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OF THE

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MINUTES.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
TRENTON, N. J., January 8th, 1901.

House met at 3 P. M.

This being the day designated for the assembling of the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of New Jersey, the House was duly called to order at 3 o'clock in the afternoon by James Parker, of Passaic county, former Clerk of the House, who presided pending the organization of the House.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. M. Meeker, of Paterson, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page. Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Brown, Mercer, Smith J. B.—3.

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

Resolved, That the reading of the certificates of the election of the respective members be dispensed with.

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

Resolved, That the Hon. Robert M. Boyd, of Essex county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member-elect of this House, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Chester R. Snyder, of Monmouth county, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members-elect.

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

Resolved, That the Hon. Adrian Lyon, of Middlesex county, who is a Master in Chancery and a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when elected.

The following gentlemen presented their certificates of election and took and subscribed to the oath of office:

Atlantic—Charles T. Abbott.

Bergen—Joseph H. Tillotson, James W. Mercer.

Burlington—Charles Wright, John G. Horner.

Camden—William J. Bradley, Ephraim T. Gill, George A. Waite.

Cape May—Lewis M. Cresse.

Cumberland—Jesse S. Steelman, William J. Moore.

Essex—J. Henry Bacheller, William B. Garrabrants, John Howe, Robert W. Brown, Ralph B. Schmidt, Edward E. Gnichtel, William G. Sharwell, Edgar Williams, Frederick Cummings, Robert M. Boyd, Jr., William A. Lord.

Gloucester—William P. Buck.

Hudson—Leon Abbett, P. Anthony Brock, Patrick H. Connolly, John A. Dennin, John J. Fallon, Kilian V. Lutz, Maurice Marks, Edward J. Rice, Peter Stillwell, George G. Tennant, John H. Vollers.

Hunterdon—Warren O. Laudenberger, Oliver I. Blackwell.

Mercer—J. Warren Fleming, George W. Page, Frederick P. Rees.

Middlesex—Adrain Lyon, H. Raymond Groves, John E. Montgomery.

Monmouth—William Hyres, Samuel W. Kirkbride, Charles R. Snyder.

Morris—Samuel L. Garrison, Charles R. Whitehead.

Ocean—Courtney C. Carr.

Passaic—Edmund G. Stalter, Vivian M. Lewis, William B. Davidson, Hiram Keasler.

Salem—Henry J. Blohm.

Somerset—Henry W. Hoagland.

Sussex—Theodore M. Roe.

Union—Ellis R. Meeker, Chester M. Smith, Charles S. Foote.

Warren—Jacob B. Smith, Hiram D. White.

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

Resolved, That the House do now proceed with the election of Speaker and other officers.

Mr. Lewis nominated the Hon. W. J. Bradley, of Camden, for Speaker.

Mr. Waite seconded the nomination of Mr. Bradley.

Mr. Marks nominated the Hon. George G. Tennant for Speaker.

Mr. Abbett seconded the nomination of Mr. Tennant.

Roll was called, with the following result:

For Mr. Bradley—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—42.

For Mr. Tennant—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Smith J. B., Stillwell, Vollers—14.

Mr. Bradley, having received the majority of all the votes of the Assemblymen-elect, he was declared duly elected Speaker.

The Clerk requested Messrs. Tennant and Lewis to conduct the Speaker to the chair.

The committee thereupon escorted Mr. Bradley to the Speaker's chair, where he took and subscribed to the oath of office prescribed by the Constitution of New Jersey.

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

Resolved, That we now proceed to the election of the Clerk of the House.

Mr. Lewis nominated Mr. James Parker, of Passic.

Mr. Marks nominated Mr. Levi Holcomb, of Hunterdon.

Thereupon the roll was called with the following result:

For Mr. Parker—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

For Mr. Holcomb—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—14.

Whereupon Mr. Parker was declared elected Clerk, and took and subscribed to the oath of office aforesaid.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed forthwith by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. William J. Bradley, of Camden county, as Speaker, and Hon. James Parker, of Passaic county, as Clerk, and is now ready to proceed to business, and also to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby directed to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. William J. Bradley, of Camden county, as Speaker, and Hon. James Parker, of Passaic county, as Clerk, and has proceeded to business.

The Speaker appointed the following gentlemen to act as a committee to wait upon the Governor:

Messrs. Foote, Bacheller and Abbett.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 8th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has organized and elected Hon. Mahlon Pitney, of the county of Morris, President, and Walter E. Edge, of the county of Atlantic, Secretary, and is now ready for the transaction of business.

W. E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

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

Resolved, That we now proceed to fill the several positions and that nominations be made and a vote taken for all the positions at one and the same time.

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

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby elected to the several positions set opposite their respective names:

Assistant Clerk—George E. Poole, of Morris county.

Journal Clerk—George J. Coe, of Union county.

Assistant Journal Clerk—William J. Kammerer, of Passaic county.

Supervisor of Bills—Chas. H. Folwell, of Burlington county.

First Assistant Supervisor of Bills—George A. Grover, of Essex county.

Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills—Solomon H. Rogers, of Mercer county.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Frank Tantum, of Monmouth county.

First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—David O. Park, of Ocean county.

Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—J. Francis Barrington, of Somerset county.

Bill Clerk—George P. Powell, of Essex county.

Assistant Bill Clerk—William H. Cole, of Camden county.

Assistant to Clerk of the House—Christopher O'Brien, of Bergen county.

Keepers of Gentlemen's Gallery—Erwin T. West, of Essex county; Howard P. Shaner, of Atlantic county.

Keepers of Ladies' Gallery—Brice P. Walling, of Sussex county; George Higgins, of Camden county.

Doorkeepers—Edward McClintock, John C. Bachellor, Chas. Dussing, Charles P. Schmidt, of Essex county; John P. Arnold, Charles D. Reese, of Union county; George Jordan, of Salem county; Charles A. Schaeffer, Richard A. Peltier, of Middlesex county; Albert Ottinger, Atlantic county; William Peacock, Cumberland county; W. Scott Homans, of Gloucester county.

Pages—John Oestrich, De Witt Bannester, Wm. B. Blackman, Jos. A. McGlynn, of Essex county; John King, Jr., of Passaic county; Wm. Kuse, of Middlesex county; William Voorhees, of Monmouth county; William Morgan, Jr., of Mercer county; Charles J. Keeler, of Mercer county; Luke Vanaman, Cape May county.

Mr. Marks, offered the following resolution, as a substitute, which was read:

Assistant Clerk—Charles E. Harris, of Warren county.

Journal Clerk—John H. Meares, of Hudson county.

Assistant Journal Clerk—George A. Beatty, of Warren county.

Supervisor of Bills—Eugene Cowell, of Hunterdon county.

First Assistant Supervisor of Bills—J. William Miller, of Warren county.

Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills—Marks Sullivan, of Hudson county.

Sergeant-at Arms—Thos. F. Bulger, Hudson county.

First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—John Kitchen, of Warren county.

Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms—Robert V. Kinsley, of Warren county.

Bill Clerk—Orville H. Dilts, of Hunterdon county.

Assistant Bill Clerk—Thomas A. Fountain, of Sussex county.

Assistant Clerk of House—Eugene Hoffman, of Hunterdon county.

Keeper Gents' Gallery—Frederick Parker, of Hunterdon county.

Keeper Ladies' Gallery—John C. Sweeney, of Hudson county.

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Pages—Milton Bamberger, of Hudson county; Abraham Davis, of Hudson county; William J. Boucher, of Hudson county; Joseph Sacks, of Hudson county; William H. Butler, of Hunterdon county; John Dolan, of Hudson county; Harkimer Murphy, of Hudson county; Edward Capple, of Hudson county; Edward Mahler, of Hudson county; Russell Madison, of Hunterdon county,

Which was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—14.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor reported that the Governor would communicate with the House later, in writing.

The committee was discharged with thanks.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Private Secretary, as follows:

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

Gentlemen of the Senate and General Assembly:

The legislative session upon which you now enter is the first of the new century. The result of your labors will equal in importance that of the men who met to make the laws for the State a hundred years ago. In many ways your duties are more trying. Affairs of larger import invite your attention. In number the people have increased nearly tenfold. Their wants are more numerous; their interests are more conflicting. Problems equally delicate, if not more important, demand consideration and solution at your hands

The Union then comprised sixteen States. Our State was thirteenth in point of area and ranked tenth in population. Now the forty-second in size, it is the sixteenth in number of its people, and in density it is third. Its people then were mainly engaged in the pursuits of agriculture. Governmental needs were few and simple. The thirteen counties, sparcely settled, were divided into 110 townships, with a government common to all, simple in form and differing only slightly in details. Few were the cities or towns, and, such as they were, they were not large in population. Now two of our cities each outnumber in population that of the entire State at that time. The counties have increased to twenty-one, and the municipalities now number 425.

The varying forms of government have each their peculiar needs or interests, and preferences demanding your special consideration. The laws for 1801 were fifty-two in number. In 1900 they were 198, notwithstanding the exercise of a watchful care against all useless legislation.

At the beginning of the century the needs of the State government were limited and the number of officers and departments small. Only $25,000, or thereabouts, were sufficient for the needs of the State. This came from taxes directly imposed on the people, the only method then known. We find our supply in other sources. Direct taxes are now levied only for the support of free public schools. How vastly in amount the revenues have increased will appear from the following table:

RECEIPTS OF STATE FUND, 1900.

Board of Fish and Game Commissioners	$125 00
Clerk in Chancery	45,749 23
Clerk of the Supreme Court	44,115 99

Collateral Inheritance Tax		$177,074 54
Commissioner of Banking and Insurance		60,576 13
Commissions		9,330 00
Delaware Bay and Maurice River Cove Oyster Commission		14,757 71
Discharged Convicts		238 50
Dividends		18,870 00
Geological Survey		303 72
Judicial Fees		22,829 54
Secretary of State		404,429 94
Sinking Fund Account		35,000 00
State Board of Health		316 89
State Dairy Commissioner		4,131 40
State House Commission		314 69
State Prison Receipts		91,634 40
Supreme Court		200 00
Spanish-American War		120,018 23
State Tax from Railroad Corporations	$1,112,449 49	
Less amount allotted to taxing districts pursuant to Act approved March 31, 1897	203,619 39	
		908,830 10
Tax from Miscellaneous Corporations		1,494,719 70
A total for the year ending October 31, 1900, of		$3,453,295 71

With an increase in number of the different departments of government, each requiring its quota of officials, and with a rapid growth in the number of objects for which expenditures are demanded by a higher and more complex form of government, the amount annually expended to meet the needs of the State has enormously increased. Last year the public moneys were paid on 105 different accounts, comprising 460 different items, all connected with the orderly management of the State's affairs.

THE ORDINARY DISBURSEMENTS OF STATE FUND

For the year ending October 31, 1900, amounted to	$2,102,113 85

Besides these disbursements there were special and unusual expenses, which were first anticipated in the year preceding, or were incurred in the erection of new or the improvement of old buildings and property of the State. The amount of these expenditures and the purpose for which devoted will appear in the following statement:

EXTRAORDINARY DISBURSEMENTS, 1900.

Rahway Reformatory	$260,000 00
Morris Plains Hospital (new building, etc.)	132,801 76
Newark Armory	50,000 00
State House Extension	46,000 00
Village for Epileptics	34,496 57
Riparian Lands	20,575 52

State Home for Girls (new building, etc.)	$15,000 00
Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and their Wives (Improvements)	12,996 30
Delaware Bay and Maurice River Cove Oyster Commission (Survey)	8,299 34
Home for Feeble Minded Women (new building)	7,002 25
State Home for Boys (new building)	5,000 00
Assembly Committee of Investigation	2,941 38
Palisades	2,500 00
Bradley's New Jersey Citations	1,500 00
Total	$599,115 12

Notwithstanding the large amount of money so paid, the income of the State exceeded its outgo.

RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS.

The gross receipts for the year ending October 31, 1900, were	$3,453,295 71
The gross disbursements for the same year were	2,701,226 97
Showing an excess of receipts over disbursements for the year, of	$752,068 74

This excess, together with the previous balance which the State fortunately possessed, forms a large fund with which it may meet its future liabilities. The size of the fund may be understood from the next statement and the remarks that follow.

THE STATE FUND.

The receipts during the year ending October 31, 1900, were	$3,453,295 71
The balance in Bank November 1, 1899, was	1,253,153 42
The total was	$4,706,449 13
The disbursements, ordinary and extraordinary, for the same time were	2,701,226 97
Showing a balance in bank November 1, 1900, of	$2,005,222 16

The Comptroller estimates that the receipts during the coming year will be $3,009,370. This amount, added to the above balance, will furnish the fund from which to pay the appropriations for 1901, made at the last session, and amounting to $2,234,940.32, and the supplemental appropriations, if any, which you may make.

STATE'S OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS.

Aside from the liability last mentioned, the indebtedness of the State is only $119,000. To meet this it has funds the market value of which is $505,716, and further assets valued at $207,526.45, which constitute a sinking fund.

The comparison of the State's present financial condition with that at the beginning of the century will afford some degree of satisfaction. In due time, when the policy adopted by it is understood and ignorance and prejudice give way to a clearer and less passionate consideration, the full measure of praise will be accorded to those who have directed and shaped its policy in this regard, and judiciously husbanded its resources.

SOME ITEMS CAUSING INCREASE.

As will be seen, the increase in cost of State government has been great. But we are not justified in hastily concluding that there has been an extravagant or unwarranted expenditure. Some explanation for the larger amount required is found in the increase of people, in the greater number of officers now necessary for the efficient conduct of affairs, and in the gradual growth in number of multiplying objects calling for payment. Many of these were unknown at the beginning of the century, and found no place in government. Now they are accepted as necessary for the safe and orderly administration of a progressive State. To abolish some would meet with general disapproval; to discontinue the support of others would either be impossible, or result in disorganization. Enlightened selfishness demands their continuance.

A few may be used to illustrate the proposition, and at the same time indicate how steady has been the progress of the State in all that characterizes a humane, a generous and an enlightened people. The work done, the expense thereof to the State, and the condition of the departments chosen for this purpose will at the same time be seen.

Free common schools, throughout the entire State, were first established in the year 1871. To-day all children, of parents foreign or native, may (and between the years of seven and twelve must) avail themselves of the education there accorded. Three hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred and seventy-five children attended these schools during the year, and $2,333,550 were raised and spent for their education. Nearly $50,000 were spent for the Normal and Model schools, where those intending to teach are taught. The fund —the income of which is used for school purposes—derived from various sources, amounted to $3,690,682 62 at the close of the year.

The School for the Deaf was founded in 1882. At the close of the year 133 pupils were receiving the special training there given, at a cost to the State for the year of $43,000.

For the purposes of industrial education the outlay was $43,-192.80.

When the century began the insane were housed in hovels and huts, with little and insufficient care for their well-being and physical

comfort. Slight or little regard was had for their restoration. They were not then the wards of the State. Now they are confined in asylums and are given the care which humanity demands. The State maintains the indigent. They numbered in October last, in both the State and County Asylums, 4,423, and cost the State the sum of $357,216.79. The buildings where they find shelter and comfort were improved or repaired at the expense of $132,801.76.

In 1801, convicted criminals were, happily, few in number. Whether those confined and unconfined are now greater in proportion to the population is a matter about which opinions differ. Whatever may be the truth, the State then paid less than $6,000 each year for keeping those who were confined. The total number of prisoners last year was 1,591. During the year 500 were discharged, and 1,091 remained at its close within the prison walls. For the support of those convicted there were spent $193,065.65, and for furnishing and repairs to the prison buildings, $11,880.28. The cost was reduced by $91,634.40, which sum represents the earnings of the inmates under the wise and careful management of the prison officials.

The gradual introduction of a more rational and humane treatment of its criminals strikingly indicates the advance of the State along the lines of progress. Now the purpose of confinement is twofold, protection with punishment, *and* reformation, if possible. The State separately confines its younger criminals and incorrigibles of both sexes in institutions especially provided. It established the State Home for Boys in the year 1865, and the State Home for Girls in the year 1871. At the close of the year the inmates in the Home for Boys numbered 378, and in the Home for Girls, 115. For the maintenance of the former, the State paid $57,194.97, and spent $5,000 for improvements. The Home for Girls cost $24,735.90, and a new and much-needed building required $15,000.

For the completion of the Reformatory at Rahway it gave $260,000.

On account of the feeble-minded children and the feeble-minded women, and for the support and education of the blind, the payments during the fiscal year amounted to about $90,000.

One of the largest items of expenditure was that in aid of State roads. Annually $150,000 is spent on this account. The money so used insures comfort in travel and an ease of communication in marked contrast to that which prevailed at the commencement of the century. Few States have shown equal progress in this respect. The example shown by New Jersey has encouraged a movement for better roads throughout the Union, and its plan is being widely followed. The State first loaned its aid in 1892, and its contributions amount to $865,318.55. With the help so given there have been built 520 miles of roads. In the year just closed 83.20 miles were built, and 64.99 miles were in process of construction or under con-

tract for building. Application has been made for aid in the construction of 136 additional miles.

Mention may also be made of the payments on account of the homes for the veteran soldiers, amounting to a little more than $40,000; for the treatment of epileptics, amounting to about $47,000, and to payments more especially in the interest of those engaged in agriculture, on account of the Agricultural Experiment Station, and the State Board of Agriculture, which amounted to about $24,000.

The foregoing are a few only of the many objects which did not exist at the beginning of the century, and for which large annual payments are now necessary and, in most instances, desirable. They are not presented as excuses for a reckless or extravagant disposition of the public funds, but as illustrations of the nature and growth in amount of some of the disbursements. They serve at the same time as a warning. An income so great and so easily collected encourages a tendency to liberality in expenditure. Claims, fancied or real, keep springing up, and are urged with a persistency hard to withstand. An abundant surplus makes extravagance easy. Prudence and a wise foresight demand, in this hour of plenty, a regard for the future. We cannot safely assume that the sources of our income will be always so bountiful. The liberality of the state should be measured by actual wants. Wisely generous it should be, but only in directions strictly limited to the legitimate needs of government.

A balance, reasonable in amount, and of such size as a conservative policy demands, should be retained by the State. All beyond this should be wisely used in reducing burdens of local taxation. The manner in which this can be done is hereinafter indicated, and your favorable action in accordance with the suggestions made with reference thereto is asked.

The purposes and field of work of the various departments of government of the State, and of its boards and commissions and institutions, have been described with minute detail in messages previously communicated. With these you are sufficiently familiar, and a particular description thereof at this time is for that reason deemed unnecessary. A full account of what has been done, and of prevailing conditions and requirements, are fully set out in the several reports which will be laid before you. They furnish all information necessary for your guidance. In the main, they disclose an excellent state of affairs and good results accomplished. This condition is due to the zeal and efficiency of those who are charged with the duty of administration. The promotion of public, rather than partisan, interests seems now to be the standard of conduct in public service, and as a result thereof, great benefit has come.

Beyond what will be required to provide for the ordinary affairs of the State, there seems to be no pressing need for any great amount of legislation. From one point of view, this is a condition upon which

we are to be congratulated. A people prosperous and satisfied with things as they are do not ask for many laws. Preceding Legislatures seem to have established nearly, if not quite, all of the reforms and changes for which there has been any urgent demand.

It is best to let well enough alone. Policies and methods of government which have been recently inaugurated are entitled to a fair trial in order to test the wisdom of their adoption. They should not be abandoned until it be conclusively shown that better can be substituted.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

There are, however, some matters touching the welfare of the State which may well be the subject of your deliberations. Your attention to these, and to the recommendations respecting the same, is invited, and your careful thought and favorable action thereon is urged. It is gratefully remembered that the suggestions made to the preceding Legislature were accorded a generous consideration by that body.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS.

