

Resolution calling the attention of the people of the State of New Jersey to the necessity for immediate harvesting and storing three times their normal cut of natural ice, to safeguard the public health, and insure the preservation of perishable food during the coming summer period. WHEREAS, Two factors have this winter militated against the harvesting the usual supply of natural ice in this State, one being the lack of labor and the other the intense and long continued cold spell; and WHEREAS, Inasmuch as two-thirds of all ice used in this State is made by artificial means, into which method ammonia is both essential and important; and WHEREAS, We are creditably informed that our National Government will need and appropriate for their own martial uses a major portion of all available ammonia, thus preventing to a large extent the manufacture of artificial ice; therefore, in order that we may this coming summer protect the health of our citizenry and insure the preservation of our perishable food supply; be it *Resolved,* That the attention of the people of this State be called to the gravity of this situation, that they be and hereby are urged in the strongest possible terms to immediately harvest and store three times their usual cut of ice, in which recommendation His Excellency, the Governor, the State Department of Agriculture and the State Department of Health most heartily concur; and be it further *Resolved,* That the earnest and immediate co-operation be requested of the State Department of Agriculture, the Division of Extension in the State Agricultural College, the Granges of the State and the County Boards of Agriculture, that they may give full and proper notice to their membership while natural ice yet remains to be cut; and be it further *Resolved,* That the public press of this State be and hereby

are requested to give the widest possible publicity to the urgency of the situation, that the health, welfare and prosperity of the people of New Jersey may not be endangered through ignorance of existing conditions—563.

Concurrent Resolution—That a conference committee of three members of the House and three members of the Senate be appointed on Assembly Bill No. 71, and the Senate amendments thereto—630.

That the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly for further consideration Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 14, with Senate amendments—682.

That the Governor be requested to return to the House, Assembly Bill No. 192, for further consideration—705.

That the Governor be requested to return to the House, Assembly Bill No. 162, for further consideration—762.

That the one hundred and forty-second session of the Legislature adjourn *sine die* on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of February, nineteen hundred and eighteen, at six o'clock P. M. of said day—831.

Senate Resolutions.

Resolution—That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate has organized and elected Hon. Thomas F. McCran, of the county of Passaic, President, and Mr. William H. Albright, of the county of Gloucester, Secretary, and is now ready to proceed to business and also to receive any communication that he may make—4.

That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has organized and elected the Hon. Thomas F. McCran, of the county of Passaic, President, and William H. Albright, of the county of Gloucester, Secretary, and has proceeded to business—4.

That unless otherwise ordered, the daily sessions of the Senate shall begin at eleven o'clock in the forenoon and at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon—6.

That the number of copies of the Legislative Manuals apportioned by law to the State Senate be distributed on the same basis as at the session of 1917—6.

That the Secretary of the Senate be and he is hereby directed to furnish each member, clerical officer and reporter one copy of Members' Pocket Calendar of Legislature of 1918—6.

That 1,000 copies of each bill, joint resolution and concurrent resolution, daily memorandums and gummed synopsis sheets be printed for the use of the Senate—6.

That the Committee on Stationery and Incidental Expenses be authorized to procure bill files and the necessary stationery and supplies for the use of the members and officers of the Senate —7.

That the President of the Senate is hereby directed to instruct the State Printer to mail to each member of the Senate, at his residence and business address, at least one copy of each bill and resolution, both Senate and House, as soon as the same is printed—7.

That the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to report daily to the Secretary the absence without leave of any of the officers and attaches of the Senate; the complete report of such absentees and the time lost to be furnished to the Committee on Appropriations at the closing of the session, and that a pro rata reduction be made by such committee, and a copy of their report be furnished to the Comptroller—7.

That 800 copies of the Weekly Senate Journal be printed, and the State Printer be directed to mail copies to each member of the Senate and House and to the clerical officers of each body —7.

That the rules of the last session of the Senate, as printed in the Legislative Manual for 1917, pages 647 to 657, inclusive, be

and the same are adopted hereby for the government of the present session, with the following amendment, page 22, new paragraph 71: No standing rule or order of the Senate shall be suspended unless by the consent of a majority of the Senators elected, nor rescinded or amended but by the same number, and one day's notice shall be given of the motion for rescission or amendment—7.

Resolution—That the usual number of copies of the Governor's messages be printed for the use of the Senate, and that the same be spread in full upon the Minutes—171.

That the Senate express its profound sorrow for the prolonged and serious illness of the Honorable George W. F. Gaunt, a former Senator of the county of Gloucester, and joins in the hope and prayer for his speedy and permanent recovery. *Be it further resolved,* That the Secretary send a copy of these resolutions to the Honorable George W. F. Gaunt—174.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Honorable George G. Smith, a former Senator from the county of Ocean —198.

That the Senate express its sincere sympathy to Senator David G. Conrad in his illness, and joins in the hope for his speedy recover; be it further *Resolved,* That the Secretary send a copy of this resolution to Senator David G. Conrad—199.

That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. T. H. O'Donnell, City Treasurer of East Newark—205.

That the privilege of the Senate be granted to an ex-President of the Senate and former Senator from Passaic county, the Hon. John D. Prince—208.

That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Charles M. Egan, a former member of this Senate—215.

That the State Printer send to each member of the Senate five copies of Senate Bills Nos. 1 and 2, as amended, as said bills finally passed the Senate—248.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Honorable Lawrence Y. Sherman, of Illinois, and Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, of the United States Senate—251.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe called from these earthly tabernacles to His celestial home our late colleague, Edmund Burke Osborne, late Senator from the county of Essex, on April 12th, 1917, after the adjournment of this Senate's last session; and WHEREAS, It is befitting that this body should respect his memory and show our deep sorrow at his demise, which is our loss; therefore, be it *Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey,* That we hereby express our sincerest sympathy to his family, feeling that in his departure from among us the State lost a conscientious, able and painstaking lawmaker, whose every effort was for the upbuilding of the communities of the State and the general betterment of their citizens, he having, by sheer force of hardship, advanced himself from humble walks of life to that of a business man of large capacity, and a public servant of the utmost importance and conscientious undertakings, serving New Jersey as a member of the State Board of Education and in this Senate with zeal and fidelity; and be it further *Resolved,* That these resolutions be spread upon

the Journal of the Senate and that a copy thereof be engrossed and sent to his family—283.

Resolution—That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Daniel F. Menahan, Mayor of the city of Orange, N. J.—297.

WHEREAS, The Senate of New Jersey learns with profound regret of the death this morning of United States Senator William Hughes; and WHEREAS, The untimely passing away of the senior United States Senator from this State removes from the councils of our representatives at Washington a man whose energy and ability was cheerfully given in the framing of legislation designed to protect the United States of America, and to make certain the triumph of democracy over autocracy; therefore, be it *Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey,* That there be and is hereby extended to the family of the deceased this expression of genuine sympathy; *Resolved, further,* That the President of the Senate be empowered to appoint a committee of five Senators to attend the obsequies; and, be it further *Resolved,* That these resolutions be spread in full on the Senate Journal and a copy of the same, duly signed by the President, and attested by the Secretary, be forwarded to the family of the deceased—318.

That five hundred copies of the Report upon the Investigation of the Financial Affairs of Jersey City by the Joint Judiciary Committee of the Senate and General Assembly authorized by Joint Resolution No. 7, approved March 26th, 1917, be printed —320.

That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Jesse Feinberg, Assistant City Counsel, Bayonne, N. J.—372.