Wisely conducted, these associations encourage and make possible the building of many homes, promote habits of thrift and economy, and afford to the 129,131 shareholders—mainly persons of small means—an opportunity for the profitable investment of their earnings.

These associations are 342 in number, and their net assets or net worth was $47,561,890, of which more than $9,500,000 represented profits to the shareholders. The so-called Local associations were paid last year on account of stock more than $8,000,000, and the State and Nationals nearly $1,500,000. In addition to these sums nearly $3,000,000 were paid to both classes for premiums, fines and fees, making the total amount received by them in one year more than $12,500,000.

In the sixteen State and National Associations the payments for salaries, commissions, etc., were $198,637, and in the 326 local associations they were $147,099. The ratio of such expenses to the total receipts in the former was slightly over 19 per cent., and in the latter about 1.4 per cent. Payments on account of interests, premiums, fines and fees constitute practically all the items of earnings.

Based upon these, the expenses on salary and commission account average about 6 per cent. in the local and over 54 per cent. in the State and Nationals.

It is not herein intended to adversely criticise associations which are conducted fairly and honestly and with a due regard to the safety of their members, but it is apparent that any system which involves

heavy expenses works to the disadvantage of the shareholders. Their just returns are diminished and the burdens which they have assumed are unjustifiably increased.

The employment of paid agents to solicit business and the maintenance of costly establishments, with a corps of high-salaried officers and managers, are features of some of the associations. These clearly have no place in the true building loan scheme.

In some of these associations there are so-called "Expense Fund Contracts." These are contracts made between the associations and one or more of its officers or managers, whereby, in addition to their stated salaries, the latter receive a certain proportion of the payments made by the members.

In one instance the contract provided for the payment to the president of all premiums paid on the sale of a certain class of stock, and a commission equal to three per cent. per annum on all stock payments made by the members on all classes of stock.

Not only have the earnings been exhausted in expenses, but the stock payments have been drawn upon to meet the drain. Consequently when a member has desired to withdraw, or apply the value of his shares in part payment of his loan, he has found that the amount to his credit has been reduced by expense deductions to a sum much below even what he has paid in as dues on his stock. This has been done apparently by authority of the by-laws or articles of association, the true meaning and effect of which have been misunderstood or intentionally misrepresented to the joining member in the zealous effort to increase membership.

As a result of these methods there are frequent instances of hardship and injustice. They are so clearly wrong in principle and injurious in their consequences that legislation ought to be enacted to effectually break them up.

Three associations have already been placed in the hands of receivers for insolvency, the result of excessive expenses for salaries, etc., coupled with bad investments.

Again, the shareholders' meetings in the State and National Associations cannot, in the nature of the case, be truly representative. The members are scattered throughout the State (and elsewhere, in the National Associations) and as a rule cannot afford to take the time or incur the expense of attendance upon the home office, where these meetings are usually held. A large majority of the shareholders are there represented only by proxy, usually held and voted by a director or officer. Some associations have what is generally termed "Permanent Capital Stock." This is only held by members of the Board of Management and such other persons as they may approve, and only those who hold the stock can be elected directors. An easy method is thus afforded to the directors and officers to perpetuate themselves in office, and the associations become in the full sense "close corporations,"

the main body of the members being practically shut out from any participation in the management. The principle of mutual association underlying the building loan scheme is thus entirely lacking.

The exorbitant rates of premium charged borrowers in some associations is a just cause for criticism. The borrower pays not only a gross premium—which is "deducted from the loan," included in the mortgage, and is to be liquidated when his shares reach their full par value—but he pays an installment premium also. Thus premium is charged on premium.

Such a contract, if not usurious, is something very closely akin to it. In any event, it is a most expensive und burdensome arrangement for the borrower. No individual would knowingly enter into it, unless his necessities were great. Unfortunately for their sakes, a great number of shareholders do not and cannot understand the nature of this undertaking, and, of necessity, rely upon the specious and misleading representations of the willing agents of those who promote these associations for their own profit.

Manifestly the statutes under which these corporations are formed are in some instances being perverted, the powers conferred abused, and the interests of the shareholders subordinated to those of the managers. The present laws are loosely drawn, and appear to permit the formation of every variety of such association, with few restrictions of any value. As a result, concerns of doubtful utility, and possessing but few of the characteristics of the genuine building and loan associations, have been organized for the sole purpose of enriching their promoters at the expense of the unfortunate shareholders.

These abuses should be remedied at once, and the provident and thrifty of our State protected. The present statutes should be repealed, and in their stead a new law enacted which will insure a safe, equitable and economical conduct of business, and make impossible the abuses above complained of.

PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION.

The last Legislature passed an act to promote the establishment and efficiency of free public libraries, in accordance with the provisions of which Dr. Ernest C. Richardson, William C. Kimball, M. Taylor Pyne, Dr. Everett T. Tomlinson and Frank P. Hill were appointed members of the New Jersey Public Library Commission. The first report of the Commission has been received and will be transmitted to you.

The Legislature failed to provide funds to meet even the incidental expenses for stationery snd printing, and the Commission are "unable to make such a report of results accomplished as should be possible, in view of the field that is before them and condition of public library

affairs in New Jersey." In the cities of the State, great interest has recently been shown in the subject of public libraries. The work projected by the Commission lies within the smaller towns, of which New Jersey has 129, with a population exceeding 750, that are without a public library of any kind The financial aid to be extended under the act of 1900 is by no means the most important. The Commission will give advice as to the organization of public libraries, the selection and purchase of books, and to library administration generally.

The suggestion of the report that the financial aid to be given to the towns may be limited to $1,500 a year, and be extended over a number of years, will make the expense so small as scarcely to be felt, and if the Commission shall succeed in approaching the record made by Massachusetts and New Hampshire, the benefits to the State cannot fail to be great. If it is to be continued a small appropriation is recommended for incidental expenses to enable it to begin work during the present fiscal year, and consideration should be given to its further needs.

THE SCHOOL LAW AND APPORTIONMENT OF SCHOOL MONEYS.

The revised school law has proven generally satisfactory. Unfortunately, however, it was passed after the appropriations for the then coming year had been made in many districts, and for this reason its provisions in this respect have not had a trial in all of the districts of the State. There seems to be a diversity of opinion as to the operation and correct interpretation of the sections relating to the selection of members of boards of education in municipalities divided into wards. The law should be so amended as to make its language more explicit. The State Superintendent reports that wherever the law has been duly executed in its entirety it has worked smoothly and is giving complete satisfaction.

The present method of apportioning the State school moneys is unsatisfactory. The Commission on Revision of the School Law, in its report presented to the Legislature at its last session, recommended that the taking of the annual school census be abandoned, and that the portion of State school moneys now apportioned among the districts on the basis of school census be apportioned on the basis of actual days' attendance of the pupils enrolled in the public schools.

The school census is expensive and unreliable, and is not an equitable basis of apportionment. That proposed by the commission is inexpensive and reliable, and would give to each district the money to which it was justly entitled for work performed. A most important reason for apportioning the school moneys on the basis of actual days' attendance is that it would prove the best compulsory-

attendance law that can be devised. The recommendation of the commission is commended to your favorable consideration.

STATE HOME FOR GIRLS.

Present accommodations at this Home, for school purposes, make impossible a division into classes such as that adopted in the public schools of the State. Such a gradation is necessary in order to obtain good results. Inmates are now assembled for instruction in two rooms only.

The erection of the school building for which the trustees ask ought to be authorized. It would enable those in charge of the Home to establish grades and permit the promotion of the inmates as progress in their studies warranted.

The report of the Board of Managers discloses the fact that good work is being done at this school, and that the conditions now prevailing there are most excellent. The course pursued by the management and those in authority in withstanding the unreasonable and unreasoning clamor of a year ago has been fully vindicated.

RAHWAY REFORMATORY.

In 1899 the Legislature appropriated a sum sufficient to make the reformatory at Rahway available for the reception and care of not less than 240 inmates. The commissioners report that this has practically been done, and that the institution is now ready for occupancy.

Provision must be made by your honorable bodies for the employment of necessary officers if the buildings are to be used before the close of the year. If nothing be done at this session the opening will be delayed for at least eighteen months, and the beginning of the new method here to be tried in treating juvenile and first offenders will be put off for the same length of time. The proposed plan has been in operation elsewhere and has shown results most surprising in the work of reformation.

The law under which the commission has acted has been sufficient for its purposes, but it needs revision in order to insure a practical scheme. It is crudely drawn, lacks the necessary provisions, and is obscure and conflicting in details. A new and more comprehensive act should be substituted.

PALISADES INTERSTATE PARK.

Grateful acknowledgment is due to the gentlemen who have acted as "Commissioners of the Palisades Interstate Park" for the very sensible and efficient discharge of their duties.

Those appointed on behalf of the State of New York were Nathan F. Barrett, George Walbridge Perkins, D. McNeely Stauffer, Ralph Trautman and J. DuPratt White; and those on behalf of this State were Abram DeRonde, Abram S. Hewitt, Franklin W. Hopkins, William A. Linn and Edwin A. Stevens. They have labored with energy and discretion, and a measure of success gratifying and unexpected has attended their efforts. They now present a plan for the preservation of the Palisades which recommends itself as practical and capable of accomplishment without excessive cost.

The subject has aroused widespread interest in the past, and has received repeated consideration at the hands of previous Legislatures. Nothing practical or feasible was suggested or accomplished until the present Commission undertook the work. Now for the first time the project seems capable of realization, if reasonable aid be given by the States especially interested.

On the part of New Jersey I respectfully urge such legislation and assistance as will facilitate the work so auspiciously begun.

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

In accordance with the request of the authorities in charge of the Pan-American Exposition to be held at Buffalo, New York, during the year 1901, I have appointed as commissioners for New Jersey, Mrs. Henry Elliott Mott, Dr. Mary J. Dunlap, Mr. Richard C. Jenkinson and Mr. Oberlin Smith.

Representatives of the exposition urged co-operation and assistance on the part of the State before the Legislature at its last session. No action was then taken, because the character and success of the undertaking was not fully assured, and it seemed to be one largely local in interest and purpose. Since then, however, a progress has been made such as to justify its friends in the belief that the exposition will equal, and in many respects surpass, all those previously held.

The enterprise is purely American in purpose and scope, and has received substantial aid and encouragement from the governments of the United States and other countries of the western continent. Several States have signified their intention to take part therein.

The advantages to our own State in having a suitable exhibition of its resources and products are manifest, and to defray the expenses thereof a suitable appropriation is recommended.

REVISION OF THE STATUTES.

A recommendation for the revision of the general statutes, which is so necessary, has heretofore been withheld, because the codification

of laws relating to various subjects was in progress. Many of these have been prepared and enacted into laws by preceding Legislatures.

The gentlemen comprising the several commissions have done excellent work. They have harmonized conflicting statutes, caused needless or obsolete laws to be repealed, and combined similar acts with slightly differing provisions. They have secured a clearness and directness in style of expression which is highly commendable.

These condensed and tersely stated acts have been prepared and put into the form of laws since the volumes containing the General Statutes were published. Much contained in those volumes is now useless or misleading, and the time has come when a new revision of the laws should be made.

Judging by the work already done, it is believed that the three volumes, on the 3,700 pages of which are to be found many laws now obsolete, repealed, conflicting or declared unconstitutional, could be reduced to a single book. The re-publication would afford accuracy and convenience.

It is therefore respectfully recommended that a Commission be appointed with full power to do this work, and that a suitable compensation be authorized.

It would be well to start on the twentieth century with a creditable digest of the laws of New Jersey.

JUDICIARY AMENDMENTS.

Repeated efforts have been made during the last few years to adopt amendments to the Constitution providing for the reorganization of the higher courts. These attempts have, unfortunately, failed, because of differences of opinion as to the manner in which the reorganization should be accomplished. Proposed amendments, intended to bring about this result, will be laid before you. The need of reorganization is generally admitted. It is not intended to suggest what form the amendments should take, but it is important that the changes should be made without lessening the dignity and influence of the courts. At the same time the proposed system should insure methods less cumbersome and more expeditious than those now prevailing. It is earnestly hoped that amendments in some form, and embodying in the main these features, will be adopted.

DISTRIBUTION OF SURPLUS.

Your attention has already been called to the condition of the State treasury and the balance therein at the close of the fiscal year. It is difficult to tell exactly how much of this may be strictly termed a

surplus, as it is subject to the charges for appropriations made by the Legislature for expenses of the State government. After deducting these appropriations, however, there is still a balance left in the treasury. Opinions differ as to the best way of disposing of this surplus.

Under Chapter 69 of the laws of 1897 we are distributing to the municipalities annually about $205,000 of the moneys received from railroad taxation, which used to form part of the State's income. Under Chapter 195 of the laws of 1900 we shall this year begin to remit between $150,000 and $200,000 of the revenues formerly received from the tax on franchises of quasi-public corporations. The annual amount appropriated for school purposes has been increased $100,000.

It is doubtful, however, if any of these methods have relieved the burdens of local taxation. This result, it is believed, can be best accomplished by distributing the surplus in the treasury in accordance with the provisions of Section 190 of the Act Establishing a System of Public Instruction, passed last year. Under it the Legislature may appropriate, from year to year, any sum not less than $100,000 toward the payment of the State's school tax. Whatever amount it may thus appropriate will be actually deducted from the tax bill of every individual taxpayer. He will receive an immediate and direct benefit therefrom. When it is considered that in some of the rural districts the State school tax amounts to one-third of the actual taxation, the wisdom of reducing this item is at once apparent.

You are therefore respectfully urged to make as large an appropriation for this purpose as you may think the condition of the treasury will warrant.

THE POLLUTION OF RIVERS AND STREAMS.

Within the past few years the attention of the Legislature has been called to this subject frequently. The condition of the rivers and streams in several localities demands attention. Especially is this true of the valley of the Passaic. The citizens and property-owners in that valley have become alarmed at the foul and polluted condition of the waters of the river. These are now the receptacle and conduit of all the sewage of the cities, towns and villages in the territory which it drains, and of all of the refuse of the numerous factories and manufacturing establishments along its banks.

The valley teems with population, and is by far the most important manufacturing district within the State. The foul condition of the river affects the value of property and threatens the public health. Alarmed by existing conditions, the Board of Trade of the City of Newark has recently selected a committee of representative men from that organization to suggest additional legislation and present the matter for your consideration. Similar action has been taken by

other bodies of like character. The subject is worthy of your most earnest consideration.

Under the limitations of our constitution, it is impracticable for the State to give financial aid to any local improvement of this character.

The State Sewerage Commission, established under the act of March 24th, 1899, has general supervision of this subject within the State. Its powers were extended by the amendments to the act approved March 21st, 1900, but they are not broad enough to meet existing conditions.

The inefficiency of the present legislation seems to arise from two causes:

(1.) The impracticability of securing united action by the different municipalities constituting a single drainage or sewerage district.

(2.) Inadequate provision for obtaining the necessary means to carry out a work of the required magnitude.

To remedy these defects additional legislation is advised, authorizing the creation of sewerage and drainage districts with quasi-municipal power, the appointment within such districts, when created, of commissioners with ample authority to investigate methods, adopt plans, and perform the work—giving the State Board the power of supervision and approval—authorizing the bonding of those municipal divisions for the purpose of providing the necessary means to carry the work into execution, and providing for the payment of the bonds by the imposition of a tax upon the property within the districts created.

Permit me to ask for the suggestions herein contained your careful consideration, believing, as I do, that favorable action thereon will advance the common good.

Recalling with pleasure the harmonious relations that have existed between this department and preceding Legislatures, I beg to extend to you my best wishes for the satisfactory and successful discharge of your duties, assuring you of my willingness to render assistance in every proper way, whenever such help may be invited.

FOSTER M. VOORHEES.

Trenton, N. J., January 8th, 1901.

The question then recurring on the original resolution, it was adopted by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—14.

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

Resolved, That the regular hours of meeting of this House be 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and 8 o'clock in the evening when evening sessions are ordered.

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

Resolved, That the privileges of the floor be and the same are hereby extended to all ex-members of the House.

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

Resolved, That the rules of last House as published in the Legislative Manual of 1900, with the amendments thereto, as printed and published in the Minutes of the Assembly of last year; be adopted as the rules of the House until further ordered.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning next at 10 o'clock, and when then adjourned it be to meet on Monday evening next, at eight o'clock.

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

Resolved, That the Speaker be and he is hereby authorized to appoint a committee of three members of this House, to be known as the Committee on Rules.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to furnish bill-files and minute-files for the use of members and officers of this House.

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

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to procure the attendance of clergymen to open sessions of this House with prayer.

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

Resolved, That four hundred copies of all bills be printed for the use of the members of the House and Senate.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be and he is hereby directed to furnish one hundred copies of Members' Pocket Calendar, Legislature 1901, the same not to exceed in cost one dollar per copy.

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

Resolved, That each member and officer of this House be provided with five hundred "complimentary" slips.

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

Resolved, That the number of copies of the Legislative Manual apportioned by law to the House of Assembly be distributed by the Sergeant-at-Arms as follows: To each member of the House, eighteen copies; to the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Supervisor of Bills and Speaker's Private Secretary, each six copies; to the Assistant to the Clerk, Assistant Journal Clerk, and the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, each four copies; to the Speaker's Assistant Private Secretary and the Bill Clerk, each three copies; to the Assistant Bill Clerk, two copies; to the Assistant Supervisor of Bills, two copies; to the clerks to the committees, doorkeepers, pages and legislative correspondents and to reporters, one copy.

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

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be instructed to furnish the members of the House and the representatives of the press with files of the Senate and House bills, introduced and passed, by title, printed on gummed paper in suitable form for pasting in the pocket calendar.

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

Resolved, That the following committees be allowed a clerk: Judiciary, Revision of Laws, Municipal Corporations, Railroads and Canals, Corporations and Committee on Printed Bills.

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

Resolved, That the same number of copies of the Governor's Message be printed as were printed of the Governor's Message last year.

The Speaker appointed the following committees:

Committee on Rules—Messrs. Lewis, Lyon and Foote.

Committee on Bill Files—Messrs. Smith C. M., Sharwell, Stalter.

Committee on Clergy—Messrs. Fleming, Gill, Roe.

Mr. Lewis moved that the Senate message be received, which was carried.

The Speaker announced the following for his joint and standing committees of the House for the ensuing session:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Agriculture.

Gill, Fleming, Wright, Hoagland, Smith J. B.

Appropriations.

Lewis, Bacheller, Foote, Tillotson, Blackwell.

Banks and Insurance.

Moore, Gill, Gnichtel, Snyder, Abbett.

Bill Revision.

Meeker, Garrison, Davidson, Bacheller, Tennant.

Boroughs and Borough Commissions,

Buck, Cresse, Mercer, Williams, Vollers.

Claims and Revolutionary Pensions.

Abbott, Steelman, Groves, Davidson, Fallon.

Corporations.

Steelman, Smith C. M., Williams, Abbott, Blackwell.

Education.

Garrison, Gnichtel, Tillotson, Davidson, White.

Elections.

Lyon, Garrabrants, Blohm, Mercer, Lutz.

Game and Fisheries.

Blohm, Hyres, Meeker, Brown, Abbett.

Incidental Expenses.

Snyder, Garrabrants, Waite, Whitehead, Stillwell.