That 250 copies of the report of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, relative to the improvement of the Passaic river, be printed, with the exception of the maps included in said report —430.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. V. Frank Goble, a former member of the Pennsylvania State Senate—438.

That the privilege of the Senate be extended to the Hon. Joseph M. Branegan and the Hon. Peter M. O'Connor, of Harrison, N. J.—439.

That Rule 38 be suspended for the remainder of the session; that Senate and House bills, when passed by the Senate, be signed by the President and delivered forthwith by the Secretary to the House of Assembly—490.

That the privilege of the floor be granted to the Hon. Charles A. Rathbun, former State Senator from the county of Morris —500.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Samuel Robbins, of Moorestown, a former member and President of this body—502.

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Resolution—That the message just received from the House of Assembly by a committee of that body be referred to a select committee of the Senate, to consider and report thereon, and also prepare and submit rules for the government of the Senate when sitting as a high court of impeachment—640.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to Arthur S. Van Buskirk, Esq., Borough Attorney of the Borough of Keyport—673.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe called from this transient abode to His Eternal home, William S. Stuhr, a former Senator from the county of Hudson, on February 23d, 1918; and WHEREAS, It is befitting that this body should respect his memory and show our deep sorrow at his demise; therefore, be it *Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey,* That we hereby express our sincerest sympathy to his family, feeling that in his departure the State has lost a conscientious, able and valuable citizen, whose every effort was for the upbuilding of the communities of the State and the general betterment of their people, he having, by sheer force of hardship, advanced himself from humble walks of life to that of a business man of large capacity, and a public servant of the utmost importance and conscientious undertakings, serving in the State Senate with zeal and fidelity; and be it further *Resolved,* That these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and that a copy thereof be sent to the family—705.

That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. Austen Colgate, a former member of the Senate—761.

That the House of Assembly be requested to return to the Senate, for further consideration, Assembly Bill No. 71—779.

That all bills on the desk of the President and Secretary, and in the possession of the various committees of the Senate, not acted upon, be filed by the Secretary with the State Librarian as dead bills—811.

That the Senate record its approval and appreciation of the efficient manner in which the business of the session has been administered by the presiding officer, Hon. Thomas F. McCran, the faithful and impartial nature of his ruling, and the ready courtesy which he has uniformly accorded and extended to each member of this body—811.

That the minority leader, Hon. Cornelius A. McGlennon, of the county of Hudson, has been at all times a courteous, capable and earnest legislator, and the Senate extends its congratulations to him upon the faithful and fearless manner in which he has performed the exacting duties of his position, and its appreciation of his many courtesies—881.

That the members of the Senate recognize the uniform courtesy and ready assistance at all times shown them by the Secretary, William H. Albright, and hereby tender him our grateful thanks for his faithful performance of his duties, and extend to him our best wishes for his continued success—811.

That the Senate appreciates the many courtesies extended every member by the leader of the majority, Hon. Emerson L. Richards, of the county of Atlantic; that the earnestness, fidelity and honesty of the majority leader is hereby acknowledged, and that the people of the State are indebted for his untiring efforts to promote legislation in the interest of the State—811.

Resolution—That the Senate of the State of New Jersey express its thanks to the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce for the Legislative Index mailed each week to the members of the Senate; be it further *Resolved,* That the Secretary of the Senate be instructed to communicate with the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce expressing our appreciation of the service rendered—811.

That the thanks of the Senate be and they are hereby extended to Mr. John Smith, Custodian; John Multop, Janitor-foreman, and Harvey Rohrbach, Postmaster, for the efficient and courteous manner in which they attended to the wants of the Senate during the session—812.

That the members of the Senate hereby express their thanks and appreciation to all officers of the Senate for the faithful and courteous manner in which they have performed their respective duties—812.

That the Secretary of the Senate be authorized to prepare indices of the Senate Journal and Minutes of the Executive Sessions in the same general manner as the indices of the session of nineteen hundred and seventeen, and that he be paid the same compensation as allowed for preparing the indices of nineteen hundred and seventeen—812.

That a committee of three be appointed by the President to await upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Senate has completed its labors and is about to adjourn *sine die* and to inquire if the Executive has any further communications to make to this body—833.

That the hour of adjournment having arrived, the Secretary inform the House of Assembly that the Senate is now ready to adjourn *sine die,* and awaits the presence of the House of Assembly in the Senate Chamber—833.

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Courts—amends Small Cause, Act, 1903, relative to jurisdiction of justices of the peace—S. B. 58—194, 258, 260, 269, 366, 500, 501.

Courts—authorizes Governor to appoint in certain counties additional judge of, Common Pleas—S. B. 59—194, 564, 593, 663, 706.

Courts—fixes salary of judges of Common Pleas, in certain counties—S. B. 117—238, 273, 287, 298, 334, 366, 426, 427, 437, 438, 525.

Courts—authorizes testing of any law within one year after cause of action —S. B. 120—238.

Courts—regulates practice relative to summons and trial notices—S. B. 146 —262, 339, 341, 373, 498, 566, 655, 671.

Courts—amends act concerning notices of trial—S. B. 182—281, 362, 374, 376, 433, 494, 770, 837.

Courts—repeals act of 1917 relative to powers and duties of ordinary or Prerogative—S. B. 240—332, 605, 650.

Courts—fixes salaries of court criers and sergeant-at-arms in counties of first class—A. B. 72—276, 279, 527, 528, 593, 621, 669, 726, 794.

Courts—provides for holding evening sessions for naturalization purposes A. B. 112—595, 597.

Courts—relates to salaries of jury clerks in first class counties—A. B. 189—405, 409, 451, 454, 490, 506.

Courts—provides for retirement of judge of Circuit—A. B. 286—658, 660, 675, 677, 723, 790.

Courts—fixes fee to be paid witnesses detained in jail—A. B. 378—623, 626.

Courts—provides for creation of small claim, in first class cities—A. B. 410—731, 783.

Court criers—authorizes increase in salaries of, in certain counties—A. B. 151—684, 687, 754, 755, 778, 834.

Court criers—fixes compensation for in third class counties—A. B. 343—594, 596, 735, 738, 755, 790.

Crimes—fixes penalty for inciting insurrection or sedition—S. B. 89—212, 257, 259, 269, 304, 338, 425, 435.

Crimes—makes it a misdemeanor to obstruct enlistment in U. S. army or navy—S. B. 92—213, 257, 258, 269, 300, 304, 338, 388, 392.

Crimes—makes it unlawful to prevent any person from learning useful trade—S. B. 150—263.

Crimes—makes it misdemeanor for person not a citizen to act as private or public detective—A. B. 180—420, 422, 523, 525, 555, 590.

Crimes—relates to persons representing themselves as attorneys-at-law—A. B. 198—543, 549, 599, 664, 706.

Crimes—makes it a misdemeanor to damage or break sewers—A. B. 236—544, 549, 599, 600, 645, 669.

Crimes—restores citizenship to persons convicted of crimes—A. B. 297—542, 547, 735, 738, 756, 790.

Crimes—makes it misdemeanor to sell firearms, etc.—A. B. 328—685, 688, 710, 711.

Crimes—prevents wrongful use of trade marks, etc.—A. B. 341—642, 643.

Crimes—makes it misdemeanor to sell certain inflammable or combustible materials—A. B. 356—686, 689, 735, 737.

Crimes—makes it high misdemeanor to sell certain drugs—A. B. 379—542, 548, 599, 600, 762, 834.