Judiciary.

Lewis, Lyon, Snyder, Boyd, Marks.

Labor and Industries.

Montgomery, Moore, Fleming, Howe, Vollers.

Militia.

Carr, Lord, Keasler, Page, Brock.

Miscellaneous Business.

Stalter, Buck, Whitehead, Cummings, Rice.

Municipal Corporations.

Bacheller, Rees, Waite, Stalter, Marks.

Printed Bills.

Wright, Page, Garrison, Schmidt, Smith J. B.

Public Health.

Smith C. M., Schmidt, Cresse, Hoagland, Connolly.

Railroads and Canals.

Kirkbride, Meeker, Montgomery, Cummings, Laudenberger.

Revision of Laws.

Foote, Stalter, Lord, Horner, Tennant.

Riparian Rights.

Rees, Williams, Carr, Roe, Fallon.

Stationery.

Groves, Sharwell, Cresse, Brown, White.

Towns and Townships.

Fleming, Horner, Boyd, Keasler, Rice.

Unfinished Business.

Hyres, Lyon, Sharwell, Roe, Dennin.

Ways and Means.

Rees, Abbott, Howe, Kirkbride, Brock.

JOINT COMMITTEES.

Commerce and Navigation.

Hyres, Moore, Page, Roe, Rice.

Federal Relations.

Lyon, Wright, Garrabrants, Stalter, Marks.

Industrial School for Girls.

Foote, Howe, Garrison, Keasler, Tennant.

Passed Bills.

Rees, Williams, Smith C. M., Wright, Dennin.

Public Grounds and Buildings.

Garrison, Boyd, Carr, Waite, Stillwell.

Printing.

Abbott, Lord, Montgomery, Snyder, White.

Reform School for Boys.

Meeker, Sharwell, Whitehead, Moore, Vollers.

School for Deaf-Mutes.

Gill, Cresse, Steelman, Roe, Fallon.

Sinking Fund.

Snyder, Brown, Mercer, Hoagland, Laudenberger.

Soldiers' Home.

Kirkbride, Schmidt, Groves, Blohm, Connolly.

State Hospitals.

Buck, Gnichtel, Fleming, Carr, Brock.

State Library.

Bacheller, Lyon, Tillotson, Horner, Abbett.

State Prison.

Fleming, Cummings, Groves, Davidson, Blackwell.

Treasurer's Accounts.

Smith C. M., Rees, Lewis, Williams, Smith J. B.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 11, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—3.

Mr. Fleming, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, January 14th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George C. Maddock, of Trenton.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Abbett L., Hoagland, Mercer, Rice—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

WHEREAS, The officials of certain institutions for the care of the insane in a neighboring State have recently been subjected to much public criticism because of the treatment of persons intrusted to their care; and

WHEREAS, the people of the State of New Jersey are entitled not only to have such institutions properly administered, but also to known that they are properly administered; and

WHEREAS, an investigation of any institution in which there is a lack of confidence cannot fail to be productive of good to all concerned; and

WHEREAS, it is currently reported that numbers of persons are illegally restrained of their liberty in the institution known as the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Speaker appoint a committee of five members, with full power and authority to examine and inquire into all and singular the affairs, conduct, control, commitment of alleged insane persons, and all matters connected therewith and relating to the said institution, the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains; that such committee shall be and hereby is authorized to hold sessions at the State House, in Trenton, at the said institution, or elsewhere within this State, to secure the services of a stenographer and clerk, and to send for and require the attendance of all persons in anywise

concerned in said institution, or the matters connected therewith, and to require the production of all books and papers in anywise connected with said institution.

The Sergeant-at-Arms of this Assembly shall be the Sergeant-at-Arms of said committee, and attend thereon.

The said committee shall report to this House the result of its sittings, and any recommendations it may have to offer in the premises, on or before March 4th, 1901.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, Mr. Marks' resolution was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor."

Be it Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey (the Senate concurring:

The following amendment to the constitution of this state be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of assembly and the senate, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals with the yeas and nays thereon and referred to the legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of assembly and the secretary of state.

Add to article four, section four, paragraph three, the following:

The lieutenant-governor shall be president of the senate, but shall have no vote except in case of an equal division; the senate may elect one of their number to be president *pro tempore*, who may act in case of the death, absence or disability of the lieutenant-governor, or in the event of his assuming the duties of governor.

Amend article five by adding thereto a new paragraph, to be numbered fifteen, as follows:

A lieutenant-governor shall be elected for the same term as the governor, and his qualifications and the manner of his election in all respects shall be the same; in case of the removal of the governor from office, or of his death, failure to qualify, resignation, removal from the state, or inability to discharge the powers and duties of the office, the said office, with its compensation, shall devolve upon the lieutenant-governor; the first lieutenant-governor shall be chosen at the first general election to be held after this paragraph takes effect.

The lieutenant-governor shall, by virtue of his office, be president of the boards having charge of the state hospitals for the insane, the state reformatory, the state home for boys and the state home for girls, and such other boards having charge of charitable, reformatory and penal institutions as the legislature may determine.

He shall receive, in addition to his compensation as president of the senate, a compensation which shall be neither increased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected.

He shall, during said period, be ineligible to be elected to the office of governor.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F. Connelly, the Hon. Chas. E. Hill and the Hon. Albert T. Guenther, former members of this House from Essex county.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to establish a state assurance, home and savings fund,"

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. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish–American war, 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 Militia.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (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 of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 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 of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "A supplement to 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," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

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

Mr. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" 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.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of one thousand nine hundred), 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 Education.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,"' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to establish a state normal school in the city of Passaic, in the county of Passaic,

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

Mr. Fallon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act for the protection of the public health,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "An act to prohibit pools, trusts, monopolies and conspiracies to control business and prices of articles; to prevent the formation or operation of pools, trusts, monopolies and

combinations of charters of corporations that violate the terms of this act, and to authorize the institution of prosecutions and suits therefor,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to provide that eight hours of labor in all mechanical trades, arts and employments, and in all trades, professions, callings and departments of labor, and in all manufactories, workshops, mills and other places wherein persons are employed to perform labor for hire and reward, and in all other cases of labor and service by the day, shall constitute and be a legal day's work, unless there be a written contract between the employer and employee to the contrary,"

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

Mr. Laudenberger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

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

Mr. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, 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 Miscellaneous Business.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' and which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "An act to amend an act 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,'"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the taxation of all 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,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to repeal an act 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," approved March twenty third, nineteen 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 23, 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," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to abolish capital punishment,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "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," said amendment having been approved March thirty-first, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Garrabrants, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

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

Mr. Brock, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, 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 Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of the stock of any bank in the township or ward where the bank is situated,"

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. Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, announced the appointment of Benjamin Romaine, of Paterson, as Clerk to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, announced the appointment of Roger W. Erickson, of Plainfield, as Clerk to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, announced the appointment of J. C. F. Keeler, of Spring Lake, N. J., as Clerk to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, announced the appointment of J. Fred. Kiner, of Mt. Holly, as Clerk to the Committee on Printed Bills.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of Committee on Municipal Corporations, announced the appointment of William H. Black, of Newark, as Clerk to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, announced the appointment of B. Frank Buck, of Millville, as Clerk to the Committee on Corporations.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. George B. Snyder, a former member of this House.

The Speaker announced that he had appointed Mr. Upton S. Jeffreys, of Camden, as his Private Secretary, and Mr. Charles Lederman, of Camden, as his Assistant Private Secretary.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor of this House be and it is hereby extended to Hon. Robert S. Hudspeth, a former member and former Speaker of this House, and now Senator from Hudson county.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M. Tuesday, January 15th.

TUESDAY, January 15th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. K. Manning, of Trenton.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Sleelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Boyd, Brock, Fallon, Horner, Mercer, Rice, Smith J. B., Stalter, Tennant—9.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to legitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

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

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Revision),

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

Mr. Abbett L., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled An act for the punishment of crimes'" (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 of the Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "An act making it unlawful for any railroad company of this state, or any railroad company operating or doing business in this state, to enter into any agreement, consolidation or combination for the purpose of governing and controlling charges for transportation of passengers or freight,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 34, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property," ' approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend 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 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. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to life insurance companies doing business in the state of New Jersey, and to the representatives of such companies,' " approved March nineteenth, 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 Banks and Insurance

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to authorize the purchase of lands and the erection and furnishing of city halls in cities,' " approved March nineteenth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 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 Revision of the Laws.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor of the House be extended the Hon. Jacob Clark, a former member of the House.

On motion of Mr. Clark, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 18th, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—

Mr. Page, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, January 21st, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Edgar C. Mason, of Newark.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Rees, Smith J. B., Stalter—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lewis presented a petition, numerously signed, praying for the incorporation of a part of the township of Manchester, in the county of Passaic, to be known as the borough of Haledon.

Said petition was referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James E. Murphy, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Grand Lodge of Master Masons of New Jersey, now about to assemble in this city.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Wiseman, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. T. J. Carroll, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F. Connolly, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Amos W. Harrison, a former member of the House.

Mr. Waite, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

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. Fleming, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate the custody of county jails and of the prisoners therein,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of the state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 46, 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 Elections.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 47, 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 Elections.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 48, 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.

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, 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 Towns and Townships.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sacks, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, 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 Towns and Townships.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, 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 Towns and Townships.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

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

Mr. Tillotson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, 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 Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation hereof,"'" 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 Game and Fisheries.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 59, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation hereof,'" 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 Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 60, entitled "An act to establish a state normal school in the city of Jersey City, in the county of Hudson,"

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

Mr. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the

proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

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

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of free public baths and gymnasiums in the cities 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" 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 of Laws.

Mr. Cummings, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

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

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

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. L. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (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.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

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

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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. Rice, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington, in the county of Hudson,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled "An act to provide for the office of councilman-at-large in incorporated towns of this state, and to prescribe the duties of such official,"

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

Mr. Keasler, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Fallon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act providing that every person, company, partnership, corporation or association of persons of this state, or doing business within this state, shall be liable in damages to employees injured in their employment who have not negligently contributed thereto, although said injury may have been caused by or through the carelessness or negligence of a fellow-employee,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly No. 73, entitled "An act for the protection of discharged employees and to prevent blacklisting and for other purposes,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly No. 75, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly No. 76, entitled "An act in relation to labor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), 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.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act providing for an appeal in proceedings had before courts of oyer and terminer in capital cases wherein it is alleged that a convict became insane after sentence,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled "An act for the protection of the public health,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to provide against combination for the creation of a monopoly, or the unlawful restraint of trade, and the prevention of competition in any necessary of life,"

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which supplement was approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the County of Passaic,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

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

Mr. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries,"

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

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M. on Tuesday, January 22d.

TUESDAY, January 22d, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. L. H. Copeland, of Palmyra, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Smith J. B.—2.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Tillotson offered the following:

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John M. Bell, a former member of the House.

Mr. L. Abbett offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, During the session of the House of Assembly of 1900, a committee of five of its members were duly appointed to inquire into certain charges or rumors of mismanagement of the state institution known as the State Industrial School for Girls (now State Home for Girls); and

WHEREAS, In pursuance of a further resolution of the House of Assembly, adopted at the session of 1900, the report of said committee was delivered to His Excellency the Governor of this State, to be by him delivered to this House; and

WHEREAS, This House was duly organized on the 8th day of January, instant; and

WHEREAS, Said report is still in the possession of His Excellency the Governor; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of this House be and that he is hereby directed to forthwith communicate with His Excellency the Governor and to most respectfully request him to deliver to this House said report of said committee.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, 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 Militia.

Mr. White, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act relating to street railways,"

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. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled "An act to establish a state normal school in the city of Newark, in the county of Essex,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to protect the public health by prohibiting the collection and sale of second-handed bottles or jars, and providing punishment for the violation of the same,"

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. Gill, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the same in this state and their confinement therein,'" 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. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

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. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

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

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

WHEREAS, The time having come for the election of a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey, to fill the full term of six years, commencing on the fourth day of March, 1901, be it

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress relating to such election, the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey do now proceed to the election of a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey for the full term of six years, commencing on the fourth day of March, 1901.

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

Resolved, That nominations for a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey are now in order.

Mr. Gill nominated Hon. William Joyce Sewell.

Mr. Waite seconded the nomination of Hon. William Joyce Sewell.

Mr. Marks nominated Alva A. Clark.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the Speaker then declared the nominations closed.

The roll was then called, with the following result:

For Hon. William Joyce Sewell—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

For Alva A. Clark—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—13.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 11 A. M., Wednesday, January 23d.

WEDNESDAY, January 23d, 1901.

House met at 11 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. James D. Bills, of Pennington.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Fallon, Smith J. B., White—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Resolved, That the House of Assembly of New Jersey has learned with profound sorrow of the death of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and sympathizes with her people in the loss of their beloved sovereign, recognizing in her a good ruler, a model mother and a splendid woman.

Mr. L. Abbett offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the representatives of the people of these United States in Congress, as well as in our State Legislatures, should be chosen by the direct vote of the people; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the United States makes a different provision in regard to the members to compose the Senate of the United States; now, therefore, be it

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That it is the will and wish of the people of the State of New Jersey that paragraph 1 of section 3 of Article I of the Constitution of the United States be amended in such a way that it shall provide that the Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, to be chosen by the legal voters of such State, at an election held for that purpose; and be it further

Resolved, That the representatives of the State of New Jersey, in the Congress of the United States, be and they are hereby requested to advocate such an amendment; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, duly attested by the Clerk of this House, be forwarded to each representative of this State in the Congress of the United States.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. David O. Watkins, former Speaker of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James C. Hunt, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Stern, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward W. Hicks, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F. Connelly, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. T. F. Austin, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Fred. J. Deleot, a former member of the House.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of free public baths and gymnasiums in the cities of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, with amendments;

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of the state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
January 23d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

I am direccted by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to protect planted and seed oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river, Delaware bay and Maurice river cove in this state, and to regulate the taking of the same from said lands."

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

W. E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Blohn moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate bill No. 25 be ordered to have its second reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate bill 25 was then taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Steelman moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to protect planted and seed oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river, Delaware bay and Maurice river cove in this state, and to regulate the taking of the same from said lands,"

Be placed on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to protect planted and seed oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river, Delaware bay and Maurice river cove in this state, and to regulate the taking of the same from said lands,"

Was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Ira W. Wood, a former member of the House.

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

WHEREAS, The hour of 12 o'clock meridian, of Wednesday, the 23d day of January, 1901, having arrived, the time fixed by the act of Congress entitled "An act to regulate the time and manner of holding the election of senators in Congress," for the members of the Senate and General Assembly to convene in joint assembly; be it

Resolved, That the Clerk inform the Senate that the House of Assembly now awaits their presence in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose set forth in the said act of Congress.

The House then went into joint session with the Senate.

After the joint session, the roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Fallon, Smith J. B., White—4.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 25 be allowed to leave the House at once,

Which motion was carried.

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

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of this General Assembly that the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey proposes to hold a memorial service on the 22d of February next in honor of the late Brevet Major-General William S. Stryker, Adjutant-General of New Jersey, and late President of that Society; and

WHEREAS, This General Assembly desires to place upon record its high sense of appreciation of the long, faithful and brilliant services, covering a period of over thirty-three years, rendered New Jersey by General Stryker as an officer, historian and public-minded citizen; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Speaker is authorized, and he is hereby directed to invite the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey to hold such memorial exercises in this chamber.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

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. 61, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of free public baths and gymnasiums in the cities of this state,"

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. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, 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. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' which supplement was approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,"

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. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. 43, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of the state,'" passed April first, 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. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state, to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-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.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 25, 1901.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the followiug gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees.

Mr. Rees, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, January 28th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. H. G. Mendenhall, D.D., of Perth Amboy.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Boyd, Smith J. B., Steelman—3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported that

Assembly Bills 16, 18, 39, 43, 53, 61, 64 and 83 had been correctly printed.

Mr. Montgomery, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Scovel, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John P. Dexheimer, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J. Budhead Woolsey, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William T. Parker, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Carl H. Ruempler, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. L. H. Trimmer, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. George F. Martens, Jr., a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Hinchcliffe, a former Senator and now Mayor of Paterson, the Hon. Joseph S. Lang, the Hon. John Wright and the Hon. John Kane, all of Paterson.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Amos W. Harrison, a former member of the House.

Mr. Waite offered the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, The United States Government has named one of the battleships now in course of construction the New Jersey, and

WHEREAS, It is customary for States honored by the names of war vessels to make acknowledgment of the same by appropriate testimonials, and

WHEREAS, It is neither right nor expedient that the children of the different schools of the State should be taxed for money to contribute toward State affairs, which should be provided for by the State itself, through its official representatives, the Senate and the General Assembly; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that the Governor, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the Secretary of State, and the

Adjutant General be and are hereby constituted a commission to consider what form or forms such testimonial or testimonials should take, the time, manner and place of presenting the same, with the probable expenses incident thereto, and to report their recommendations to the Legislature.

Mr. Stalter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Gnichtel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act to provide for the appropriation and payment to the school fund of any unappropriated yearly balance of the state fund,"

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo in the year 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction (Revision of one thousand nine hundred),'" 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 Education.

Mr. Brock, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities

of this state," approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred nd eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

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. Tillotson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Mr. Carr, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, 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 Borough Commissions.

Mr. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

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

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Mercer, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "An act for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of steam boilers, or steam engines, or steam, wherever used for power by incompetent persons,"

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. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second 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.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year 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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefitted thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Laudenberger, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend 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 Borough Commissions.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of corporations for the construction and operation of pipe lines for the transportation and distribution of petroleum as common carriers, and to regulate the same, and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain thereby for such purpose,"

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

Mr. Stillwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (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 Judiciary.

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

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

Mr. Vollers, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the

erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act requiring all state printing to bear the official stamp of the Allied Printers' Trades Council,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act for the establishment of free public employment bureaus in the cities 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 Labor and Industries.

Mr. Abbett (by request), on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (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 of Laws.

Mr. Garrabrants, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the better security of life and limb in cases of fire in hotels and of buildings,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

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

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act in relation to stamping canned or packed food stuffs,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Fallon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 130, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,'" 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 Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Waite, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

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. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, 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 Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, 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. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was then taken up, read a third time, and passed bythe following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lauden-

berger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —57.

In the negative—None.

Mr Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Be laid over.

Mr. Lord moved that

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 18 was then taken up, read a second time, and amended.

Mr. Bacheller moved that

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Be laid over, which motion was carried.

Mr. Kirkbride moved that

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of the state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

By unanimous consent of the House be withdrawn from the files of Assembly bills, which motion was carried.

Mr. Lewis moved that

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Be laid over, as the introducer of the bill was not in his seat, which motion was carried.

Mr. Marks, moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of free public baths and gymnasiums in the cities of this state,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of free public baths and gymnasiums in the cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Sleelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Lord moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which supplement was approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be taken up on third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 83 was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M. on Tuesday.

TUESDAY, January 29th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. E. E. Madeira.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Boyd, Brock, Smith J. B.—3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate the custody of county jails and of the prisoners therein,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

And

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this states,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to legitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

Favorably, without amendment;

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Without recommendation,

And

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four,

Favorably, with amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. P. H. Shields, a former member of this House.

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

WHEREAS, Jacob B. Smith, who was duly elected a member of this House from the county of Warren, is sick and confined to his home, and has not been qualified as required by the Constitution; therefore be it

Resolved, That Charles R. Snyder be and is hereby authorized to qualify the said Jacob B. Smith as a member of this House, at his home.

Mr. Fleming, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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

Mr. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 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 Education.

Mr. Mercer, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction (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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Was taken up on third reading, and, on motion of Mr. Bacheller, was laid over until the afternoon session.

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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. 42, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate the custody of county jails and of the prisoners therein,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of eighteen hundred and ninety-eight),'" approved June fourteenth, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

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. 29, entitled "An act to ligitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

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. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Was taken up and laid over until Monday, February 4th.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-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. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

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. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

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. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, White—11.

Mr. Lyon moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Be placed back on second reading for amendments,

Mr. Lyon then offered amendments to Assembly Bill No. 39, which were adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

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. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and on motion of Mr. Lord, was amended.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 18 be passed to third reading, which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 18 was then taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Gill, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

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

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House met at 2:30 P. M.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming,

Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Boyd, Smith J. B., Vollers—3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. White offered the following resolution, which was read.

Resolved, That twelve additional legislative manuals be purchased for and allotted to each member of the House of Assembly.

Which resolution, on motion of Mr. Lewis, was referred to the Committee on Incidental Expenses.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 48, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

And

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

And

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Favorably, with amendment; which amendment was adopted.

Assembly No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

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. 48, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Private Secretary, as follows:

Submitting the majority and minority reports of the special committee appointed at the session of 1900 to investigate the charges made against the management of the Industrial School for Girls, together with the testimony in full.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the above reports and testimony were referred to the Committee on the Industrial School for Girls.

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

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. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

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. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

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. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a second time as amended, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 1st, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—3.

Mr. Fleming, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 4th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Charles H. Elder, of Trenton.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Smith J. B., Stillwell, Vollers, Williams—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to legitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate the custody of county jails and of the prisoners therein,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 48, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of eighteen hundred and ninety-eight),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee of Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Sturr, a former member of this House, and Sheriff of Passaic County, Hon. Geo. W. Bobtyl, Hon. John J. Powers, Hon. Edward Morgan, all of Passaic County.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Benj. F. Jones, a former member and Speaker of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. W. Stalter, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. L. Robenstein, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James W. Moylan, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John M. Bell, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry J. Nicklin, a former member of the House.

Mr. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to provide for the revision and consolidation of the public statutes 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

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. Stalter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled

'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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. Gill, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed 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 Public Health.

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 149, 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An concerning proceedings on bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness and the foreclosure and sale of mortgaged premises thereunder,'" approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the amendments thereto,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders to lay out, open and improve public roads,"

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. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages 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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 156, "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,

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

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act respecting surrogates,'" approved March thirty first, eighteen hundred and eighty-two,

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved March twenty-second, 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 Militia.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation thereof,'" 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 Game and Fisheries.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 162, entitled "An act concerning appeals from the decisions of justices of the peace, police justices and recorders in proceedings of a civil nature,"

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

Mr. Dennin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Homer, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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

Mr. Garrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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.

Mr. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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

Mr. Boyd moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennent, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright —56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Flem-

ing, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 4th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

I am direccted by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

And

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, town, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to legitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride,

Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, on leave, reported

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith J. B., Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Foote, Gnichtel, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Lewis, Lord, Montgomery, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter—11.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith J. B., Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—55.

In the negative—

Mr. Snyder—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr Lord moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment,

Which motion was carried..

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

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. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, 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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Be taken up on third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmation were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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. 26, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals,

And

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, 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 Borough Commissions.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until Tuesday, February 5th, at 10:30 A.M.

TUESDAY, February 5th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Sanford M. Nichols, Ph.D., of Penns Grove.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Smith J. B., Steelman, Williams—3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

And

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act relating to street railways,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, That the privilege of the floor of the House be extended the Hon. J. Emil Walshied, a former member of the House.

At 11:15 Mr. Fallon made the following announcement:

Take notice—That, under the rules of the House, and at the proper time, I will move to relieve the Committee on Revision of Laws of the further consideration of

Assembly No. 73, entitled "An act for the protection of discharged employees and to prevent blacklisting and for other purposes."

Mr. Garrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, 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. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (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 of Laws.

Mr. Stillwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Vollers, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "An act for the disposition of unclaimed deposits in savings banks and trust companies,"

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. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven,

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

Mr. Garrabrants, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

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

Mr. Garrabrants asked the unanimous consent of the House that

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Mr. Garrabrants, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

Which 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. 48, 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 third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Fleming, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Lyon, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell—17.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrison, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rice, Smith C. M., Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Wright—32.

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lyon,

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Was recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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 to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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. 52, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act relating to street railways,"

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. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

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. 113, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

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. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

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. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Was taken up, read a second time, and, on motion of Mr. Marks, amended.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Was taken up, read a second time, as amended, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

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

WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, 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 their presence in the Assembly Chamber.

The House then took a recess.

After the joint session, the roll being called, the following members appeared and answered to their names—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Blackwell, Brock, Smith J. B., Williams—4.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERREY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 5th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize colleges and universities to increase the number of their trustees, and providing for the election of such additional trustees,"

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state, located on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof,' approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts or any of them,"

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts and parts of acts relating to the court of errors and appeals, the supreme and circuit courts, the prerogative court, and the inferior court of common pleas,"

And

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House met at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Smith J. B., Williams—3.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

And

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Favorably, without amendment,

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Favorably, with amendment.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor,"

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts and parts of acts relating to the court or errors and appeals, the supreme and circuit courts, the prerogative court, and the inferior court of common pleas,"

And

Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize colleges and universities to increase the number of their trustees, and providing for the election of such additional trustees,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean,"

And

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, That a copy of the resolution tendering the use of this chamber to the Society of the Cincinnati in New Jersey on the occa-

sion of their memorial exercises on February 22d, be engrossed, signed by the Speaker, attested by the Clerk, and sent by the Speaker to the family of the late General Stryker.

Mr. Tillotson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Sharwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

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. Keasler, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to amend 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 Borough Commissions.

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment.

Mr. Davidson then moved an amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Which amendment was adopted.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Favorably, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Meeker

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Was placed on second reading.

Mr. Meeker, moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Be taken up on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves,

Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Tennant, Rice, Lutz, Laudenberger, Dennin, Abbett L.—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards,'" approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Be sent to the Senate at once.

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

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. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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. 121, 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 of 1898),

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. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," approved June fourteenth, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),"

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. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor,"

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. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Was taken up, read a second time as amended, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

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 in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Carr moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean,"

Be taken up on third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time as amended, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

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. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

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. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blohm, Boyd, Foote, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lord—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts and parts of acts relating to the court of errors and appeals, the supreme and circuit courts, the prerogative court, and the inferior court of common pleas,"

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. 3, entitled "An act to authorize colleges and universities to increase the number of their trustees, and providing for the election of such additional trustees,"

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. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Tillotson moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Be taken up on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Tillotson moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Be sent to the Senate at once.

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHHMBER,
February 5th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

WHEREAS, The United States Government has named one of the battleships now in course of construction the New Jersey, and

WHEREAS, It is customary for States honored by the names of war vessels to make acknowledgment of the same by appropriate testimonials, and

WHEREAS, It is neither right nor expedient that the children of the different schools of the State should be taxed for money to contribute toward State affairs, which should be provided for by the State itself, through its official representatives, the Senate and the General Assembly; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that the Governor, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, the Secretary of State, and the Adjutant General be and are hereby constituted a commission to consider what form or forms such testimonial or testimonials should take, the time, manner and place of presenting the same, with the probable expenses incident thereto, and to report their recommendations to the Legislature,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 8th, 1901.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—

Mr. Page, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 11th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. P. T. Packman, D. D., of New Brunswick.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Blohm, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Smith J. B., Vollers—6.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Stalter presented the following petition, numerously signed:

We, the undersigned, residents of that part of Manchester township, in the county of Passaic and State of New Jersey, known as Prospect Park, hereby record our belief that the territory included in said Prospect Park should become a separate borough government; and we hereby petition the Legislature of the State of New Jersey to make such legislation as shall be necessary to carry our said belief and desire into effect.

Dated December 1st, 1900.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Snyder made the following report:

Pursuant to a resolution of this House, adopted January 29th, 1901, on Tuesday, February 5th last, accompanied by Assemblyman White of Warren, and Blackwell of Hunterdon, the undersigned proceeded

to the home of Hon. Jacob B. Smith, at Phillipsburg, Warren county, and duly qualified him as a member of this House of Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

February 11th, 1901. CHARLES R. SNYDER.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James J. Bergen, a former member of the House.

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

WHEREAS, The nomination by the Governor of the Hon. Mahlon Pitney for Supreme Court Justice received immediate confirmation by the Senate,

Resolved, That the House of Assembly recognizes in the elevation of the presiding officer of the Senate an official act which reflects credit upon the Senate and confers honor and distinction upon a gentleman eminently fitted for the bench by education, legal training, experience and ability.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob Rau, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to William R. Close, Joseph S. Lang, John Wright, Rudolph H. Matthias, Abraham Kammerling, Bernard J. Roegiers, Hon. John Hinchliffe, Michael Dunn, Hon. P. H. Shields, Hon. De Witt C. Bolton, George W. Botbyl, Wm. T. Whitmore, John Blauvelt, all of Paterson; Col. John H. Parker, John Kealer, E. N. Kieviett, Henry Myers, all of city of Passaic; David Wickham, of West Milford township; Thomas M. Ryle, of Little Falls township.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Barton B. Hutchinson and Hon. Symmes Hutchinson, former members of this House.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend 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. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act relating to street railways,"

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor,"

Correctly printed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys and to regulate and accept the same,'" approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation," approved March twenty-second, 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testa-

ment of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Cummings, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Orange Mountain, in the county of Essex,"

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

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

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

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (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 the Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900),

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

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 200, 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,

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

Mr. Foote, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

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

Mr. Smith, C. M., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Dennin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of engineers for the operation of stationary steam boilers, steam engines and passenger elevator machinery in cities 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.

Mr. Stillwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the 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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time within which causes shall be decided,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

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

Mr. Brock, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act for preventing the sale of cigarettes, cigarette papers or substitutes for the same, or bringing the same within this state 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. Groves, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor' (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

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

Mr. Rice, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Snyder, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" 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 Municipal Corporations.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), 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 Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Fallon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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 gentleman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen 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 Revision of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (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. Lord moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 48, 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 lost be reconsidered.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 5th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

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

The roll was then called on Mr. Lord's motion, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe,

Hyres, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Tillotson, Waite, Williams, Wright—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Page, Rice, Smith C. M., Stillwell, Tennant, White, Whitehead—18.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

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

Mr. Fallon offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on revision of laws be relieved of the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act for the protection of discharged employees and to prevent blacklisting and for other purposes,"

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Lewis was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Gill

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Stillwell, Tennant, White—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Lutz, White—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

Be taken up on second reading;

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 67, 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-second, nineteen hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 220, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College.

Mr. Marks, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 Judiciary.

At 9:30 Mr. Fallon gave the following notice:

Take notice, that at the proper time and under the rules of the House, I shall move to relieve the Committee on Revision of Laws of the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act for the protection of discharged employes and to prevent blacklisting and for other purposes."

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until Wednesday at 10:30 A. M.

WEDNESDAY, February 13th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. M. J. Coglan, of High Bridge.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Carr, Davidson, Hyres, Keasler, Mercer, Moore, Rice, Smith J. B., Snyder, Tennant, Tillotson—12.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Horner presented the following petition, numerously signed:

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Assembly of New Jersey:

We, the subscribers to this petition, residents and property-owners of the townships of Shamong, Southampton, Woodland and Washington, humbly pray your honorable bodies to grant us a new township, composed of parts of the above-named townships, to be called the township of Tabernacle, in the county of Burlington, believing that the same will conduce to the public good.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty four,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Marks moved that two hundred copies of

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state,'" approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Be printed and distributed,

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

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

Mr. Foote, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 224, 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Roe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 226, entitled "A supplement to 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation hereof,"' approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five," which supplementary act was approved March twenty-second, 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 Game and Fisheries.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to repeal 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation thereof,"' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-first, 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 Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,"' approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 12th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 11, "An act to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials,"

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning clerks of grand juries,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Reviston of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 28, 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,

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same,'" (Revision), approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same can not be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one,"

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "A bill to cede jurisdiction to the United States of America over certain lands in the township of Aquackanonk, in the county of Passaic and state of New Jersey, to be used and occupied as an animal quarantine station, and for the purposes herein specified,"

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor,"

Without amendment.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,

Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 11, "An act to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials,"

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. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,'" approved

March twenty-eight, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, 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 the Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning clerks of grand juries,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sevety-seven,

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

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (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 Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 28, 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,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same'" (Revision), approved April second, 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 Railroads and Canals;

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same can not be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen 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 Banks and Insurance;

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one,"

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

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, "Proposing amendments to the constitution concerning the executive and judiciary,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended on motion of Mr. Lord, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund,"

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. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

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. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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 "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, 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. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

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. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

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. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time as amended, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal sundry acts and parts of acts relating to the court of errors and appeals, the supreme and circuit courts, the prerogative court, and the inferior court of common pleas,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to authorize colleges and universities to increase the number of their trustees, and providing for the election of such additional trustees,"

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants,

Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Horner, Montgomery—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

Correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative was—

Mr. Foote—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmation were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in

criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

The Committee on Soldiers' Home will pay its official visit to the home for soldiers, sailors and marines and their wives, at Vineland, on Wednesday, the twentieth, and the members of the House are cordially invited to accompany the committee.

Arrangements have been made for an inspection of the other two state institutions located there, the training school for feeble minded children and the home for feeble-minded women.

A special car will be attached to the train leaving this city at 7:40 A. M., and the return trip will leave Vineland at 6 P. M., arriving in Trenton about nine o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—46.

Absent—

Messrs. Blackwell, Brock, Carr, Davidson, Hyres, Keasler, Mercer, Moore, Rice, Smith J. B., Snyder, Tennant, Tillotson, Wright—14.

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

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts in this state,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted:

Also

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 28, 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 Aprl eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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. 46, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Waite, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second 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.

Mr. Gill, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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 of Laws.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,'" approved May eleventh, 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

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. Gnichtel, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

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. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities 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 Elections.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations,"

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.

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett, L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams —44.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution creating the office of lieutenant-governor,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative—

Mr. Garrabrants—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Marks moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh,

one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state," ' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—40.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr Marks moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord,

Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—41.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Leave was given Mr. Marks to withdraw

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to regulate and accept the same,'" approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,

From the files of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898), apppoved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—42.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 28, 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,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Foote moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 28, 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,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 28, 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker) Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoag land, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—42.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen 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.

Senate Bill No. 46 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and

making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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. 59, entitled "An act relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one,"

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. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county 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. 48, 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 third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Gill, Hoagland, Horner, Laudenberger, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Vollers, Waite —20.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Cresse, Cummings, Garrabrants, Garison, Gnichtel, Howe, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Schmidt, Stalter, Whitehead, Williams—21.

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

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. 77, as amended, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 92, as amended, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

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. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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. 117, as amended, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

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. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

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. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state,"

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. 191, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 15th, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—3.

Mr. Rees, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 18th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. D. Ruby Warne, of Ewing.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—59.

Absent—

Mr. Smith J. B.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Senate Bill No. 11, "An act to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund,"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any

of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this

state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved March twenty second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same'" (Revision), approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy three,

Favorably, without amendment,

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Fergus Kelaher, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William P. Coursen, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Weseman, a former member of the House, and the Hon. George E. De Camp, Register of Deeds of the county of Essex.

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

Resolved, That a committee of five members of this House be appointed by the Speaker to confer with the Senate Committee in the matter of Congressional apportionment.

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William Exton, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Abram De Ronde, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. O. Armbruster, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. M. L. Glorieux, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. I. Lewis, a former member of the House.

Mr. Lord, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of 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 of Laws.

Mr. Stalter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

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

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled '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 Judiciary.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-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 Banks and Insurance.

Mr. Buck, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

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

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety four,

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. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Tennant, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (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. Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice River Cove,'" approved May eleventh, 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 Game and Fisheries.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was

approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities 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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning landlords and tenants,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Revision),

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

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this state, boards of health and a bureau o 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.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled "An act for the better publication of the annual financial statements of towns, boroughs and townships, and of cities containing a population of less than twelve thousand,"

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

Mr. Steelman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Highwood Park, in the county of Hudson,"

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

Mr. Abbett, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to prevent the unlawful use of and willful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor,"

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. 18, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmation were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 18th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

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Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "An act for the incorporation of the Borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean,"

Without amendment.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and, on motion of Mr. Meeker, re-committed.

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Garrison, Hoagland, Montgomery—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, and, on motion of Mr. Abbett, placed back on second reading for amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, White, Whitehead, Williams,—54.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Horner, Waite—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts in this state,"

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. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state,"

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. 114, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended on motion of Mr. Lord, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), 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. Snyder, moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garra-

brants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 11, "An act to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Fallon moved that the Senate be requested to return to the House

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same."

On motion of Mr. Lewis, Mr. Fallon's motion was laid on the table.

Mr. Fallon moved that the Senate be requested to return to the House

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.

Mr. Lewis moved that this motion be laid on the table,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Tillotson, Williams—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Dennin, Fallon, Howe, Laudenberger, Lutz, Rice, Schmidt, Stillwell, Tennant, White—12.

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill; and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The Speaker appointed the following members to confer with the Senate Committee in the matter of Congressional apportionment: Messrs. Lewis, Foote, Bacheller, Fleming, Gill.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until Tuesday, February 19th, at 10:30 A. M.

TUESDAY, February 19th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. Reed Green, of Millville.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis,

Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Davidson, Sharwell, Smith J. B.—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. O. H. Brown, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William Ossenberg, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. George B. Snyder, a former member of the House.

The Speaker laid before the House the following letter:

The Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey requests the honor of the presence of the members of the New Jersey Assembly at the memorial exercises to their late president, General William Scudder Stryker, LL.D., at the Assembly Chamber, in the State Capitol, Trenton, New Jersey, February 22d, 1901, at twelve noon.

Mr. Lewis moved that the letter be received,

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 149, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sacks, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted:

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act concerning paid fire departments in cities and for the relief of employees thereof,"

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. Waite, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,"'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, 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.

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled "An act for the better regulation of steamboats and steam ferries,"

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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment,

Which motion was carried.

Amendments were then proposed to

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

By Messrs. Williams, Gill and Wright,

Which amendments were adopted.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger,

Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative was—

Mr. Blohm—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials,"

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stillwell,

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Be placed back on second reading, for amendment,

And an amendment to said bill, proposed by the same gentleman, was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

Without amendment.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lutz,

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Cummings, Foote, Williams—4.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Meeker asked that by unanimous consent Assembly Bill No. 234 be withdraw from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities 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 Elections.

Mr. Fleming asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,' " which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks,

Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lyon,

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

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. Lyon moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without

her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 149, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sack, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battle field of Antietam,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

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. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 1:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Blackwell, Brock, Davidson, Smith J. B., Vollers—5.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on the Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

And

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor' (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second-class,"

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Without recommendation.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Correctly printed.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on State Hospitals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the County of Passaic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Steelman, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

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

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled "An act authorizing towns, boroughs and townships to appropriate and donate money for the use and benefit of hospitals 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Roe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

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. Abbett, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen 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 Borough Commissions.

On motion of Mr. Waite,

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Was re-committed.