Criminal proceedings—amends act regulating, relative to struck juries—A. B. 115—354, 358, 451, 453, 487, 506.

Criminal procedure—relates to discharge of juries by trial judge, etc.—A. B. 262—729, 733.

Criminal procedure—amends, act in relation to competency of witnesses—A. B. 353—727, 732.

Criminal procedure—amends, act in relation to counsel for defendants—A. B. 390—687, 689.

D

Damages—authorizes payment of, to sundry owners of timber land in Cumberland county—S. B. 87—212, 257, 259, 269, 299, 304, 338, 425, 434, 504.

Damages—authorizes payment of, to owners of property near Leesburg—S. B. 256—674, 790, 803, 835.

Damages—repeals act of 1917 relative to recovery of, where death is caused by wrongful act—S. B. 239—31, 605, 650.

Deeds and mortgages—increases rates for registering—A. B. 316—686, 689, 699, 700, 777, 834.

Dentistry—supplements act regulating practice of—A. B. 277—658, 660, 675, 678, 723, 790.

Dependent children—supplements act to promote home life to—A. B. 227—541, 546, 653, 704, 706, 743.

Descent—relates to tenancy of father or mother of person dying intestate, leaving real estate—S. B. 108—236, 272, 273, 287, 298, 351, 372, 391, 683, 744.

Detective agencies—supplements act relative to—S. B. 163—265, 339, 343, 374, 376, 397, 455.

Disorderly person—provides that anyone who shall obtain food, lodging, etc., with intent to defraud, shall be—S. B. 142—261, 339, 341, 374, 376, 412, 499, 566.

Disorderly persons—makes trespassers on railroad trains—S. B. 251—560, 603, 605, 650, 680, 739, 759, 803, 827, 833, 838.

Disorderly person—makes person throwing glass or other sharp substance on highways a—A. B. 126—419, 422, 523, 525, 555, 590.

District Court—authorizes appointment of assistant to clerk of Paterson—A. B. 31—404, 407, 454, 488, 506.

District Courts—increases salaries of clerks of, in certain judicial districts—A. B. 47—657, 659, 667, 668, 713, 790.

District Court—amends, law of Monmouth county—A. B. 183—384, 386, 523, 524, 579, 641.

District Court—increases salary of, clerk of Monmouth county—A. B. 314—642, 643, 667, 676, 724, 751, 790.

District Court—increases salary of, clerk of Morris county—A. B. 374—543, 548, 692, 721, 790.

District Court—amends, act relative to fee for jurors—A. B. 380—623, 626.

Dundee Water Power and Land Co.—repeals 1832 Charter act of—S. B. 244—431.

E

Education—provides that secretaries of board of hold office during good behavior and efficiency—S. B. 38—189, 604, 605, 650, 740, 790, 822, 837.

Elections—limits expenditures by candidates at—S. B. 4—182, 401, 402, 509, 527, 557, 668, 800, 801, 837.

Elections—provides for holding of in schoolhouses—S. B. 5—182, 376.

Elections—fixes time of filing statements—S. B. 6—182, 401, 402, 509, 527, 557, 668, 800, 801, 837.

Elections—relates to names on ballot—S. B. 11—193, 523, 524, 527, 665, 706, 748, 792.

Elections—provides for the appointment of county boards of—S. B. 12—183, 523, 524, 527, 558, 668, 726, 793.

Elections—provides method for soldiers and sailors voting during service—S. B. 14—184, 654, 676, 718, 790, 802, 834.

Elections—requires order of court by voter requiring assistance at—S. B. 37—188.

Elections—provides expenses of, officers shall be paid by municipalities—S. B. 128—245.

Elections—provides method to record ballot of absent voter—S. B. 175—272.

Elections—amends commission government act relating to recount of votes at—S. B. 249—529, 593, 650, 661, 668, 751, 792.

Elections—repeals supplement to act to regulate—S. B. 254—673, 675, 676, 691, 717, 720, 790, 803, 835.

Elections—permits municipal clerks to issue transfers to voters—A. B. 35—404, 407, 567, 570, 632, 669.

Elections—requires nominees to file acceptance within five days after primary—A. B. 36—276, 278, 284, 286, 336, 337, 366.

Elections—permits Common Pleas Court to revise list on, day in certain municipalities—A. B. 234—405, 409, 437, 440, 475, 506.

Elections—increases time in which to furnish ballots for—A. B. 326—658, 660, 747, 825, 834.

Elections—provides for placing of candidates' names on ballots—A. B. 421—685, 688, 806, 808, 834.

Eminent domain—repeals act concerning—S. B. 29—187, 609, 614, 619, 676, 691, 696, 706, 749, 793.

Employment agencies—regulates the keeping of—S. B. 188—282, 339, 341, 399, 400, 446, 506, 683, 744.

Employment agencies—regulates the keeping of—S. B. 206—295.

Excise Commissioners—terminates terms of—S. B. 198—289, 339, 343, 374, 376, 537, 582, 609, 668, 750, 791.

Excise Commissioners—authorizes, to enforce penalties for violations of laws—S. B. 199—289, 339, 344, 368, 373, 538, 567, 590, 750, 791.

F

Fairs—repeals acts relative to—S. B. 30—187, 609, 615, 619, 676, 691. 697. 706, 749, 793.

Fire departments—authorizes members of to exercise police powers—S. B. 161—265, 339, 343, 368, 373, 395, 455, 656, 671.

Firemen—amends act regarding exempt—A. B. 367—623, 626, 722, 751, 790.

Fire companies—permits, to render service in certain cases—A. B. 264—421, 424, 528, 529, 578, 641.

Firemen's associations—authorizes State, to adopt constitution and by-laws—S. B. 138—257, 580, 581, 593.

Fire escapes—amusement places must show by diagram—A. B. 292—543, 548, 567, 569, 631, 669.

Fiscal year—changes, of State—A. B. 15—275, 277, 362, 364, 399, 400, 437, 502, 566.

Fisheries—provides for a State Board of—A. B. 13—657, 659, 667, 668, 705, 743.

Fish and game—permits use of fish baskets in taking suckers, catfish, carp and eels—S. B. 99—214.

Fish and game—prohibits taking of shellfish without permit—S. B. 126—245, 362, 363, 399, 400, 417, 494, 682, 743.

Fish and game—an act for preservation of crabs—S. B. 152—263, 340, 342, 368, 373.

Fish and game—makes it unlawful to fish for menhaden—S. B. 153—263, 362, 363, 368, 373, 450, 458.

Fish and game—provides for recovery of dogs lost while hunting—S. B. 170—267.

Fish and game—provides for the taking of striped bass—S. B. 171—267, 374, 399, 400, 459, 494.

Fish and game—repeals act to regulate fishing in north branch of Shrewsbury river—S. B. 212—305.

Fish and game—extends provisions of act relative to oysters—S. B. 219—311, 365, 368, 373, 396, 455, 751, 791.

Fish and game—amends act of 1917 relative to the propagation of oysters—S. B. 220—311, 374, 397, 399, 400, 467, 469, 496, 506, 566, 668, 802, 834.

Fish and game—prevents taking of seed oysters in certain seaboard waters—S. B. 222—311, 362, 364, 368, 373, 396, 455.

Fish and game—amends act for the protection of lobsters—S. B. 238—331.

Fish and game—amends law by excluding starlings from protection—A. B. 71—354, 357, 431, 432, 466, 496, 566, 813, 814, 834.