Senate Bill No. 46, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real

estate for such sites by commission, in case the same can not be purchased by agreement,' " approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stillwell, Waite, White, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Tennant,

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have third reading.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill,

Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assem- has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment,

And the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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 placed back on second reading, for amendment,

And the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Williams moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote;

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks,

Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharewell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lutz,

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks,

Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—

Mr. Stillwell—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Lutz moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Connolly, Dennin, Fleming, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Boyd, Carr, Cummings, Foote, Garrabrants, Lord, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Williams—10.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same'" (Revision), approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judical proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor' (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

As amended,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, amended on motion of Mr. Gill, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same,'" (Revision), approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three,

Was taken up read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Connelly, Dennin, Marks, Stillwell—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 19th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 39, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, February 22d, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—

Mr. Fleming, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, February 25th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. B. C. Lippincott, D.D., of Penns Grove.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Kirkbride, Roe, Smith J. B.—3.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 156, "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors" (Revision of 1901),

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto,

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

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

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to return

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

To the House for further consideration.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sacks, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the County of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 149, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven,

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor'

(Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

And

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

A Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob W. Walsh, of Morris county, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William H. Iszard, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. C. Valentine Baumann, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Andrew J. Boyle, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, That the Supervisor of Bills be and he is hereby directed to have printed two hundred additional copies of

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act concerning paid fire departments in cities and for the relief of employees thereof."

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Byrnes, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Zeller, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, That two hundred extra copies of Assembly Bills Nos. 34, 91, 93 and 214, and four hundred extra copies of Assembly Bill 261 be printed for the use of the members.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn, Hon. Wm. O. Armbruster and Hon. Wm. H. Dodd, former members of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Kristler, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J. Herbert Potts, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. H. Tice, a former member of the House.

Mr. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the

better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

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. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

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. Sharwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to factories and workshops, and the employment, safety, health and work-hours of operatives,'" approved April seventh, 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 Labor and Industries.

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Brock, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (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 Militia.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,'" approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

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

Mr. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to enable boroughs to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

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

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common,"

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 279, 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,

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

Mr. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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,

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

Mr. Keasler, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend 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 Borough Commissions.

Mr. Rees, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 282, entitled "A 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,

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen, common council, or other governing bodies of cities of this state, to create the office of electrical engineer,"

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 Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 25th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires, and

supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,"' passed March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty-second, 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 Reform School for Boys.

Mr. Tennant, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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.

Mr. Cummings, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Verona,"

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

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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,

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

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires, and

supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,"' passed March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Was read for the first time by its title, and, on motion of Mr. Snyder, was passed to second reading without reference.

Mr. Snyder then moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires, and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,"' passed March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires, and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,"' passed March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Was then taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett, L., Abbott C. T, Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors" (Revision of 1901),

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. 5, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto,

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. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

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

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen 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.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission,"

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. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 156, "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks or grand juries in certain counties,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

Senate Bill No 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Lord—2.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Page, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Waite, Williams—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Blohm, Brock, Carr, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Horner, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Moore, Rice, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, White, Whitehead, Wright—23.

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lord,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—

Messrs. Abbett L., Laudenberger—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 261 be sent to the Senate at once.

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until Tuesday, February 26th, at 10:30 A. M.

TUESDAY, February 26th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Jacob Leuppee.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Kirkbride, Page, Smith J. B.—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward Cooper, a former member of the House.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898),

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning clerks of grand juries,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, acting for

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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,

And

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 224, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

At 11:30 Mr. Abbett gave the following notices:

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Revision of Laws be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898);

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Railroads and Canals be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "An act making it unlawful for any railroad company of this state, or any railroad company operating or doing business in this state, to enter into any agreement, consolidation or combination for the purpose of governing and controlling charges for transportation of passengers or freight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,"' approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight;

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Revision of Laws be relieved from the further consideration of the resolution favoring the election of United States Senators by the people;

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Corporations be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 34, 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

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "An act to amend 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;

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Industrial School for Girls be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred;

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move that the Committee on Industrial School for Girls be relieved from the further consideration of the report of the special committee appointed to investigate certain charges or rumors of alleged mismanagement of the State Industrial School for Girls.

Mr. Lutz moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was ordered to have a third reading,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland,

Horner, Howe, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lutz,

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision, 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven,

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. Lutz moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams,—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

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

Mr. Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

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. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act relating to railroad crossings of highways, and for the regulation, alteration and abolition of grade crossings,"

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. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

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. Carr, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, 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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

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

Resolved, That 200 additional copies of

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Be printed.

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading;

After the adoption of amendments proposed by Messrs. Bacheller and Williams,

On the latter of which the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Boyd, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Fallon, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lord, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stillwell, Whitehead, Williams—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Garrabrants, Gill, Groves. Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Stalter, Tennant, Waite—22.

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

WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, 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 their presence in the Assembly Chamber.

The House then took a recess.

After the joint session, the roll being called, the following members appeared and answered to their names—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Kirkbride, Page, Smith J. B., Wright—5.

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

As amended;

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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,

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead humau bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Gill moved that the rules be suspended and that

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

The committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett, L., Connolly—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for a hearing.

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, 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, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr Fallon moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An an act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 224, 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, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898),

As amended,

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. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

On motion of Mr. Marks, was recommitted.

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning clerks of grand juries,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

And

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to repeal a supplement to 'An act respecting any execution,'" which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act conerning taxes,'" approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting railroads and canals" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake,"

Senate Bill No. 16, 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

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Without amendment,

And has concurred in the following resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the House of Assembly, where it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

For further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to repeal a supplement to 'An act respecting any execution,'" which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Was read for the first time by its title, order to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act concerning taxes,'" approved March nineteenth, eighteen 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 Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 the Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting railroads and canals" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals;

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake,"

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

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Kirkbride, Page, Smith J. B.—4.

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

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act concerning taxes,'" approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one,

Favorably, without amendment;

And a committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure."

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "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. 135, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning divorces'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Adversely,

Which adverse report was concurred in by the following votes:

On Assembly Bill 123.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Davidson, Dennin, Gnichtel, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Schmidt, Stillwell, White—12.

On Assembly Bill 135.

In the affirmation were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Connolly, Davidson, Garrison, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lutz, Rice, Stillwell, Vollers, White—13.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

And

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 26th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for

use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of State.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen 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 Banks and Insurance.

On motion of Mr. Tennant

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tennant

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

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. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Snyder—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Keasler, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "An act relative to the time of election of members of boards of chosen freeholders,"

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

Mr. Boyd asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Mr. Tennant asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to provide for the revision and consolidation of the public statutes of this state,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Senate Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Mr. Lord asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House,

Which request was granted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said resolution, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act authorizing cities of the first class in this state to borrow money for municipal purposes, for use during a fiscal year, in anticipation of appropriations, and providing for the repayment thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Tillotson,

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sack, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Mercer, Meeker, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Fallon, Marks, Montgomery, Smith C. M., Stillwell, White—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor' (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Gill,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No, 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery,

Moore, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative was—

Mr. Rees—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker) Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure,"

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled, "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said

act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in

this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

As amended,

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act concerning taxes,'" approved March nineteenth, eighteenth hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until Wednesday, February 27th at 11:30 A. M.

WEDNESDAY, February 27th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. James H. Clarke, of North Spring Lake.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lewis moved a call of the House, with the following result:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state, located on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and

otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof,' approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts or any of them,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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,

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A suuplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assemby Bill No. 224, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Correctly printed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

Favorably, without amendment,

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted,

And

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

And

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice River Cove,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Meeker, Chairman of the Committee on Reform School for Boys, reported

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestate's estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Foote, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and

disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

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

Mr. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a department of banking and insurance,"' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was 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 Banks and Insurance.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to the carrying of freight or express matter by companies owning, leasing or operating steel railways,'" approved March thirtieth, 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 Railroads and Canals.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act repealing the orphans' court, and relating to the power and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates'" (Revision 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 of Laws.

Mr. Mercer, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to have fire drills in schools 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 Education.

Mr. Abbott, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled "An act relating to cities,"

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. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the

counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Which 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 "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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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. Boyd moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judical proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battle field of Antietam,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Howe, Waite—6.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Marks,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Marks,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" 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.

Mr. Marks moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Was lost, be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill,

Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger,

Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 156, "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Lewis Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Williams—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott L., Blackwell, Blohm, Connolly, Fallon, Garrison, Gill, Horner, Laudenberger, Lutz, Mercer, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead—15.

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse Fleming, Foote, Garabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves,

Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lord—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—45.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities in this state,"

In the affirmation were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lyon asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof,' approved March eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Laudenberger, Lutz, Montgomery—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
February 27th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 16, 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,

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same,"

A committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

A committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries,"

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 99, 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,

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the county of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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,

Without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

With Senate amendments.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Be placed back on second reading,

Which motion was carried.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Were then concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Waite, Williams, Wright—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Tillotson—8.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state,"

Be sent to the Governor at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan homestead and building associations,"

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty second, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

And

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 12, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof,'" approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 36, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities in this state, located on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof,' approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts or any of them,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A general act concerning taxes,'" approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety one,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel,

Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 16, 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,

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

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same,"

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

The committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

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. 37, entitled "An act authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries,"

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

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers,'" approved March fifteenth, 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;

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, eighteen 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;

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

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. 99, 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,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (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 of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia;

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the county of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

SATURDAY, March 2d, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—3.

Mr. Page, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

TUESDAY, March 5th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Benjamin F. Buck, Riverside, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Roe, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Brown, Hyres, Laudenberger, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Smith J. B.—9.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lewis presented the following letter, with the resolution which follows it enclosed:

To the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

GENTLEMEN—At the meeting of the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey, held in the Assembly Chamber, February twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and one, the enclosed resolution was unanimously adopted,

Faithfully,
W. T. B. S. IMLAY,
Secretary.

Resolved, That the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey express to the General Assembly of the State their gratitude for their resolution giving them the use of the Assembly Chamber for this day.

Attest: W. T. B. S. IMLAY,
Secretary.

Mr. Fleming presented the following petition, with numerous signatures:

To the Honorable the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

Your humble petitioners, residents and taxpayers of the township of Shamong, in the county of Burlington and State of New Jersey,

petition your honorable body that the division of the township of Shamong is unjust, unfair, and uncalled for by a majority of the taxpayers and residents thereof, and will be an unjust burden of taxes on the inhabitants thereof; and your humble petitioners ask your honorable body to leave the township boundaries as they now are.

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

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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. 278, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common,"

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors" (Revision of 1901),

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to repeal a supplement to 'An act respecting any execution,'" which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same,"

And

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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,

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure,"

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations,"

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice River Cove,'" approved May eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state,'" approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington, in the county of Hudson,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to enable boroughs to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Assembly Bill No 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

And

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Favorably, with amendment.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Snyder, Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled " An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. C. F. Hopkins, a former members of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutshorn, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Charles A. Baker, a former member of the House from Morris county.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Adolphus Ernst, a former member of the House from Ocean county.

Mr. Abbett, L., offered the following resolutions:

Rvsolved, That the Committee on Revision of Laws be relieved from the further consideration of the resolution favoring the election of United States Senators by the people.

Resolved, That the Committee on Industrial School for Girls be relieved from the further consideration of the report of the special committee appointed to investigate certain rumors and charges of alleged mismanagement of said school, and that said report be laid at once before this House.

Which were read and

On motion of Mr. Lewis laid on the table.

Mr. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

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

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

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. Garrison, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument,"

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

Mr. Foote, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

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

Mr. Snyder, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

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

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their 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. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (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. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers,"

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

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

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. Groves, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep"' (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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

Mr. Moore, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

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. Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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. Waite, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled "An act to prevent any person or persons, company or corporation from manufacturing, selling or offering to sell adulterated food products,"

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

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived,"

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

Mr. Lord, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 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 Borough Commissions.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish 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 Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 319, 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Cummings, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

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

Mr. Snyder on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays,"

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. Keasler, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

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

On motion of Mr. Gill,

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was re-committed.

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery,

Moore, Page, Roe, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Fallon—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Garrison moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T, Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore Page, Roe, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—39

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Horner, Lutz, Stillwell—8.

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Roe, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—47.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lord—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Roe, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Dennin, Montgomery, Stillwell—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 5th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled an act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common,"

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state," approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to amend at act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington in the county of Hudson,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to enable boroughs to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven,

And

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county,"

Were 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. Lewis, the House then adjourned until Wednesday, March 6th, 10:30 A. M.

WEDNESDAY, March 6th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. C. Krause, of Williamstown, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

Absent—Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Hyres, Laudenberger, Schmidt, Smith J. B.—6.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

And

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the county of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled "An act to provide for the office of councilman-at-large in incorporated towns of this state, and to prescribe the duties of such official,"

Adversely,

Which adverse report was concurred in.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

And

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

By committee substitute;

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

By committee substitute.

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

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 16, 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

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to have fire drills in schools of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Montgomery, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,"' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act to provide that eight hours of labor in all mechanical trades, arts and employments, and in all trades, professions, callings and departments of labor, and in all manufactories, workshops, mills and other places wherein persons are employed to perform labor for hire and reward, and in all other cases of labor and service by the day, shall constitute and be a legal day's work, unless there be a written contract between the employer and employee to the contrary,"

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act requiring all state printing to bear the official stamp of the Allied Printers' Trades Council,"

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act for the establishment of free public employment bureaus in the cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to factories and workshops, and the employment, safety, health and work-hours of operatives,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,

Without recommendation.

Mr. Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard 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 Game and Fisheries.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Abbett, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,'" approved February twenty-eighth, 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 Elections.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the city of Asbury Park, in the county of Monmouth, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Neptune, 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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

Mr. Rice, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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 was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase,"

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. Gnichtel, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

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

Resolved, That two hundred extra copies of

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Be printed for the use of this House.

Mr. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 331, 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 Revision of Laws.

Mr. Cummings asked that by unanimous consent,

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Orange Mountain, in the county of Essex,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted

Mr. Lord asked that by unanimous consent,

Assembly Bill No. 279, 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,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks. Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Wright moved that the rules be suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,"' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Stillwell,

Assembly Bill No. 77, as amended, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision, approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

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

WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, having arrived, the time fixed for the joint meeting of both Houses of the Legislature;

Resolved, That the Clerk imform the Senate that the House now awaits their presence in the Assembly Chamber.

The House then took a recess.

After the joint session, the roll being called, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Hyres, Laudenberger, Schmidt, Smith J. B.—6.

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second class,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice,

Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors" (Revision of 1901),

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to repeal a supplement to 'An act respecting any execution,'" which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety five,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake,"

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the county of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Assembly Bill No 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks,

Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county,"

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Were 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. Tennant,

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Tillotson asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson, approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hun- and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to have fire drills in schools of this state,"

Were 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. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Hyres, Laudenberger, Smith J. B.—4.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,"' approved March twenty-eight, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted,

And

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled an act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state,"

And

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, "Proposing amendments to the constitution concerning the executive and judiciary,"

Favorably, without amendment;

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,"'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States,"

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Favorably, with amendments,

Which were adopted.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concern-

ing roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which were adopted.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington in the county of Hudson,"

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state," approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to enable boroughs to assist in maintaing hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common,"

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousaud eight hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, with amendment.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A further suppelment to an act entitled 'An act to revise and amend "An act for the taxation of railroad and canal property,"' approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight;

Adversely,

Which adverse report was concurred in;

And

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting railroads and canals" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, with amendment.

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Smith, C. M., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads"' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen 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 Agriculture and Agricultural College.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads"' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and

forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' and which amending act was approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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

Mr. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 334, 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 of Laws.

Mr. Blohm, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, 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 Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Snyder, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 336, 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.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 6th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of

legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gaslight corporations and regulate the same"' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy six," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

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

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gaslight corporations and regulate the same,"' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-eighth, 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 Corporations;

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, 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;

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions;

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Industrial School for Girls;

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

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

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized,'" approved April fifteenth, 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 Municipal Corporations;

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning

landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Fallon moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled, "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Fleming, Rees—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assem- has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Boyd, Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, White, Whitehead, Williams—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Blohm, Gill, Horner, Lutz, Steelman, Waite, Wright—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wright,

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February

twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Wright moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Lutz, Marks, Tennant, White—7.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until Thursday, March 7th, at 10:30 A. M.

THURSDAY, March 7th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Wm. S. Voorhis, D. D., of Trenton, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—51.

Absent—Brock, Gill, Hyres, Laudenberger, Page, Smith J. B., Stillwell, White, Wright—9.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An amendment 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. 303, entitled "An act disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Industrial School for Girls, reported

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 79, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No. 16, 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,

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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,

And

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,"

Were 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. Garrison the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe,

Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead—44.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, "Proposing amendments to the constitution concerning the executive and judiciary,"

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting railroads and canals" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improves rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Garrison moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris,"

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,"' approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States,"

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,"'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hun-

dred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An amendment 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. 303, entitled "An act disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument,"

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

As amended,

And

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act relating to the cities 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Garrabrants, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state,"

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

On motion of Mr. Foote the rules were suspended and

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Foote moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 131, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Be sent to the Senate at once

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Tennant asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "An act to abolish capital punishment,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams —49.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Abbett moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests it concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams —50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Steelman,

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tillotson

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tillotson,

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is an component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, —50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—49.

In the negative was—

Mr. Tillotson—1.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, —50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams —50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Meeker,

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennent, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 7th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act in relation to grade crossings on county roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

With Senate amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships,'" approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes,"

And

Senate Bill No. 176, 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,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes,"

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

And

Senate Bill No. 176, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

The Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to "An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,"' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—50.

In the negative was—

Mr. Meeker—1.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoag-

land, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lord, Page, Smith J. B., Stillwell, Vollers, White—9.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 7th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park,"

Favorably, without amendment,

Senate concurrent resolution, No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution providing for biennial sessions."

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs,"

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state,"

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the supreme and circuit courts" (Revision, 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, in the county of Camden,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution, providing for biennial sessions,"

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

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries;

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state,"

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. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations'" (Revision), 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 Banks and Insurance;

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety six,

Was read for first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College;

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the supreme and circuit courts" (Revision 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" 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 Public Health;

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, 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 Borough Commission;

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to have fire drills in schools of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled "An act relating to cities,"

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

And

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

And

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (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 Education.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a county board of commissioners to equalize assessments for taxes, and defining their powers and duties,'" approved March twenty-second, 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 the Judiciary.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Be returned to this House for the purpose of amendment.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

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

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning clerks of grand juries,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lutz—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Cresse moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 130, entitled "A further supplement to the 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,

Be sent to the Senate at once,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 125, entitled "An act to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the county of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon,

Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker) Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act regulating the graduation of pupils from colleges established for the purpose of teaching human anatomy, human physiology, pathology, chemistry, obstetrics, gynecology, surgery and public hygiene,"

Which 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. 276, entitled "An act to enable boroughs to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and paseed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland,

Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 92, as amended, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to have fire drills in schools of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon,

Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Were concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative was—

Mr. Fallon—1.

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled "An act relating to cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the

provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

After the adoption of an amendment proposed by Mr. Steelman,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety four,

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

And

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act regulating the graduation of pupils from colleges established for the purpose of teaching human anatomy, human physiology, pathology, chemistry, obstetrics, gynecology, surgery and public hygiene,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably, without amendment,

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

And

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a department of banking and insurance,"' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Fallon moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of

this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, March 8th, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees.

Mr. Rees, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, March 11th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. H. E. Gilchrist, of Roselle.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Cresse, Fleming, Gill, Hoagland, Keasler, Lutz, Mercer, Montgomery, Smith J. B.—9.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

And

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state,"

And

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment;

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States,"

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within

its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,"'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"'" which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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. 300, entitled "An act relating to cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument,"

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An amendment 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. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. F. Brandenberg, a former members of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to Judge James J. Murphy, a former member of the House from Hudson county.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Donohoe, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn and Hon. Wm. C. Heppenheimer, former members of the House.

Mr. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to declare unlawful and void all agreements, trusts or combinations made for the purpose of compelling manufacturers of any article of merchandise to sell out or close down or go out of business, and providing penalties therefor,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 345, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location, appropriation and management of certain lands along the Palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the Palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

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

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (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 Education.

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cities,"' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

which amendment was approved March fifth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Abbett, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 348, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of police justices and magistrates in cities, boroughs and other municipalities,"

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. Hyres, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled "An act to enable township committees to encourage the erection of wire fencing along the highways by rebatement of taxes,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Boyd, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships '" (Revision 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 Towns and Townships.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall in the county of Monmouth,"

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

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates," 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. Brown, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled "An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers,"

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

Mr. Stalter, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office,"

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. Horner, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act directing the descent of real estate,'" 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 of Laws.

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove,'" approved May eleventh, one thousaud eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Snyder on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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

On motion of Mr. Bacheller

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T, Garrabrants, Howe, Lewis, Marks, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Steelman, Stillwell, Waite, White, Whitehead—12.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Hyres, Lyon, Page, Rice, Sharwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Williams, Wright—26.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the vote by which the amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was lost be reconsidered;

On motion of Mr. Marks, that motion was laid upon the table.

Mr. Smith, C. M., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties 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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "An act to amend at act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until Tuesday, March 12th, at 10:30 A. M.

TUESDAY, March 12th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Herbert Stanley Smith, of Lambertville, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

Absent—Blackwell, Blohm, Brock, Carr, Cresse, Gill, Hyres, Keasler, Mercer, Smith J. B.—10.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of Committee on Municipal Corporations reported

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase,"

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cities,"' approved

February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine;" which amendment was approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act repealing the orphans' court, and relating to the power and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates'" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 99, 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,

Senate Bill No. 176, 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,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Committee substitutes for

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

And

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted,

And

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lutz, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 360, 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 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-seven, and the operation thereof,"

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

Mr. Meeker, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

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

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 362, 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 Elections.

Mr. Kirkbride, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Allenhurst a part of the township of Ocean in the county of Monmouth,"

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

Mr. Smith C. M., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled "An act limiting the remedy for trespass 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.

Mr. Waite, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend 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 Borough Commissions.

Mr. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 366, 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, eighteen 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Abbett, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 367, 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 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "An act to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Stillwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," 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. Williams asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish 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 Game and Fisheries.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 12th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty four,

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this state,"

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes,"

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer,"

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein,"

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "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 surrogate'" (Revision, 1898), which act was approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts,"

And

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and the

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was 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 Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts,"

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. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

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

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in 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;

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes,"

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

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer,"

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

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals;

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "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 surrogate'" (Revision, 1898), which act was 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 Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the 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.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

Known as

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

After the adoption of an amendment proposed by Mr. Meeker,

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act regulating the graduation of pupils from colleges established for the purpose of teaching human anatomy, human physiology, pathology, chemistry, obsterics, gynecology, surgery and public hygiene,"

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Sharwell,

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to factories and workshops, and the employment, safety, health and work-hours of operatives,'" approved April seventh, 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.

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page,

Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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 passed, be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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 ordered to have a third reading, be reconsidered,

Which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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 placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore,

Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bradley (Speaker), Davidson, Horner, Laudenberger, Marks, Page, Roe, Waite, White, Williams, Wright—12.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Boyd, Brown, Buck, Cummings, Dennin, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Meeker, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Tillotson—18.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel,

Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,"'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

In the negative was—

Mr. Abbett L.—1.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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 third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Mark·, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore,

Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M., on Wednesday, March 13th.

WEDNESDAY, March 13th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Lewis W. Mudge, of Princeton, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

Absent—Brock, Cresse, Garrabrants, Gill, Hyres, Keasler, Smith J. B., White—8.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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. 268, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to factories and workshops, and the employment, safety, health and work-hours of operatives,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five,

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a department of banking and insurance,"' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Favorably, without amendment,

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads

and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

And

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 360, 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 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-seven, and the operation thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled "An act limiting the remedy for trespass in certain cases,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act relating to the cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state,"

And

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, in the county of Camden,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Montgomery, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of the stock of any bank in the township or ward where the bank is situated,"

Adversely,

And

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine,

By committee substitute.

Mr. Marks, moved that the adverse report on

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of the stock of any bank in the township or ward where the bank is situated,"

Be not concurred in.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Brown, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Groves, Howe, Lutz, Marks, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Williams—22.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Stillwell, Whitehead, Wright—29.

Mr. Lord moved that the adverse report be concurred in.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Whitehead, Wright—30.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Groves, Howe, Lutz, Marks, Page, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Williams—21.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 362, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revisions of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Without recommendation,

And

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That both houses of the legislature do adjourn *sine die*, Friday, the twenty-second day of March, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 372 entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

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. Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department,"

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

Mr. Blackwell, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen 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 Public Health.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines,"

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

On motion of Mr. Blackwell,

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Wright—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrison, Lord, Lutz, Meeker, Montgomery, Rice, Smith C. M., Steelman—15.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Tillotson moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,' " approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was lost,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled 'A supplement to "An act concerning roads, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," ' " which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore,

Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Lutz, Stillwell, Tennant—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Meeker moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate cemeteries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, in the county of Camden,"

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this state,"

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein,"

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "A supplement to an act to establish and regulate the state home for boys," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase,"

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act repealing the orphans' court, and relating to the power and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates'" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city

street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office,"

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cities,"' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which amendment was approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Senate Bill No. 99, 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,

Senate Bill No. 176, 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,

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty six,

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 360, 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 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-seven, and the operation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred

inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled "An act limiting the remedy for trespass in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act relating to the cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Were 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. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Cresse, Hyres, Montgomery, Smith J. B., White—5.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act regulating the graduation of pupils from colleges established for the purpose of teaching human anatomy, human physiology, pathology, chemistry, obstetrics, gynecology, surgery and public hygiene,"

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 360, 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 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-seven, and the operation thereof,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled "An act limiting the remedy for trespass in certain cases,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "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 surrogate'" (Revision 1898), which act was approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the supreme and circuit courts" (Revision 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "An act to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes."

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer,"

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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 inforce 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,

Favorably, without amendment;

And

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

Without recommendation.

Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably, with amendments,

Which amendments were adopted;

And

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An amendment to 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 third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 13th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend and correct the title of 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," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act regulating the appointment and promotion of officers and policemen in certain cities and towns of this state,"

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment and defining the powers and duties of commissioners in sewerage and drainage districts created for the purpose of relieving the streams and rivers therein from pollution and preventing the same, and providing for the raising, expenditure and payment of moneys necessary for this purpose,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials, and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes,'"

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act directing the mode of entering judgments on bonds with warrants of attorney to confess judgments" (Revision of 1901),

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to amend an act 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," which supplement was approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "An act to amend 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. 177, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize limited partnership,'" passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven,

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An an act to amend section one hundred and seven, of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof," approved March eight, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and

building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend and correct the title of 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," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "An act regulating the appointment and promotion of officers and policemen in certain cities and towns 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;

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment and defining the powers and duties of commissioners in sewerage and drainage districts created for the purpose of relieving the streams and rivers therein from pollution and preventing the same, and providing for the raising, expenditure and payment of moneys necessary for this purpose,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials, and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes,'"

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 in relation to stamping canned or packed food-stuffs,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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

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

Resolved, That the rule providing for the re printing of all bills be suspended, and that on the third reading of bills the printed copy thereof shall be used in the place and stead of the usual official copy re-print.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House from Hudson county.

On motion of Mr. Marks, the

Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same,"

Were concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White Whitehead, Williams, Wright—

In the negative were—

Messrs. Davidson, Meeker—2.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

The Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty six,

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lutz—1.

On motion of Mr. Snyder,

The Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

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. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state,'" approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T, Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Carr, Davidson, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Tillotson, Whitehead—27.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Buck, Cummings, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Page, Rees, Smith C. M., Tennant, Waite, Williams—20.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

As amended,

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. 79, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt. Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 38, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished,'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Lyon moved that the vote by which

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Lyon,

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Was placed back on second reading, for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 3, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

As amended,

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. 107, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting railroads and canals" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Lord, Meeker—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "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 surrogate'" (Revision, 1898), which act was approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the supreme and circuit courts" (Revision, 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs,"

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 362, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

Assembly Bill No. 369, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "An act to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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,

And

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

Were 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. Davidson,

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

And

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to printed, and to have a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M., Thursday, March 14th.

THURSDAY, March 14th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Linn E. Wheeler, of New Brunswick.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

Absent—Brock, Cresse, Hyres, Rees, Smith J. B., White—6.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Lewis presented the following petition, with numerous signatures:

We, the subscribers hereto, residents of the said borough of Deckertown, do hereby respectfully request that your honorable body will take such measures as may be necessary to change the name of said borough from "The Borough of Deckertown" to "The Borough of Sussex."

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to

authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the power and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates'" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase,"

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act relating to the cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cities,"' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which amendment was approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution, providing for biennial sessions,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 336, 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,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs.'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

WHEREAS, the people of our nation have learned with profound sorrow of the death of Benjamin Harrison, an ex-President of the United States, and one of the most distinguished patriots and statesmen the country has known since its birth; therefore be it

Resolved, That this House of Legislature make known in this way its sense of the public loss sustained in his death.

Mr. Roe, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

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

Mr. Fleming, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbers, and to provide for the sanitary inspection and regulation of their business by boards of health,"

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. Davidson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (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 Education.

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Foote, Montgomery, Smith C. M.—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,"' approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Be read for the third time by its title.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—12.

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue keepers,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—43.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers—10.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Stillwell asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 369, 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,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Cummings,

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to te be printed and to have a third reading.

Mr Cummings moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the members of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen, now in session in this city.

Mr. Lord asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,'" approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Garrison,

A Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Was placed back on second reading for amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 355, entitled "An act concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

Known as

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

On motion of Mr. Gill,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a department of banking and insurance,"' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the House then adjourned until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright.

Absent—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Blohm, Boyd, Brock, Cresse, Garrison, Lyon, Smith J. B., Stillwell.

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

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state,

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gnichtel, acting for

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty four,

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

Assembly Bill No. 362, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight)," approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived,"

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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. 368, entitled "An act to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities of this state,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Wright,

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

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. Wright moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

As amended,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery,

Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C.M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

As amended,

Now known as

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to amend 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, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Gill moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

As amended,

Now known as

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

And

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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,

As amended,

Now known as

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to amend 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 third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Foote, Lord—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled ,An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning cities,"' approved

February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which amendment was approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Tennant—8.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Connolly, Dennin, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Tennant—7.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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,' ap-

proved May eighteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 360, 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 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-seven, and the operation thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Which 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. 364, entitled "An act limiting the remedy for trespass in certain cases,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Cummings, Dennin, Fleming, Horner, Laudenberger, Lord, Lutz, Page, Rees—12.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the delegation from the State Normal School for Girls.

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Hoagland, Howe, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Schmidt, Sharwell, Stalter, Steelman, Waite—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brown, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Foote, Gnichtel, Groves, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Smith C. M., Snyder, Whitehead, Williams—23.

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act entitled "An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,"' approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Tennant—8.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer,"

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts,"

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution, providing for biennial sessions,"

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 336, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson,'" approved April twenty sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;'" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs,'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,"' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state,

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Groves moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Roe moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Smith C. M.—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

Resolved, That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, March 15th, 1901.

At 10:30 o'clock A. M. the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Fleming, Page, Rees—3.

Mr. Fleming, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

MONDAY, March 18th, 1901.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Frederick W. Hock, of Newark.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Cummings, Groves, Moore, Smith J. B.—4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same," ' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,' " approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety;

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,' " approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson,'" approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 336, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five,

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state,"

With House amendment,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

And

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900,) approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend and correct the title of 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," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment,

And

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

And

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Joseph D. Whitaker and Hon. H. C. Laudenslager, former members of this House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Joseph H. Krenrich and the Hon. John Crawford, former members of the Minnesota House, and the Hon. William Ossenberg, a former member of this House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Stetson, Mayor of the City of Orange.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Abram De Ronde, a former member of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Roger F. Murray, the gentleman from Plainfield.

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

Resolved, the Senate concurring, that the Governor be requested to return to this House, where the same originated,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Mr. Lord, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled "An act to prevent the removal, abolition, abandonment or disuse of any railroad station in this state, established and used for a period of five years without the permission of the governing body of the municipality in which such station is located,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths,"

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 gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen 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. Foote offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Robert G. Houston, a former member of the House.

Mr. Wright, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor,"

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Thos. Flynn, a former speaker of the House.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Sydney Scovel, a former member of the House from Camden county.

Mr. Blackwell presented the following petition with numerous signatures:

We, the undersigned, do hereby petition for the passage of

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Introduced by Mr. Blackwell, believing that it will be a benefit to all our citizens, and will in no way interfere with other fish in the river Delaware.

Mr. Bacheller, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first 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. Marks, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of cities of this state,'" approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

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. Tennant, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 388, 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 of Laws.

The same gentleman by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 389, 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures,'" passed June thirteenth, 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Dennin, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-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. Lyon, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

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 gentlemen, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

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

Mr. Hyres, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act providing for actions where the defendant is a non-resident 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 the Judiciary.

Mr. Dennin, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water supply,"

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. Steelman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act authorizing the governor to purchase on behalf of the state of New Jersey certain lands under water in Delaware bay,"

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

At 9:15 Mr. Fallon gave the following notices:

Notice is hereby given that at the proper time, under the rules of this House, I will move the Committee on Public Health be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act for the protection of the public health";

That the Committee on Corporations be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act providing that every person, company, partnership, corporation or association of persons of this state, or doing business within this state, shall be liable in damages to

employees injured in their employment who have not negligently contributed thereto, although said injury may have been caused by or through the carelessness or negligence of a fellow-employee,"

Assembly Bill No. 75, 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,

And

Assembly Bill No. 130, 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;

That the Committee on Judiciary be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "An act to prohibit pools, trusts, monopolies and conspiracies to control business and prices of articles; to prevent the formation or operation of pools, trusts, monopolies and combinations of charters of corporations that violate the terms of this act, and to authorize the institution of prosecutions and suits therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act providing for an appeal in proceedings had before courts of oyer and terminer in capital cases wherein it is alleged that a convict became insane after sentence,"

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

And

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to provide against combination for the creation of a monopoly, or the unlawful restraint of trade, and the prevention of competition in any necessary of life";

That the Committee on Elections be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

That the Committee on Revision of Laws be relieved from the further consideration of

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act for the protection of discharged employees and to prevent blacklisting and for other purposes."

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors at law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Carr, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Fallon, Horner, Hyres, Schmidt, Stillwell, Tennant, White—8.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Steelman

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officer and men employed in said departments,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Steelman

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

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. Steelman moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Lord—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution, providing for biennial sessions,"

1. *Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the following amendments to the constitution of this state be and the same are hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the senate and house of assembly, the said amendments shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the legislature next to be

chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next, being the fifth day of said month, in at least one newspaper of each county, if any be published therein, the said newspapers to be designated by the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of assembly and the secretary of state.

1. Amend Paragraph 3, of Section I, of Article IV, so as to read as follows:

3. Members of the senate and general assembly shall be elected on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November; in the year nineteen hundred and three members of the general assembly shall be elected for the term of one year, and in the year nineteen hundred and four, and every second year thereafter, they shall be elected for the term of two years; each house of the legislature shall meet separately on the second Tuesday in January next after each election for members of the general assembly; the time for holding such elections may be altered by the legislature.

2. Amend Paragraphs 1 and 2, of Section II, of Article IV, so as to read as follows:

1. The senate shall be composed of one senator from each county in the state, elected by the legal voters of the counties respectively for four years, except as provided in the following paragraph.

2. The terms of the senators elected in the year nineteen hundred and two shall be extended to four years from the commencement of their terms; as soon as the senate shall meet after the election to be held in the year nineteen hundred and three, the senators elected in that year shall be divided by lot under the direction of the senate into two classes, as nearly equal as may be; the seats of the senators of one class shall be vacated at the expiration of three years, and of the other class at the expiration of five years; the seats of the senators elected in the year nineteen hundred and four, and of all senators elected thereafter, shall be vacated at the expiration of four years from the commencement of their terms, so that one-half the number of senators, as nearly as may be, shall be elected every second year, at the same time that members of the general assembly are elected; and all vacancies caused by resignation or otherwise shall be filled for the unexpired terms only.

3. Amend Section III, of Article IV, by striking out the word "annually."

4. Amend Paragraph 7, of Section IV, of Article IV, so as to read as follows:

7. Members of the senate and general assembly shall each receive the sum of five hundred dollars for each year of their term, and no other allowance or emolument, directly or indirectly, for any purpose whatever; the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of assembly shall, in virtue of their office, receive an additional compensation equal to one-third of their allowance as members.

5. Amend Paragraph 3, of Article V, so as to read as follows:

3. The term of the governor elected in the year nineteen hundred and four shall be extended to four years from the commencement of

his term, and he shall hold his office until the third Tuesday of January, nineteen hundred and nine; thereafter the governor shall hold his office for four years, to commence on the third Tuesday of January next ensuing his election, and to end on the Monday preceding the third Tuesday of January four years thereafter, and he shall be incapable of holding that office for four years next after his term of service shall have expired, and no appointment or nomination to office shall be made by the governor during the last week of his said term.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—41.

In the negative was—

Mr. Boyd—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants," approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Boyd moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was passed, be reconsidered,

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Feming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith, C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —57.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Boyd,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

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. Boyd moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M.,

Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Boyd moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 18th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Resolved (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, where it originated,

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

For further consideration;

And has concurred in the following resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be requested to return to this House, where it originated,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

For further consideration:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and the following resolution was concurred in:

Resolved, the House concurring, that the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, where it originated,

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

For further consideration.

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker) Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Brock, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act repealing the orphans' court, and relating to the power 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M.,

Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "An act providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their duties,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

After the adoption of an amendment proposed by Mr. Bacheller.

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department,"

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"'" approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, which said supplement was approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M., Tuesday, March 19th.

TUESDAY, March 19th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Peter Carty, of Columbus.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

Absent—Abbett L., Brock, Cummings, Moore, Smith J. B.—5.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall in the county of Monmouth,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act relating to railroad crossings of highways, and for the regulation, alteration and abolition of grade crossings,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "An act relating to the publication of legal advertisements in villages 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 Judiciary.