Fish and game—gives registrar of licenses only in cities right to grant, licenses—A. B. 93—277, 279, 289, 290, 335, 337, 366.

Fish and game—permits farmers to kill deer out of season—A. B. 101—354, 357, 467, 469, 496, 502, 566.

Fish and game—extends time for killing of foxes—A. B. 120—354, 358, 431, 432, 461, 494.

Fish and game—authorizes acquiring of additional land at State, farm—A. B. 121—622, 624, 650, 652, 703, 743.

Fish and game—makes it illegal to kill or pursue game by use of automobile —A. B. 125—355, 358, 482, 507, 575, 576, 632, 669.

Fish and game—extends closed season on wood duck for three years—A. B. 128—355, 358, 374, 375, 398, 455.

Fish and game—amends law establishing, farm—A. B. 165—545, 552, 575, 576, 593, 647, 669.

Fish and game—prohibits setting of steel traps in woods, etc.—A. B. 191—728, 733.

Fish and game—fixes closed season of five years for quail—A. B. 246—685, 688, 699, 700.

Fish and game—increases salaries of protectors and wardens—A. B. 293—686, 689, 699, 700, 724, 790.

Fish and game—authorizes, Commissioners to license persons to offer rabbits for sale between certain dates—A. B. 429—687, 690.

Fish and game—gives Board of Shell Fisheries right to lease closed grounds —A. B. 431—772, 773, 783, 784, 818, 834.

G

Game and fish—see Fish and game.

Gibbsboro—incorporates borough of—A. B. 146—787, 788.

Grade crossings—authorizes State Highway Commission to eliminate—S. B. 181—281, 362, 363, 399, 400, 418, 494, 629, 670.

H

Health—amends act for collection of penalties for violation of, laws—S. B. 70—206, 216, 217, 235, 246.

Health—prohibits the sale of certain patent medicines—S. B. 71—206, 216, 217, 236, 246, 297, 366, 484, 592.

Health—relates to enforcement of State sanitary code—S. B. 72—206, 216, 217, 257, 794.

Health—enables board of, to place laboratory facilities at service of citizens —S. B. 73—206, 216, 217, 246, 302, 366, 425, 434.

Health—provides certain factories shall obtain permit from State Board of —S. B. 75—206, 216, 217, 242, 246, 296, 366.

Health—regulates use of toilets on railroad passenger cars—S. B. 76—207, 216, 217, 246, 249, 280.

Health—amends error in cold storage act—S. B. 77—207, 216, 246, 250, 280, 361, 366.

Health—repeals act requiring board of, to send copies of its report—S. B. 78—207, 216, 246, 251, 280, 361, 366, 491, 566, 771, 835.

Health—authorizes local boards of, to bring actions for pollution of streams —S. B. 79—207, 216, 257, 293, 304, 338, 388, 392.

Health—provides for licensing of operators of certain plants—S. B. 80—207, 216, 246, 295, 304, 338, 388, 392.

Health—authorizes State Department of, to investigate all cases of tuberculosis—S. B. 97—214, 269, 287, 298, 372, 391.

Health—local boards of, authorized to abate nuisances upon premises—S. B. 100—214, 340, 341, 368, 373.

Health—relates to distribution or sale of food in package form—S. B. 111—236, 285, 286, 325, 348, 372, 391, 426, 435.

Health—permits local boards of, to inspect watersheds—S. B. 193—286, 340, 342, 368, 373, 411, 455.

Health—authorizes local boards of, to prosecute violations of potable water act—S. B. 194—286, 340, 342, 399, 400, 447, 506, 771, 836.

Health—relates to compounding, prescribing or giving away of chloral, opium, etc.—S. B. 231—327, 568, 569, 676, 742, 780, 805.

Health—requires reporting to State Board of, cases of venereal diseases—A. B. 98—277, 279, 340, 345.

Health—protects hospitals, etc., from imposters—A. B. 228—542, 547, 567, 633, 669.

Health—relates to control of venereal diseases—A. B. 251—406, 409, 630, 715, 820, 821, 834.

Health—requires examination of persons desiring to marry, etc.—A. B. 252—406, 409, 630.

Health—makes it illegal to issue marriage license in certain cases—A. B. 253—406, 410, 630.

Health—provides uniform system pertaining to vital statistics—A. B. 269—545, 551.

Health—regulates licensing of public eating houses—A. B. 280—421, 424, 438, 441, 477, 566.

Health—amends act regulating practice of nursing—A. B. 365—543, 548, 567, 570, 634, 669.

Health—prohibits use of unsanitary materials in manufacture of mattresses—A. B. 401—643, 644, 649, 651, 713, 790.

Highways—relates to the Ocean highway—S. B. 69—204, 232, 233, 246.

Highways—authorizes, Commission to enter upon certain lands—S. B. 178—281, 479, 480, 482, 527, 570, 641, 726, 793.

Highways—authorizes, Commission to make allotment of motor vehicle receipts for road repairs—A. B. 139—586, 589, 602, 606, 648, 669.

Highway—gives, Commission power to condemn lands—A. B. 274—545, 552.

Hudson county—incorporates second judicial district of—A. B. 218—384, 387, 451, 454, 490, 506.

Hudson county—increases allowance to sheriff of, for care of prisoners—A. B. 302—658, 660, 742, 762, 834.

I

Inheritance tax—amends, act in details of computing and collecting—A. B. 358—623, 626, 735, 737, 755, 790.

Insurance—amends act concerning compulsory, under section 2 of liability law—S. B. 65—195.

Insurance—removes technical objection against investment by, companies—S. B. 82—208, 268, 269, 287, 298, 316, 337, 366, 425, 434.

Insurance—prevents any, company from taking name of any recognized, company—S. B. 124—244, 271, 287, 298, 333, 337, 366.

Insurance—relates to beneficiaries of volunteer firemen's relief associations—S. B. 136—257.

Insurance—regulates appointment of, agents, brokers and solicitors—S. B. 236—328.

Insurance—facilitates renewal and extension of charter of, companies—A. B. 176—419, 422, 431, 471, 506.

Insurance—regulates certain classes of, contracts—A. B. 267—654.

Insurance—authorizes fraternal societies to pay benefits from special funds —A. B. 294—542, 547, 561, 738, 790.

Insurance companies—authorizes fire, to insure against war and kindred hazards—S. B. 51—193, 258, 260, 269, 298, 338, 411, 414.

Intoxicating liquors—amends bishop law by prohibiting bottle service—A. B. 257—684, 687, 783, 826, 834.

Intoxicating liquors—give commissioners in certain municipalities power to license sale of—A. B. 360—728, 732, 751, 752, 815, 834.

Intoxicating liquors—regulating licensing and sale of—S. B. 2—181, 200, 204, 215, 227, 231, 244, 248, 294, 309.

Intoxicating liquor—makes a place nuisance where, is sold habitually without a license—S. B. 107—236, 272, 273, 287, 298, 335, 340, 365, 380, 391, 784.

J

Jersey City—amends act ceding certain lands to—A. B. 219—384, 387, 401, 403, 463, 494.

Jury commissioner—provides for appointment of—A. B. 432—728, 733, 754, 755, 778, 834.

Justices of the peace—gives, jurisdiction in certain counties—S. B. 211—305, 568, 569, 593.

Juvenile Court—enables judge of, to assist Common Pleas judge—S. B. 144—262.

Juvenile Courts—amends law creating, in first class counties—A. B. 18—307, 308, 328, 330, 473, 506.

Juvenile Court—authorizes appointment of, stenographer—A. B. 19—276, 278, 313, 315, 472, 506.

Juvenile Court—amends, act continuing probation law in effect—A. B. 20—276, 278, 313, 315, 472, 506.

Juvenile Court—gives, jurisdiction to try cases under child welfare act—A. B. 21—276, 278, 313, 314, 471, 506.

Juvenile Court—amends, act to make work of parental schools more efficient—A. B. 22—307, 308, 313, 314, 464, 494.

Juvenile Court—amends, act in reference to neglected children—A. B. 23—307, 308, 313, 314, 465, 494.

Juvenile Court—amends, act relative to criminal jurisdiction—A. B. 24—276, 278, 313, 314, 471, 506.

Juvenile Court—extends, act to certain second class counties—A. B. 49—729, 733, 746, 747, 780, 785, 797.

L

Labor—amends act regulating age, health, etc., of employees in certain factories—S. B. 35—188, 208, 209, 215, 243, 280, 361, 366.

Labor—permits fee to be charged by the Commissioner of, for certain—S. B. 36—188, 208, 209, 215, 242, 244, 248, 387, 391.

Labor—amends act to make clear sections of the foundry law—S. B. 41—189, 216, 218, 257, 290, 304, 338, 387, 391.

Labor—makes eight hours full day's, for State Prison and reformatory keepers and guards—S. B. 101—215, 412, 413, 431, 434, 441.

Labor—amends act regulating working hours—S. B. 121—239, 593, 667, 691, 698, 743, 770, 834.

Labor—amends act regulating working hours in newspaper plants, etc.—S. B. 122—239, 581, 582, 629, 663, 706.

Labor—creates Negro Welfare Bureau in the Department of—A. B. 8—404, 406, 523, 525, 807, 834.

Labor—protects persons performing, for contractors—A. B. 270—421, 424, 438, 440, 477, 506.

Land titles—provides for registration of, by counties under Torrens method—A. B. 50—730, 735, 783.

Land titles—authorizes appointment of commission to investigate the question of—A. J. R. 12—730, 735, 783.

Legislative officers—relates to, and their compensation—A. B. 43—220, 222, 235, 240, 243, 246, 247, 269, 303, 304, 338.

Local option—provides for—S. B. 1—181, 200, 204, 215, 222, 227, 244, 248, 293, 309.

M

Magistrates—regulates fee of—S. B. 94—213, 257, 259, 269, 300, 304, 338, 628, 669.

Manasquan Inlet—provides for the improvement of—S. B. 237—331, 438, 439, 458, 556, 668, 803, 835.

Marriages—amends act relative to nullifying—A. B. 385—686, 689.

Marriages—permits persons in military service to marry without a license—A. B. 435—804, 806, 808, 817, 834.

Mechanics' lien—revision of, law—S. B. 96—214, 581, 582, 629, 652, 668, 749, 790.

Mechanics' lien—revision of, law—S. B. 109, 236.

Military—repeals act concerning compensation for employees of State or subdivision performing, service—S. B. 9—183, 208, 209, 215, 240, 244, 248, 410, 413.

Military—permits compensation to employees of State or subdivision performing, or naval duty—S. B. 10—183, 208, 209, 215, 241, 244, 248, 411, 413.

Military—protects civil rights of men engaged in present war S. B. 16—184, 273, 274, 287, 298, 370, 494, 598, 641.

Military—cedes to U. S. Government land in Morris county for, purposes—S. B. 242—367, 456, 496, 503, 566, 656, 670.

Military—amends act of 1917 concerning the militia of the State—S. B. 247—452, 575, 653, 662, 706, 751, 792.

Military—provides that Home Guard units may become part of State Militia Reserves—A. B. 12—219, 221, 242, 256, 280.

Military—concerns use by U. S. Government of surface or underground waters for, encampments—A. B. 148—543, 549, 567, 569, 634, 669.

Military—protects students enlisting in, service—A. B. 212—545, 552, 567, 569, 632, 669.

Military—authorizes purchase of building and land in Morristown for, purposes—A. B. 268—406, 410, 451, 455, 759.

Midwifery—confers power on local boards of health to regulate practice of —A. B. 321—545, 551, 567, 570, 635, 669, 815.

Monuments—repeals sundry acts relative to—S. B. 31—187, 609, 619, 667, 691, 697, 706, 749, 793.

Motor vehicles—provides for mechanical device to be used on covered—S. B. 81—207, 232, 233, 246, 329, 330, 437, 453, 457, 494, 628, 669.

Motor Vehicles—authorizes Governor to appoint a Commissioner of—S. B. 177—275.

Motor vehicles—amends, act by defining reckless driving—A. B. 28—544, 550, 561, 711, 780, 834.

Motor vehicles—permits magistrates to impose fines or prison sentence upon person for operating an automobile while intoxicated—A. B. 29—320, 322, 362, 364, 465, 494.

Motor vehicles—repeals portion of crimes act making it misdemeanor to drive, while intoxicated—A. B. 30—353, 356, 451, 454, 487, 506.

Motor vehicles—graduates salaries of inspectors of—A. B. 63—353, 357, 402, 403, 462, 494.

Motor vehicles—requires operators of motorcycles to be licensed—A. B. 74—321, 323, 362, 364, 378, 391.

Motor vehicles—makes uniform lighting of motorcycles or other vehicles—A. B. 75—277, 279, 287, 381, 391, 402, 455.

Motor vehicles—increases fees for commercial—A. B. 157—383, 385, 415, 416, 462, 494.

Motor vehicles—provides for registration of commercial, etc.—A. B. 158—383, 385, 415, 416, 463, 494.

Motor vehicles—gives State authorities control of, on ferry boats—A. B. 186—727, 731.

Motor vehicles—amend, act relative to maximum speed—A. B. 295—544, 550, 561, 578, 641.

Motor vehicles—permits yellow tinted lights at night—A. B. 296—544, 550, 561, 579, 641.

Morris county—incorporates second judicial district of—A. B. 41—321, 323, 339, 345, 378, 391.

Municipal corporations—repeals sundry acts relative to—S. B. 34—188, 609, 617, 619, 667, 691, 698, 706, 749, 790.

Municipalities—confers additional powers on—S. B. 22—185, 603, 605, 676, 691, 694, 706, 748, 793.

Municipalities—validates proceedings during pendency of proceedings when form of government has been changed—S. B. 54—193, 216, 218, 235, 246, 252, 280, 388, 392.

Municipalities—amends act concerning finances—S. B. 125—244, 346, 399, 400, 417, 494.

Municipalities—authorizes, to sell park lands—S. B. 132—248, 285, 286, 325, 349, 391.

Municipalities—secures tenure of office of employees of, entering military or naval service—S. B. 158—265, 593, 653, 681, 743, 770, 837.

Municipalities—amends act relative to removal of police and fire departments from political control—S. B. 159—265, 339, 343, 374, 376, 537, 668, 750, 790.

Municipalities—permits, to enact ordinances in relation to icy sidewalks—S. B. 160—265, 339, 343, 368, 373, 394, 455, 656, 671.

Municipalities—authorizes, to enact ordinances to regulate bootblack and shoe repair shops—S. B. 166—266.

Municipalities—authorizes commissioners in commission governed cities to appoint deputies and increase salaries—S. B. 186—282, 527, 528, 650, 679, 691, 692, 716, 753.