Mr. Rice, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the organization of the national guard of New Jersey,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and the various supplements thereto,

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

Mr. Tillotson, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the town hip of Teaneck in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood,"

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

Mr. Rees, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state," approved June thirteenth, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Williams, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

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

Senate Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, in the county of Camden,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 99, 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 99, 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 repeal-

ing 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,

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—13.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 63, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connelly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Fleming, Roe, Stillwell—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, White—14.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Fallon—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Steelman moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 39, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "A supplement to an act relative to the supreme and circuit courts" (Revision, 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Laudenberger—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Foote, the Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population

of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety four,

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. Foote moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, White—12.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hyres, Kirkbride, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Wright—20.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brown, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Rees, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Whitehead—25.

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Cummings, Lutz, Moore, Smith J. B., Vollers, White—7.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, acting for Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported a

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

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

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

And

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Abbett L., on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Marks,

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington, in the county of Hudson,"

Was placed back on second reading, for the purpose of a hearing, by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Boyd, Carr, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Groves, Hoagland, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Page, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, White, Wright—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Brown, Buck, Cresse, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Horner, Howe, Lord, Mercer, Schmidt, Williams —14.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative was—

Mr. Boyd—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 337, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act relating to the cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Rice moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to amend 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,

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "An act to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Williams moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "An act for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey,"

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—43.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Fallon, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 75, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto,'" approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Con-

nolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend and correct the title of 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," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries,"

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act relating to railroad crossings of highways, and for the regulation, alteration and abolition of grade crossings,"

As amended, on motion of Mr. Meeker;

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor,"

As amended, on motion of Mr. Wright;

And

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgements recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the State of New Jersey,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Private Secretary,

Which, on motion of Mr. Lewis, was received and read, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
March 19th, 1901.

To the Members of the Senate and General Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—By the constitutional amendment recently adopted, it is provided that no pool selling, book-making or gambling of any kind shall be authorized or allowed within this State, nor shall any gambling device, practice or game of chance prohibited by law at the time of the adoption of the constitutional amendment be legalized.

It is a notorious fact that in certain localities in this State, officers authorized to enforce the laws in this regard do not perform their duty. In some places so flagrant and continuous are the violations of the Constitution and the criminal laws of the State, that the judges of our courts have repeatedly called the attention of the grand juries to the same. They have been unable to suppress the practices and have declared that their failure was due entirely to the supineness or worse of the local authorities. Their efforts have been thwarted by the willful neglect or the connivance of officers whose sworn duty it was to enforce the laws.

In order that there may be some way to reach these cases, I have caused to be prepared a bill which is herewith submitted and the adoption of which is urgently recommended. It will furnish a means to aid the Executive of the State, and others who so desire, to secure a proper enforcement of the laws.

The continuance of these gambling practices is a menance to public and private morals and the suppression thereof is of vital importance to the State. All means must be employed by those in author-

ity to uphold the Courts in suppressing this evil and in maintaining law. The proposed legislation seems to be necessary to that end and its adoption before the close of the present session is respectfully urged. (Signed),

FOSTER M. VOORHEES.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision, 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. Abbott, C. T., on leave, introduced

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same,"

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.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

An amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Proposed by Mr. Abbett, L., was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Whitehead, Williams, Wright—29.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until Wednesday, March 20th, at 10:30 A. M.

WEDNESDAY, March 20th, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Daniel Halleron.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cressee, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

Absent—

Messrs. Connolly, Cummings, Page, Smith J. B., Snyder, Vollers, White—7.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 366, 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 367, 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 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,'"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Favorably, without amendment;

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of this state,'" approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

And

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies;"

Also

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials, and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes,'"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act relating to railroad crossings of highways, and for the regulation, alteration and abolition of grade crossings,"

And

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 4, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment,"

And

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment

of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be, located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time within which causes shall be decided."

Assembly Bill No. 319, 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. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same,"

And

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Tennant, on leave introduced

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

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. Blohm, by request on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "An act for the submission periodically to the legal voters of every municipality the question whether licenses shall be granted to keep inns and taverns and to sell intoxicating and brewed liquors,"

Which was read for the first timeby its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Mr. Abbett L, by request, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled "An act relative to grants of administration to poor and indigent persons,"

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

The same gentleman, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 407, entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to retire improvement certificates when due and to issue bonds in payment therefor,"

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. Meeker, by request, on leave, introduced.

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

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.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 12th, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this

state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

With Senate amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Without amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

With Senate amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the cities of this state,'" approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Assembly Bill No. 191, 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,

Without amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

With Senate amendments;

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be, located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state,

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to incorporate the lower Passaic sewerage and drainage district,"

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment,"

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county,"

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth,"

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A general act concerning taxation,"

Senate Bill No. 188, 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. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to examine into and report upon the proposed abandonment of the Morris canal and all questions relating thereto,"

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "Amendment of an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety seven,

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation,"

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements,"

And

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state."

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia;

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, 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 Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 102, entitled "An act to incorporate the lower Passaic sewerage and drainage district,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

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

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth,"

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

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas,'" 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 Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A general act concerning taxation,"

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, 200, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read for the first time by its title, order to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary;

Senate Bill No. 188, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations;

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof,'" approved April second, 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 Boroughs and Borough Commissions;

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners to examine into and report upon the proposed abandonment of the Morris canal and all questions relating thereto,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals;

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend 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 Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases,'" 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;

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "Amendment of an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions;

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries;

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

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. 114, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation,"

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

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commisssons, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in 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.

Senate Concurrent Resolution, No. 1—

Be it Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), That the following amendments to the constitution of this state be and the same are hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the Senate and House of Assembly the said amendments shall be entered on their journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the legislature next to be chosen, and shall be published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next (being

the fifth day of said month) in at least one newspaper of each county, if any be published therein, the said newspapers to be designated by the president of the Senate, the speaker of the House of Assembly and the secretary of state:

ARTICLE V.

EXECUTIVE.

Insert in lieu of Paragraph 10, a new paragraph, as follows:

10. The Governor, or person administering the government, the Chancellor and the Attorney-General, or two of them of whom the Governor or person administering the government shall be one, may remit fines and forfeitures and grant pardons, after conviction, in all cases except impeachment.

ARTICLE VI.

JUDICIARY.

Insert in lieu of Section II, a new section, as follows:

1. The Court of Errors and Appeals shall consist of a Chief Judge and four Associate Judges or any four of them.

2. In case any Judge of said Court shall be disqualified to sit in any cause, or shall be unable for the time being to discharge the duties of his office, whereby the whole number of Judges capable of sitting shall be reduced below four, the Governor shall designate a Justice of the Supreme Court, the Chancellor or a Vice-Chancellor, to discharge such duties until the disqualification or inability shall cease.

3. The Secretary of State shall be the Clerk of this Court.

4. When a writ of error shall be brought, any judicial opinion in the cause, in favor of or against any error complained of, shall be assigned to the Court in writing. When an appeal shall be taken from an order or decree of the Court of Chancery, the Chancellor or Vice-Chancellor making such decree or order shall inform the Court in writing of his reasons therefor.

5. The jurisdiction heretofore exercised by the Supreme Court by writ of error shall be exclusively vested in the Court of Errors and Appeals; but any writ of error pending in the Supreme Court at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall be proceeded upon as if no change had taken place.

Section IV.

Insert in lieu of Paragraph 1, a new paragraph, as follows:

1. The Court of Chancery shall consist of a Chancellor and such number of Vice-Chancellors as shall be provided by law, each of whom may exercise the jurisdiction of the Court. The Court shall make rules governing the hearing of causes and the practice of the Court, where the same is not regulated by statute.

Section V.

At the end of Paragraph 1, add the following:

The Court may sit in divisions at the same or different times and places.

Strike out Paragraph 3.

Section VI.

Insert in lieu of Paragraphs 1 and 2 the following:

The Court of Common Pleas shall be constituted and held in each county in such manner as may be provided by law.

ARTICLE VII.

CIVIL OFFICERS.

Section II.

Insert in lieu of Paragraph 1, a new paragraph as follows:

1. Judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals, Justices of the Supreme Court, the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellors and the Judges of the Circuit Court and of the Court of Common Pleas shall be nominated by the Governor and appointed by him with the advice and consent of the Senate. All persons now holding any office in this paragraph named, except the Judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals as heretofore existing, shall continue in the exercise of their respective offices according to their respective commissions or appointments. The Judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals, except those first appointed; the Justices of the Supreme Court, the Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellors shall hold their offices for the term of seven years, and shall at stated times receive for their services a compensation which shall not be diminished during the term of their appointments; and they shall hold no other office under the Government of this State or the United States.

The Judges of the Court of Errors and Appeals first appointed shall be appointed one for three years, two for five years and two for seven years. Judges of the Court of Common Pleas shall hold their offices for the term of five years.

Strike out Paragraph 2.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of

this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison. Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stilwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,

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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

As amended,

Be taken up on third reading;

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison,

Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendment.

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials, and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes,'"

Committee substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

And

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Bacheller moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Whitehead, Williams—32.

In the negative—

Messrs. Abbett L, Brock, Dennin, Horner, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Moore, Rees, Rice, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Wright—18.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington in the county of Hudson,"

Assembly Bill No. 366, 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 367, 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 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty six,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,"

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

And

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended and that

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Tennant moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment,"

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county,"

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment

of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state,

And

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker) Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Mercer Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Dennin, Lutz, Tennant—4.

Ordered that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith,"

Be sent to the Senate at once, which motion was carried.

Mr. Blackwell moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was lost, be reconsidered;

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Blackwell moved that

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Blackwell,

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbridge, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None,

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof,"

Were placed on second reading and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —52.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine,

Were placed on second reading, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Foote moved to reconsider the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was lost;

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Smith C. M., Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Williams, Wright—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Dennin, Garrabrants, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Lord, Lutz, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Scharwell, Tennant —13.

On motion of Mr. Lyon, the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole,"

Were placed on second reading, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Garrison, the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "A general act concerning taxes,"

Was placed on second reading, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon,

Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Dennin, Lutz, Stillwell—4.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller, the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Were placed on second reading and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

Absent—Brock, Cummings, Garrabrants, Kirkbride, Lord, Page, Smith J. B., Snyder, Vollers, White—10.

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

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to prevent the unlawful use of and willful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor,"

Favorably, with amendment,

Which amendment was adopted;

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures,'" passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "An act relating to the publication of legal advertisements in villages of this state,"

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A general act concerning taxation,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission,"

And

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements,"

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 230, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofor or hereafter made for a new water supply,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Teaneck in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood,"

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "Amendment of an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Assembly Bill No. 388, 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. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gaslight corporations and regulate the same,"' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

And

Senate Bill No. 188, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kirkbride, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved a call of the House, which motion being carried,

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —50.

Absent—

Messrs. Brock, Cummings, Garrabrants, Kirkbride, Lord, Page, Smith J. B., Snyder, Vollers, White—10.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House.

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

Inasmuch as this session of the Legislature is fast drawing to a close, be it

Resolved, That hereafter the rule which requires that twenty-four hours must elapse before bills which have passed the House shall be sent to the Senate, be suspended, and that the Clerk be directed to forward such bills as are passed by the House to the Senate at the earliest possible moment.

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Mont-

gomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 362, 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bradley (Speaker), Groves, Hoagland, Laudenberger, Montgomery—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,"' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative was—

Mr. Abbott, C. T.—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its conrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Feming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith, C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "A supplement to an act respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe,

Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Meeker

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L , Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers

Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act for the protection of striped bass,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—50.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Schmidt, Smith C. M.—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution, No. 4, entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution,"

BE IT RESOLVED *by the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey (the Senate concurring):*

The following amendment to the constitution of this state be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of assembly and the senate, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals with the yeas and nays thereon and referred to the legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of assembly and the secretary of state:

Amend article four, section seven, paragraph six, by inserting after the words "augment the said fund," the words "and all moneys hereafter received from the sales and rentals of lands under water belonging to this state."

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennent, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—51.

In the negative was—

Mr. Foote—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Foote the rules were suspended and

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absent and absconding debtors" (Revision of 1901),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to repeal a supplement to 'An act respecting any execution,'" which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolley, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 16, 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.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Bohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,"' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety one," which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly had passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized,'" approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenber, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety;

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly,

Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 7, entitled "An act for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 149, entitled "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 surrogate'" (Revision, 1898), which act was approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmate were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 98, entitled "An act authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Groves, Laudenberger—7.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, 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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 403, 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,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes,'" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—49.

In the negative was—

Mr. Abbett, L.—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county,"

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements,"

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "Amendment of an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven,

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A general act concerning taxation,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission,"

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

Senate Bill No. 188, 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. 5, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto,

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of gaslight corporations and regulate the same,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of cities of this state,'" approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time with which causes shall be decided,"

Assembly Bill No. 319, 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 Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to prevent the unlawful use of and willful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "An act relating to the publication of legal advertisements in villages of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Teaneck in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood,"

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities of this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines,"

Assembly Bill No. 388, 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. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures,'" passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Were 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. Wright,

Senate Bill No. 113, entitled "An act to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrigill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 10:30 A. M., Thursday, March 21st.

THURSDAY, March 21st, 1901.

House met at 10:30 A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. G. C. Moulsdale, of Boonton.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

Absent—Messrs. Brock, Connolly, Cummings, Smith J. B., White—5.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases,"

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, acting for Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time with which causes shall be decided,"

Assembly Bill No. 366, 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, eighteen hundred and eighty seven,

Assembly Bill No. 367, 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 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths,"

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,'"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "An act relating to the publication of legal advertisements in villages of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

And

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

Correctly printed.

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

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning judgment debtors,"

And

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898),

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lyon, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported

Senate Bill No. 224, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

And

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Favorably, without amendment;

And a Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No, 109, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Lewis, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No, 409, 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,

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

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 21st, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act concerning appeals from district courts in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the 'southwest line,'"

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of North Haledon, in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 219, 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,

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships,"

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning judgment debtors,"

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to ascertain the rights of the state and 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,

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning partition,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898),

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,"

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend 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. 189, entitled "An act relating to wharves and docks in cities of the third class,"

And

Senate Bill No. 224, 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,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning judgment debtors,"

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

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" 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 Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to ascertain the rights of the state and 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,

Was read for first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Riparian Rights,

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning partition,'" 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 the Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, 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 Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898),

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

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, 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.

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and 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.

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend 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 of Laws.

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "An act relating to wharves and docks in cities of the third class,"

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

Senate Bill No. 224, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senate Bill No. 57, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning savings banks,'" approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the orphans' court, and relatiug 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 21, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes (Revision of 1898),'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott, C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative was—

Mr. Schmidt—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend and correct the title of 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," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 65, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Whitehead, Williams—48.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gill, Howe, Rees, Schmidt, Snyder, Waite—6.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 101, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—51.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Dennin, Fallon—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office,'" approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Vollers, Waite —34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Davidson, Garrabrants, Garrison, Horner, Howe, Laudenberger, Mercer, Montgomery, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stillwell, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams—17.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "An act authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes,'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Crese, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 104, entitled "An act to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 187, entitled "An act to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbett C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stilwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis,

Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Wllliams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. Lewis moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Be taken up on third reading;

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Williams,

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

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. Williams moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

As amended,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Marks,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Marks,

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

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. Marks moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

As amended,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lord—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendment.

On motion of Mr. Foote,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Foote,

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

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. Foote moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 155, entitled "An act relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendment.

On motion of Mr. Foote

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Foote moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relating to a state reformatory,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies;"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Boyd, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Horner, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lord, Marks, Montgomery, Rice, Sharwell, Stalter, Stillwell—15.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2.30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams,—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Cummings, Gill, Smith J. B., White, Wright—5.

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

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers,"

And

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning partition,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Rees, Chairman of the Committee on Riparian Rights, reported

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to ascertain the rights of the state and 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to prevent the unlawful use of and willful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 319, 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. 320, entitled "An act to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell,"

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines,"

Assembly Bill No. 388, 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. 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'Ag act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures,'" passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Teaneck in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood,"

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Correctly printed.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Abbett L., on leave, introduced

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 5, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution providing for the division of the state into senate districts,"

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

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Ginder, a former member of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Davidson,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon,

Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bradley (Speaker), Dennin—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "An act to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall, in the county of Monmouth,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith, C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time within which causes shall be decided,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams,—54.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 367, 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 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Dennin—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections'" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Snyder, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the legislature of New Jersey for the session of 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 Incidental Expenses.

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessment and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment,'" passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative was—

Mr. Stillwell—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Joint Resolution, No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same."

WHEREAS, The titles to the various lands lying under the tidal waters of this state used for the propagation and planting of oysters outside of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove have been and are in constant dispute and litigation, and the oyster industry in general is continually in a disturbed and unsettled condition owing to such disputes;

AND WHEREAS, The state is now and will in all probability continue to be in receipt of a substantial and increasing revenue from its oyster grounds in the Maurice river cove, and the benefits of state control of the oyster industry therein have become apparent;

AND WHEREAS, It is desirable that the state do assume control and supervision of the entire oyster industry of the state along the lines now applicable in the Maurice river cove and Delaware bay, to the end that the title to lands of the state suitable for the propagation of oysters may be assured to its citizens and the lawful occupants thereof, and that the state may derive an adequate revenue from the same;

AND WHEREAS, The constant litigation in the criminal courts involving the conflicting claims to the aforesaid oyster grounds has become the source of great and growing expense to the several counties affected thereby and the need of immediate revision of the laws regulating the oyster industry is urgent; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

1. That the governor be and is hereby authorized to nominate and appoint, with the advice and consent of the senate, five commissioners residents of this state, whose duty it shall be to investigate the matters referred to in the preamble to these resolutions; to ascertain by what title the various occupants of the oyster grounds of the state claim possession to their beds; to investigate the advisability of the state assuming supervision and control of the entire oyster industry thereof and the benefits that might accrue from such state control, both to the commonwealth and to those engaged in the oyster industry, and to ascertain and consider any other matters and things appertaining to such industry and report thereon to the governor before the first day of January next, with such recommendations as to amendment or revision of the laws relating to the subjects so referred to them as they may deem advisable to be made.

2. That said commissioners shall serve without compensation; they shall meet in the senate chamber in the city of Trenton on the second Tuesday in April next, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon; they shall elect from their number a president; they shall have power to adopt their own rules of procedure; they shall have power and authority to employ a stenographer and such clerical assistance as may be necessary for the transaction of their business, and to fix the compensation of such employees; they may employ counsel and fix his fees; the compensation of such employees, the fees of counsel and the actual expenses of said commissioners shall be paid by the state treasurer upon a certificate of the president of the commission, approved by the governor; *provided, however*, that the expense of the said commission, exclusive of necessary printing, shall not exceed the sum of one thousand dollars.

3. That said commission shall have power to summon and compel attendance before them of such persons as they may deem necessary and proper to testify, and any member of said commission may administer an oath to any person so summoned, and witnesses appearing before the said commission shall receive the like witness fees as are now allowed witnesses in any of the courts of this state.

4. That the said commission shall conclude its labors within the time limited aforesaid, and shall report the result of its investigation to the governor in writing, signed by a majority of the said commissioners, together with a recommendation of such amendments to or revision of the laws appertaining to the said industry as they may deem necessary; and it shall be the duty of the governor to transmit such report and recommendations, with such suggestions as he may desire to make, to the next session of the legislature of this state.