Municipalities—permits, in emergencies to have work done without advertising—S. B. 187—282, 339, 341, 399, 400, 445, 506.

Municipalities—authorizes adjoining, to contract for supplying heat or power—S. B. 192—285.

Municipalities—authorizes, to reconvey land to the person who conveyed same, under certain conditions—S. B. 197—289, 339, 343, 374, 376, 633, 668, 750, 791.

Municipalities—amends act of 1916 relative to bonds and other obligation of—S. B. 213—305.

Municipalities—amends act of 1917 concerning county and municipal finances—S. B. 227—320, 523, 527, 574, 641.

Municipalities—amends Walsh commission government act by providing for publication of accountant's report—S. B. 228—320, 523, 527, 574, 641, 726, 793.

Municipalities—amends commission government act by authorizing appointment of a comptroller—S. B. 229—320, 575, 629, 662, 771, 772, 838.

Municipalities—authorizes, desiring to purchase water to apply by petition—S. B. 232—327, 495, 503, 527, 567, 568, 629.

Municipalities—amend home rule act by providing referendum vote at special election—S. B. 233—327, 401, 402, 431, 434, 644, 668, 751, 791.

Municipalities—extends time for completion of water works, pipe and conduits—S. B. 234—328, 580, 593, 644, 668, 803, 835.

Municipalities—authorizes, to construct water works or grant right to supply water to—S. B. 235—328, 580, 629, 645, 668.

Municipalities—authorizes, to appropriate money for free libraries—S. B. 245—439, 440, 458, 459, 494, 541, 592.

Municipalities—amends home rule act relative to issuing injunctions—S. B. 260—752, 780, 805, 827, 833, 837.

Municipalities—authorizes, to condemn lands for sewerage disposal plants—S. B. 261—752, 780, 805, 827, 833, 837.

Municipalities—permits, to deal in foods and fuel to relieve war situation—A. B. 10—307, 312, 314, 340, 381, 391.

Municipalities—repeals 1917 law authorizing, to deal in food supplies—A. B. 11—275, 277, 374, 375, 464, 494.

Municipalities—enables, to pay for certain improvements—A. B. 40—404, 407, 528, 529, 577, 641.

Municipalities—provides uniform fiscal year for—A. B. 53—585, 587, 675, 677, 769, 833.

Municipalities—provides new form of government for—A. B. 62—594, 596.

Municipalities—removes limitations upon any, upon the development of land under water—A. B. 77—321, 324, 389, 390, 474, 506.

Municipalities—authorizes, to make appropriations for maintaining dental clinics—A. B. 103—383, 385, 456, 457, 496, 552, 590.

Municipalities—amends act of 1917 concerning municipal and county finances —A. B. 135—586, 589, 675, 678, 751, 776, 834.

Municipalities—amends act of 1917 concerning sinking funds—A. B. 136—675, 678, 776, 833.

Municipalities—gives the commissioner of municipal accounts supervision over finances of—A. B. 137—622, 625, 675, 678, 775, 833.

Municipalities—supplements act of 1917 defining floating indebtedness—A. B. 138—586, 589, 675, 678, 775, 833.

Municipalities—validates budget adopted by governing body of—A. B. 142—587, 590, 675, 677, 774, 833.

Municipalities—amends Walsh act in relation to duties of city clerk of commission governed cities—A. B. 166—786, 787, 796, 797, 812, 834.

Municipalities—authorizes, to appoint person to fire or police department serving in military service—A. B. 193—384, 386, 505, 506, 554, 590.

Municipalities—provides for recovery of salaries of municipal employees illegally dismissed—A. B. 231—421, 424, 481, 482, 503, 508, 566.

Municipalities—relates to sewers in—A. B. 235—543, 549, 797, 798, 822.

Municipalities—provides for removal of grass and weeds in—A. B. 283—542, 547, 599, 600, 665, 706.

Municipalities—permits, to aid home defense units—A. B. 299—544, 550, 654, 655, 704, 743.

Municipalities—authorizes sale of unclaimed property left in municipal hospitals—A. B. 303—623, 625, 649, 650, 763, 834.

Municipalities—amends act concerning, companion bill to Pierson bond act—A. B. 412—658, 661, 675, 677, 818, 834.

Municipalities—relates to issuance of bonds in—A. B. 416—729, 734, 746, 747, 780, 819, 834.

Municipal finances—continues commission for survey of—A. J. R. 6—545, 551, 566, 596, 636, 669.

N

National prohibition—submits the question of, at the next general election —S. B. 262—764, 765, 788, 789, 833.

Newspapers—repeals sundry acts relating to—S. B. 32—187, 609, 615, 619, 667, 691, 697, 706, 749, 793.

O

Ocean Gate—incorporates borough of—S. B. 195—288, 368, 399, 400, 419, 505, 527, 573, 641, 684, 744.

Orphans' Court—requires executors and administrators to pay funeral charges of decedent within sixty days after proof of claim—A. B. 130 —451.

Orphans' Court—relates to division personal property of person dying intestate—A. B. 174—355, 359, 451, 453, 479, 506.

Orphans' Court—supplements, law in relation to duties of surrogates—A. B. 175—355, 359, 451, 453, 478, 506.

Orphans' Court—amends, act relative to filing a claim—A. B. 357—729, 733, 735, 737, 740, 790.

Orphans' Court—amends, act relative to filing caveats—A. B. 366—772, 773.

Osteopathy—amends act concerning practice of—A. B. 290—727, 732, 812, 820, 823, 834.

P

Passaic Valley sewerage district—includes borough of West Paterson in—S. B. 104—232, 269, 270, 287, 298, 318, 337, 366, 540, 591.

Pensions—relates to employees of Newark board of health and city hospital—S. B. 141—261, 340, 342, 399, 400, 445, 506, 682, 744.

Pensions—permit retirement from public office after thirty-five years' service—S. B. 167—266, 340, 342, 389.

Pensions—provides, for firemen in first class cities who have served thirty years—A. B. 39—727, 731, 797, 798.

Pensions—continues the Pension and Retirement Fund Commission—A. J. R. 7—545, 551, 566, 569, 639, 669.

Pension—gives, to Mrs. Sarah Brensinger—A. B. 433—773, 774, 824, 829, 834.

Pharmacy—provides members of Board of, shall not be teachers or instructors, etc.—S. B. 52—193, 235, 240, 257, 291, 304, 338, 387, 391.

Pharmacy—provides for the appointment of member of Board of—S. B. 207—304, 388, 389, 399, 400, 507, 566, 827, 828, 839.

Plainfield—an act concerning title to certain land in the city of—S. B. 86—211, 257, 259, 269, 298, 304, 338, 628, 669.

Police—provides for district, systems—S. B. 23—186, 609, 610, 618, 676, 691, 695, 706.

Police officers—provides for the protection of—S. B. 155—264, 339, 343, 368, 373, 394, 455, 750, 790.

Police courts—amends act creating, in second class cities—A. B. 32—321, 323, 339, 345, 381, 391.

Police department—authorizes the, to take without extradition papers persons charged with crime where consent in writing is had—S. B. 204—295, 339, 341, 368, 373, 395, 455.

Police departments—authorizes appointment of chaplains of, in cities—A. B. 162—541, 546, 582, 583, 620, 669, 804, 806, 808, 810, 834.

Police systems—provides for establishment of county—S. B. 183—281, 523, 527, 701.

Poor—permits second class cities and towns to appoint assistants to overseers of—A. B. 352—623, 626, 653, 768, 834.

Pompton Lakes—annexes to borough of, lands in township of Pompton—A. B. 425, 583, 599, 600, 646, 669.

Practice—makes it unlawful for any person not duly licensed as attorney or counsellor to, law, etc.—S. B. 196—288, 339, 341, 399, 400.

Practice—provides for filing of pleadings—A. B. 266—657, 660.

Practice act—amends, in relation to the requirements of defendant or his attorney—A. B. 37—276, 279.

Prosecutor of the pleas—assistant to, in first class counties—S. B. 46—191.

Prosecutor of the pleas—fixes salary of assistant to, in counties of first class—S. B. 68—204, 280, 287, 298, 315, 337, 366, 388, 392.

Prosecutor of the pleas—fixes salary of, in certain counties—S. B. 83—210, 257, 259, 269, 303, 366, 540, 591.

Prosecutors of the pleas—fixes compensation of—S. B. 116—238, 273, 287, 298, 334, 337, 366, 426, 427, 437, 438, 442, 484, 525.

Prosecutor of the pleas—authorizes, to investigate all election complaints—S. B. 180—281, 735, 738, 751, 788, 823, 833, 838.

Public accounts—requires all auditors of, to register—A. B. 140—587, 589, 675, 678, 774, 833.

Public accounts—requires audit of, by a registered accountant—A. B. 141—587, 590, 675, 678, 774, 833.

Public defender—creates office of—A. B. 396—624, 627.

Public matters—authorizes Judiciary committee of Senate and House to investigate—S. J. R. 1—325, 362, 363, 399, 400, 416, 494, 629, 669.

Public parks—supplements act in relation to—A. B. 259—727, 732.

Public parks—amends title of act of 1878—S. B. 19—185, 609, 618, 653, 680, 706, 748, 792.

Public records—creates office of—S. B. 43—191, 287, 288, 325, 346, 372, 391, 598, 599, 745.

Public roads and turnpikes—regulates traffic on, and fixes penalties—S. B. 20—185, 338, 609, 667, 691, 693, 706, 748, 792.

Public Utilities—provides for appointment of two additional members of, Commission—S. B. 44—191, 273, 287, 298, 380, 391, 540, 590.

Public Utilities—repeals act vesting in, Commission right to determine what shall constitute "full crew"—S. B. 168—266.

Public Utilities—authorizes Board of, to fix rates in all cases—S. B. 202—294, 399, 400, 431, 434.

Public utilities—companion bill to No. 202—S. B. 203—295.

Public Utilities—provides that any order of, Commissioners may be reviewed—A. B. 26—353, 356, 468, 470, 553, 590.

Public utilities—authorizes to take land or property for public use—A. B. 46—321, 323, 328, 331, 379, 451, 455, 554, 593, 712, 751, 790.

Public Utilities—gives, Commission power to fix rates for demurrage or car service—A. B. 237—657, 659, 676, 678, 725, 790.

Public utilities—provides for charges for detention of railroad cars—A. B. 238—657, 659, 676, 678, 725, 790.

R

Railroads—authorizes street railway companies to carry freight—A. B. 216—542, 546, 606, 666, 706.

Railroads—supplements act taxing railroad and canal property—A. B. 372—586, 588, 650, 651, 766, 834.

Real estate—releases rights of State in certain—S. B. 148—263, 340, 343, 368, 373, 499, 566, 683, 744.

Real estate—enables agents to recover for services in sale, etc., of—A. B. 134—657, 659, 667, 668, 759, 790.

Records of birth—abolishes fees for transcript of, in certain cases—S. B. 218—310, 340, 342, 399, 400, 458, 494, 802, 834.

Religious societies—vests title of property of extinct Methodist churches in New Jersey annual conference—A. B. 123—383, 385, 415, 459, 494.

Religious societies—enables Ruthenian Greek Catholic diocese to become a corporation—A. B. 156—405, 408, 451, 455, 493, 506.

Religious societies—amends act for incorporation of—A. B. 427—772, 773.

Ringwood—incorporates borough of—A. B. 426—583, 584, 599, 600, 646, 669.

Riparian leases—permits the making of, and expresses terms—A. B. 7—383, 385, 602, 606, 647, 669.

Road law—creates legislative committee to codify county and township—A. J. R. 4—545, 551, 567, 569, 716, 790.

Road tax—amends, act regarding payment of—A. B. 55—585, 587, 650, 652, 768, 833.

Roads—repeals sundry acts relating to—S. B. 25—186, 609, 611, 618, 676, 691, 695, 706, 749, 793.

Roads—permits vacation of—A. B. 233—405, 409, 451, 455, 491, 506.

Roads and streets—provides for the protection of, from overflowing water—S. B. 21—185, 338, 610, 667, 691, 694, 706, 748, 792.

S

Schools—permits boards of education in emergency case to do work and purchase without advertising—S. B. 216—310, 340, 342, 374, 376, 500, 566.

Schools—amends general act by changing certain dates—A. B. 57—585, 588.

Schools—provides for moneys where, for crippled children are established—A. B. 85—322, 324, 340, 344, 376, 391.

Schools—provides for transportation of crippled children to and from—A. B. 86—322, 324, 340, 344, 377, 391.

Schools—provides special facilities for instruction of crippled children—A. B. 90—322, 324, 340, 344, 377, 391.

Schools—increases amount allowed superintendents for expenses—A. B. 192—420, 422, 481, 482, 527, 553, 590, 787, 788, 806, 808, 813, 834.

Schools—relates to Teachers' Retirement Fund—A. B. 327—594, 596, 604, 606, 666.

Schools—amends act relative to office of county superintendent of—A. B. 344—623, 625, 641, 649, 669.

Schools—provides for issuing consolidated bonds in certain cases—A. B. 417—658, 661, 806, 808.

Schools—provides for issuing consolidated bonds in certain cases—A. B. 418—658, 661, 806, 808.

Sewers—remedies ambiguity regarding lands not actually abutting line of—A. B. 161—594, 596, 717, 754, 790.

Shade Tree Commission—amends act creating—A. B. 119—354, 358, 451, 453, 486, 506, 556.

State boards—authorizes certain, to fix salaries of secretaries—S. B. 189—283, 523, 527, 572, 641, 770, 836.

State Comptroller—gives power to, to make correction in appropriations—S. B. 258—701, 702, 716, 782, 827, 833, 837.

State Constabulary—creates a—A. B. 100—483, 581, 582, 600, 757, 759.

State Highway Commission—amends act for the establishment of—S. B. 217—310, 362, 368, 373, 430, 494, 629, 670.

State Council of Defense—creates a—S. B. 184—282, 362, 363, 368, 373, 395, 455, 729, 735, 737, 779, 833.

State departments—authorizes, to keep petty cash fund—S. B. 74—206, 216, 217, 246, 249, 269, 271, 340, 365, 369, 391, 560, 591.

State Epileptic Village—authorizes commitments to—S. B. 93—213, 269, 270, 287, 298, 317, 337, 425, 435.

State moneys—supplements act regulating receipt and disbursement of—S. B. 63—195.

State officer—permits Governor to name some, to perform certain detailed work—A. B. 4—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

State officer—permits Governor to name, for the approving of plans, specifications and contracts—A. B. 5—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

State officer—permits Governor to designate, to perform duties in reference to certain State institutions—A. B. 6—219, 220, 235, 240, 255, 280.

State Prison—authorizes keeper of, to keep cash transportation account—S. B. 103—215, 284, 285, 325, 347, 372, 391, 560, 591.

Street railways—authorizes extension of, in cities—S. B. 162—265, 340, 362, 363, 399, 400, 448, 458, 566.

State tax—provides for, of one mill on each dollar of valuation to be applied to the bridge and tunnel fund—A. B. 3—383, 385, 402, 403, 428, 429.

State Treasury—provides for payment of all moneys collected by State institutions into—A. B. 14—404, 406, 451, 454, 488, 503, 566, 730, 731, 783, 821, 834.

Steam boilers—provides for the inspection of—S. B. 209—304, 438, 564, 565, 608, 620, 668, 750, 791.

Steamship companies—authorizes, to receive and transmit money to foreign countries—S. B. 61—194, 235, 239, 257, 292, 304, 338, 411, 414.

Surrogates—regulates fee to be charged by—S. B. 246—439, 479, 481, 482, 527, 581, 668, 751, 792.

T

Taxes—exempts certain municipalities from use of tax maps—S. B. 47—192, 216, 218, 242, 246, 253, 280, 387.

Taxes—supplements act of 1898 concerning unpaid—S. B. 56—193, 216, 218, 235, 246, 252, 280, 598, 599, 672.

Taxes—exempts from, motor vehicles registered with State Commissioner—S. B. 60—194, 272, 287, 298.

Taxes—relates to recording of delinquent taxpayers in townships—S. B. 98—214, 271, 287, 298, 539, 593, 668, 802, 834.

Taxes—repeals "Equalization Bill," Chapter 31, Laws of 1917—S. B. 205—295.

Taxes—exempts from, property used for armory purposes, etc.—S. B. 208—304, 393, 431, 434, 497, 566, 656, 670.

Taxes—exempts persons in military or naval service from personal and poll tax—A. B. 9—219, 220, 235, 240, 254, 280.

Taxes—supplements act concerning collection of arrearage of unpaid—A. B. 38—419, 421, 675, 677, 718, 790.

Taxes—revision of acts for assessment and collection of—A. B. 51—584, 587, 650, 710, 713, 764, 833.

Taxes—relates to sale of real estate for unpaid—A. B. 52—585, 587, 650, 652, 809, 816, 819, 834.

Taxes—re-enacts bank stock tax act of 1914 by changing certain dates—A. B. 56—585, 587, 650, 652, 767, 833.

Taxes—changes dates of certification by corporations and taxing districts to State Board of—A. B. 58—585, 588, 650, 652, 767, 833.

Taxes—changes dates of assessments, excepting as to corporations—A. B. 59—585, 588, 650, 651, 766, 833.

Taxes—authorizes governing bodies to increase salaries of assessors and collectors of—A. B. 61—586, 588, 650, 651, 766, 833.

Taxes—supplements law in relation to, for transfer of property—A. B. 108—354, 357, 451, 454, 488, 506.

Taxes—exempts historical societies from—A. B. 258—595, 598, 649, 651, 702, 743.

Taxes—amends act by exempting certain schools from—A. B. 318—595, 596, 716, 717, 821, 834.

Taxes—relates to sales for delinquent—A. B. 339—542, 547, 568, 570, 622, 669.

Taxes—permits city of Paterson to increase number of tax commissioners—A. B. 368—643, 650, 651, 703, 743.

Taxes—exempt from, birthplace of former President Cleveland at Caldwell—A. B. 391—772, 773, 783, 784, 819, 834.

Taxes—provides for method of fixing certain franchise—A. B. 394—624, 627, 797.

Taxes—provides for apportionment of assessments for—A. B. 414—624, 627, 797, 798.

Tenement houses—permits certain brick houses to be converted into—A. B. 308—686, 689, 710, 754, 790.

Tenement house—defines what a, shall be—S. B. 49—192, 216, 218, 242, 246, 254, 280, 361, 366.

Toll roads—repeals sundry acts relating to—S. B. 26—186, 609, 613, 618, 653, 680, 706, 749, 793.

Town—gives, collector power to appoint an assistant—A. B. 411—658, 660, 667, 668, 785, 834.

Township—amends, act relative to road supervisors—S. B. 169—267, 735, 738, 751, 799, 823, 833, 838.

Townships—relates to the division of, into water districts, etc.—S. B. 200—289, 339, 344, 427, 497, 566, 656, 671.

Townships—regulates street lighting in, companion bill to No. 200—S. B. 201—289, 339, 344, 427, 498, 566, 656, 671.

Townships—amends act of 1889 when, committee is unable to fill vacancy—S. B. 210—305, 368, 399, 400, 452, 506, 656, 670.

Townships—fixes salary of collector of taxes in certain—S. B. 221—311, 412, 413, 431, 434.

Townships—changes date of annual meeting of fire districts in, for making appropriations—A. B. 143—675, 677, 769, 834.

Townships—authorizes appointment of special officers—A. B. 230—405, 409, 528, 529, 577, 641.

Township—allows voters to fix compensation of, committeemen—A. B. 291—421, 424, 717, 779, 834.

Tuberculosis—authorizes chosen freeholders to establish county hospital for, patients—S. B. 174—268, 388, 389, 399, 400, 449, 506, 683, 744.

Tuberculosis—authorizes board of managers of, hospitals to require patients to remain in hospital—A. B. 45—276, 279, 289, 336, 337, 366.

Tuberculosis—permits building of, hospitals in mountain districts of State—A. B. 178—622, 625, 649, 651, 828, 834.

Turnpike roads—repeals act of 1876 relating to—S. B. 27—186, 609, 613, 618, 676, 691, 696, 706, 749, 793.

U

Undertakers—amends law to further regulate—A. B. 167—355, 359, 388, 390, 473, 503, 566.

V

Villages—gives to governing bodies power to appoint police justices in—A. B. 298—406, 410, 582, 583, 635, 669.

W

Wanaque—incorporates borough of—A. B. 423—583, 599, 600, 645, 669.

Water supply—increases membership of district, commission—S. B. 185—282, 504, 527, 571, 641.

Water works—amends act for organization of—A. B. 232—542, 546, 751, 752, 824, 834.

Wedlock—legitimatizes issue born out of—S. B. 137—257, 340, 342, 368, 373, 444.

Weights and measures—establishes a specific weight for standard dry measure and increases penalty for violation of, law—S. B. 67—204, 216, 246, 250, 280, 361, 366.

Weights and Measures—increases salary of State Superintendent of—S. B. 88—212, 269, 270, 287, 298, 299, 317, 337, 366, 425, 434.

Weights and measures—amends, act relative to sale of hay—S. B. 147—262, 340, 343, 368, 373, 439.

Weights and measures—fixes weight of standard ton of coal—S. B. 154—264, 340, 342, 368, 373.

Workmen's Compensation—creates Bureau of—S. B. 8—182, 313, 484, 485, 527, 556, 590, 683, 745.

Workmen's compensation—revises certain portions of, law—S. B. 64—195, 470, 567, 763, 764, 809, 817.

Workmen's compensation—requires employers to pay to the State in certain cases—S. B. 119—238, 373, 374, 399, 400, 522, 527, 607, 668, 749, 790.

Workmen's compensation—reimburses State in defraying certain expenses—A. B. 213—420, 423, 438, 440, 476, 506.

Wrightstown—incorporates borough of—A. B. 271—642, 643, 699, 700, 777, 834.

Wyckoff—incorporates borough of—S. B. 230—326, 346, 368, 373, 397, 455.

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