5. That this joint resolution shall take effect immediately.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Gar-

rabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class,'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—50.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Meeker,

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

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. 366, 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Abbett L,

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Cummings, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—54.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Davidson, Keasler—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Brown, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrabrants, Hoagland, Howe, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lutz, Moore, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite—24.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Governor, by the hands of his Private Secretary, as follows:

To the House of Assembly:

My attention has been called to the fact that Senate Bill No. 102, creating the Lower Passaic Sewerage and Drainage District, is a local bill and its introduction should have been advertised as required by the Constitution.

As the passage of the bill is deemed of great public importance I have caused to be prepared and forwarded to the Senate, a bill authorizing a single advertisement of this bill. I herewith transmit a copy thereof.

The bill is limited to the passage of legislation authorizing the incorporation of sewerage and drainage districts; and in view of the

fact that public hearings have been given and the public has been fully advised of the object of the bill, no public harm can result from so short a publication.

The enactment of the measure recommended, providing for publication of notice, will not prevent the members of the House from giving a bill embracing the provisions of Senate Bill 102 their full consideration, and they may vote advisedly thereon.

It is respectfully urged that the proposed bill for publication be promptly passed.

(Signed) FOSTER M. VOOHEES,
Governor.

March 21st, 1901.

Mr. Lewis moved that the message from the Governor be received and given due attention,

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Vollers offered the following resolution:

Resolved (the Senate concurring), that

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Be returned to the House of Assembly for further consideration;

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Horner, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, White, Whitehead—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Hyres, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Rees, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Waite, Williams—24.

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases,"

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real

estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers,"

And

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

An amendment to

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

Proposed by Mr. Blohm, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Blohm, the rules were suspended and

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Gill, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lyon, Moore, Smith C. M., Waite, Williams—17.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Howe, Laudenberger, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson—23.

On motion of Mr. Cresse,

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment.

Mr. Lewis moved a call of the House.

Which motion was carried.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cressee, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Cummings, Gill, Hoagland, Keasler, Laudenberger, Moore, Smith J. B., Wright—8.

Senate Bill No. 138, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Kirkbride moved that the rules be suspended and that

Committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled an 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Be taken up on third reading;

Which motion was carried.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connelly, Cresse, Cummings, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz,

Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—53.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hyres, Snyder—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 70, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies,'" approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 224, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

And

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and steets in townships,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Kirkbride moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Meeker asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation of borough government;'" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to

give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898),

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning partition,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Garrison moved that the rules be suspended, and that

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,"

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Boyd, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Page, Rees, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, White—18.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

An amendment to

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to

become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

Proposed by Mr. Cresse, was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Cresse,

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

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. Cresse moved that the rules be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

As amended,

Be taken up on third reading,

Which motion was carried.

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Groves, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Boyd, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Howe, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Schmidt, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—18.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendment.

On motion of Mr. Roe, the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

Were placed on second reading, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—49.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Connolly, Fallon—3.

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to prevent the unlawful use of and willful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor,"

Was taken up, read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbet L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe,

Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—55.

In the negative—Smith C. M.—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 21st, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith,"

With Senate amendments;

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws when notice is required by the constitution,'" approved January twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships,'" passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act relative to recorders of this state,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state,'" approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 217, 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. 219, 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. 221, entitled "An act to provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the national guard in counties of the third class of this state,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the state of New Jersey,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws when notice is required by the constitution,'" approved January twenty-sixth, 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 Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships,'" passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in 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;

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act relative to recorders of this state,'" approved March 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 Municipal Corporations;

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state,'" approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,

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

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for

the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, 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 Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 217, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Corporations;

Senate Bill No. 219, 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the national guard in counties of the third class of this state,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Militia;

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the 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 Education.

Mr. Lewis moved to adjourn until Friday, March 22d, at 10:30 A. M.,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Horner, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Moore, Rice, Stalter, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead—26.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Foote, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Groves, Howe, Hyres, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Williams—27.

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision),

approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Fleming, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lutz, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—42.

In the negative—

Mr. Davidson—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Bacheller moved to adjourn until 8 P. M.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Blohm, Boyd, Brock, Brown, Buck, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Groves, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White, Williams —34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blackwell, Davidson, Fleming, Garrison, Keasler, Lewis, Mercer, Rees, Stalter, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead —13.

The Speaker accordingly declared the House adjourned until 8 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

The House reconvened at 8 o'clock P. M.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garra-

brants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Cummings, Gill, Hoagland, Smith J. B.—4.

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships,'" passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Garrison, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the state of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "An act for the submission periodically to the legal voters of every municipality the question

whether licenses shall be granted to keep inns and taverns and to sell intoxicating and brewed liquors,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws when notice is required by the constitution,'" approved January twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend 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. 219, 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,

Favorably, without amendment;

And a

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

Mr. Blohm, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint Resolution to enforce the payment to the state treasurer by the officers of the Maurice river cove and Delaware bay oyster association of funds in their hands belonging to the state of New Jersey."

WHEREAS, The Maurice river cove and Delaware bay oyster association, organized under the act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act entitled "An act for the better enforcement in Maurice river cove and Delaware bay of the act entitled 'An act for the preservation of clams and oysters,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, and of the supplements thereto,'" has, by force of subsequent legislative enactment, ceased to exist; and

WHEREAS, The officers of said association retain in their hands and refuse to pay over funds which, under the provisions of the laws of

this state regulating the disposition of the funds received by the collector of said association, are made payable to the state treasurer to be applied to the state school fund; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

1. The collector of the oyster fund of the Maurice river cove and Delaware bay oyster association, or such other officer or officers, or any member of the executive committee thereof as may have posession, custody or control of said fund, shall forthwith pay to the treasurer of the state of New Jersey all moneys in his or their hands collected or received under the provisions of any act of the legislature providing for the collection thereof, to be appropriated as provided by the laws regulating the disposition of the same, together with all records, books and documents of said association in anywise relating to the official transactions thereof.

2. In the event of failure on the part of said association, or the collector or any officer thereof, to pay over said funds and to deliver said records, books and documents as herein directed, the attorney-general be and he hereby is authorized and directed to take measures to enforce compliance with the terms of this resolution against the collector or any officer of said association or the bondsmen of any deceased officer or collector thereof.

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 21st, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,"

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex,"

Senate Bill No. 61, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part,'" approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards,"

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible,'" approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Without amendments;

And

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,"

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

With Senate amendments,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions;

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries;

On motion of Mr. Tennant, the Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 17, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Were concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Loudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Stillwell the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities,'" approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Horner, the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 223, entitled "An act to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle,"

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John J. Gardner, a member of Congress from the State of New Jersey.

On motion of Mr. Meeker, the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 156, "An act to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties,"

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon. Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe,

Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant. Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor,"

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 188, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Foote, Garrabrant, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Hyers, Kirkbride, Lewi, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder Stellman, Tillotson, Waite, White, Williams, Wright—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenburger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Schmidt, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Whitehead—15.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bacheller,

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" ap-

proved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight, and the various supplements thereto,

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. Bacheller, the rules were suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Boyd, Brown, Cresse, Foote, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Steelman, Tennant, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Garrison, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Rees, Roe, Snyder, Stalter, Stillwell, Tillotson, Vollers, White, Wright—30.

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lyon, the rules were suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—53.

In the negative—None.

Ordered that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades,'" approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Meeker,

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

As amended,

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. Meeker, the rules were suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Smith C. M., Snyder, Tillotson, Vollers, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Boyd, Brock, Brown, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Howe, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Schmidt, Waite—16.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until Friday, March 22d, at 10:30 A. M.

FRIDAY, March 22d, 1901.

House met at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Milton A. Craft, of Trenton.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—48.

Absent—Brock, Connolly, Cummings, Fallon, Howe, Kirkbride, Marks, Mercer, Roe, Schmidt, Smith J. B., Vollers—12.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

With Senate amendments;

And

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,'" approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption,'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "An act concerning government of cities of the second class of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic,"

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "An act validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning townships'" (Revision 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Without amendments;

And

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator,"

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to perfect the docketing of judgements recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate,"

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No. 160, 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,

And

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend 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 seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator,"

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. 229, entitled "An act to perfect the docketing of judgments recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the

court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate,"

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. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Which was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws;

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was read for the first time by its title, order to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Public Health;

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen 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;

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

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. 160, 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 Towns and Townships;

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend 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 seventeenth, 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 Public Health.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Resolved (the Senate concurring), that

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Be returned to the House of Assembly, for further consideration.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate."

Mr. Wright, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state,"

Correctly printed.

Mr. Fleming, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,"

And

Senate Bill No. 160, 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,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state,'" approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,

And

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Steelman, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 217, 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. 206, entitled "An act to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gill, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, reported

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads"' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Carr, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the national guard in counties of the third class of this state,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Buck, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to perfect the docketing of judgments recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate,"

And

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Foote, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of Laws, reported

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

And

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. C. M. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemetaries'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

And

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend 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 seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stalter, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbers, and to provide for the sanitary inspection and regulation of their business by boards of health,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 336, 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 third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Dennin, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—52.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Lyon asked that by unanimous consent

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state,'" passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Be withdrawn from the files of the House, which request was granted.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment.

On motion of Mr. Tennant,

Assembly Bill No. 388, 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 recommitted.

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures,'" passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fleming, Gill, Laudenberger, Rees, Rice, Stillwell, Waite—11.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Teaneck, in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "A general act to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be printed, and to have a third reading.

Mr. Snyder moved that the vote by which

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Was passed, be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Howe, Keasler, Lutz, Marks, Page, Rice, Schmidt, Stillwell, Vollers—14.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Gill, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Hyres, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Moore, Rees, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Waite, Williams—25.

On motion of Mr. Gill, the Senate amendment to

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use,"

Was concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz,

Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

After the adoption of an amendment proposed by Mr. Davidson,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

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. Davidson the rules were suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Brock, Gill, Groves, Lyon, Moore, Rice, Steelman—9.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lutz, Meeker, Montgomery, Page, Rees, Roe, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, White, Whitehead, Williams—28.

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads"' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen 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.

On motion of Mr. Smith C. M., the rules were suspended, and

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads"' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman. Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships,'" passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws when notice is required by the constitution,'" approved January twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "An act regulating proceedings against garnishees by virtue of a writ of attachment issued by a justice of the peace,"

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend 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. 219, 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 Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to enforce the payment to the state treasurer by the officers of the Maurice river cove and Delaware bay oyster association of funds in their hands belonging to the state of New Jersey,"

Senate Bill No. 160, 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,

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state,'" approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 217, 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. 236, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to perfect the docketing of judgments recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate,"

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator,"

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation,"

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend at act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Committee Substitute for

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries,'" (Revision) approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. '94, entitled "A further supplement to the 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend 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 seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,"

Were 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. Fleming, the rules were suspended, and

Senate Bill No. 160, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, the rules were suspended and

Senate Bill No. 217, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Brock, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Rice, Stillwell, White—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 133, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto,'" approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the national guard in counties of the third class of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the House then adjourned until 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House re-convened at 2:30 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright.

Absent—Messrs. Cummings, Smith J. B.

Mr. Snyder, Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

And

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act relative to recorders of this state," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Resolved, That the rules be suspended, and that all bills that are on second reading be placed on third reading, without motion.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John B. Yard, a former member of the House from Mercer county.

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

Resolved, The privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob Clark, a former member of the House.

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Dennin, Marks, Rice, Stillwell—5.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of architecture,"

Were placed on second reading and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garra-

brants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it,"

Were concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Dennin, Laudenberger—2.

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 302, 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,"

Was taken up and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garra-

brants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No, 200, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision) approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "A general act concerning taxation,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolley, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Bohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly had passed the same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 5, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law,'" approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "Amendment of an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 135, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 86, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—55.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Boyd, Snyder, Williams—3.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Blohm moved that the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

Was lost, be reconsidered;

On which motion the ayes and nays were called, with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley, (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lutz—1.

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—55.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Davidson, Lutz—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 236, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 181, entitled "An act to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmate were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 80, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to ascertain the rights of the state and 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,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to amend 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 seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Lutz, Rees—2.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 156, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner,

Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks. Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerniug partition,'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

Were placed on second reading, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Volllers, Waite, White Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyers, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell,

Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 232, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships,'" passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Buck, Cresse, Hoagland, Montgomery, Whitehead—5.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Boyd, Brock, Brown, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Howe, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, White, Williams, Wright—35.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "An act regulating proceedings against garnishees by virtue of a writ of attachment issued by a justice of the peace,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Resolved, The House of Assembly concurring, that the Governor be requested to return to the Senate, in which it originated,

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning judgment debtors,"

For further consideration,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Senate message was then taken up and

On motion of Mr. Lewis, said Senate Concurrent Resolution was concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire,"

Without amendment;

And

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty third, one thousand nine hundred,

Senate Bill No. 223, 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. 225, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to 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 one," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the state government and for the several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

And

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to tax intestates' estates, gifts, legacies, devises and collateral inheritance in certain cases,"' approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplementary act was approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate."

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

With Senate amendments;

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate."

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

Resolved, That the Senate bills be taken up and considered without reference.

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis,

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to 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 one," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and amendments proposed by Messrs. Lewis, Lyon, and Bacheller were adopted;

Senate Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to 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 one," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—46.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Brock, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—12.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lyon,

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the state government and for the several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the state government and for the several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bachelle, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —45.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—13.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Garrison moved to reconsider the vote by which

Committee substitute for

Senate Bill No 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was lost;

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Blackwell, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrison, Gill, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, Whitehead—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bacheller, Brown, Garrabrants, Gnichtel, Howe, Hyres, Lord, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Williams—12.

Senate Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend 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 third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—57.

In the negative was—

Mr. Rees—1.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 219, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery,

Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking'" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state,'" approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 229, entitled "An act to perfect the docketing of judgements recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation,'"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900),

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Horner,

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 10, 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,

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 227, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend section one of an act entitled 'An act relative to recorders of this state,'" approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L, Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, a recess was taken until 8 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

House re-convened at 8 o'clock.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following gentlemen appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

Absent—

Messrs. Cummings, Smith J. B.—2.

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Was taken up, read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connelly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Snyder, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 359, 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the operation thereof,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright —58.

In the negative—None.

Senate Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the docketing of judgements recovered in the

courts for the trial of small causes in the State of New Jersey,'" approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The Senate amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the drainage of lands,'" approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one,

Was taken up, read a third time, and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has concurred in the same.

On motion of Mr. Garrison,

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was placed back on second reading for amendment, and the amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 173, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 223, 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, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to enforce the payment to the state treasurer by the officers of the Maurice river cove and Delaware bay oyster association of funds in their hands belonging to the state of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to essablish in this state boards of health and a bureau of vital statistics, and to define their respective powers and duties,'" approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven,

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Kirkbride, Lyon, Smith C. M., Williams—4.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Laudenberger, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Waite, White, Whitehead, Wright—46.

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—58.

In the negative—None.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, debate on

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was stopped by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Connolly, Cresse, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page,

Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—47.

In the negative was—

Mr. Blackwell—1.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Horner, Howe, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lyon, Meeker, Moore, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Stalter, Steelman, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Boyd, Brock, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Hoagland, Hyres, Lord, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Page, Rice, Snyder, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—20.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Boyd, Brown, Buck, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Montgomery, Schmidt, Sharwell, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—26.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Bacheller, Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Mercer, Page, Rice, Smith C. M., Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—19.

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

Resolved, That the index of the minutes of the Assembly for the present session be prepared by James Parker, Clerk of the House of Assembly, in the same manner as the index of the minutes of last year, and that he he be paid therefor the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

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

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and he is hereby directed to deliver to the Custodian of the State House all supplies remaining in his hands at the close of the session of 1901.

Mr. Lewis offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That this House returns its sincere congratulations and thanks to the Hon. William J. Bradley, its Speaker, for the fair, courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over and guided its deliberations. He has, in his first term in the chair, maintained an unequaled record for promptness in the dispatch of business, for attention to the welfare of the State, and for evenhanded recognition of the majority and minority alike. He enjoys the confidence of all, and receives, as he merits, the best wishes of every member.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby tendered to the Hon. Maurice Marks for his honest, able and courteous conduct as leader of the minority in the deliberations of the House during the present session.

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

Resolved, That the chairmen of the standing committees be requested to hand all bills not acted on to the Clerk of the House.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to James Parker, Clerk; George E. Poole, Assistant Clerk; George Jarvis Coe, Journal Clerk; William J. Kammerer, Assistant Journal Clerk, and each of the other officers of the House, for the efficient and faithful manner in which they have discharged the duties of their respective offices.

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

WHEREAS, Charles H. Folwell, of Burlington county, having completed four years of continuous service, two as Engrossing Clerk, and two as Supervisor of Bills of this House, it is

Resolved, That the sincere thanks of the House of Assembly are tendered Mr. Folwell for the faithful, conscientious and intelligent manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office, and for his unfailing courtesy to all the members of this House, and careful and considerate attention to their wants.

Mr. Marks offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby tendered to the Hon. Vivian M. Lewis, for his able, honest and courteous conduct as leader of the majority in the deliberations of this House during the present session.

Senate Bill No. 51, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries,'" (Revision) approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred add seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrandts, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rees, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stilwell, Tennant, Tillotson, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams—58.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller moved to reconsider the vote by which

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Was lost.

Mr. Marks moved that Mr. Bacheller's motion be laid on the table,

Which motion was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Keasler, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—15.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Steelman, Waite, Whitehead, Williams —32.

Mr. Bacheller's motion was then taken up, and carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cressee, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—15.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Howe, Hyres, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Steelman, Tillotson, Waite, Whitehead, Williams—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Brock, Connolly, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Keasler, Laudenberger, Marks, Rice, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, White—15.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

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

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to make an immediate inventory of all stationery, books and other articles in his own possession and in the possession of the various officers and committees of the House and turn the same over to the Comptroller, taking his receipt therefor, and the Comptroller is hereby directed to retain the same for the use of the next Legislature.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly be tendered to George A. Grover and Solomon H. Rogers, Assistant Supervisors of Bills; Frank Tantum, Sergeant-at-Arms; George P. Powell, Bill

Clerk, and their assistants, for the efficient and courteous manner in which they have attended to the wants of the House during this session.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly are hereby extended to Hon. John H. Bonnell, Custodian of the State House and his assistants, for the manner in which he has provided for the wants and comfort of the members of the House during this session.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of the House be and are hereby tendered to the publishers of the daily "State Gazette" and the daily "True American," both of Trenton, for the papers served to the individual members during this session.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of the House of Assembly be and are hereby extended to the newspaper correspondents for the uniform fairness with which they have treated the members of the House.

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

Resolved, That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to William H. Meseroll, Document Clerk, for the efficient and courteous manner in which he has attended to the wants of the House during this session.

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

Resolved That a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the House is ready to adjourn *sine die*, and ask him if he has any further communication to transmit to the House.

The Speaker appointed as a committee to wait on the Governor, Messrs. Lewis, Lyon and Marks.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to organize the board of

chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,"' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March the twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the location and erection of buildings for a city hall and the accommodation of the different officers and departments of the city government in cities of the first and second class in this state,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninery-three,

Assembly Bill No. 280, 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. 404, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 323, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the State of New Jersey,'"

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the military and naval forces'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract,"

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of shad and game fish in the river Delaware,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction'" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county,"

Assembly Bill No. 287, 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. 266, entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey,' approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county,"

Assembly Bill No. 149, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks,'" approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battlefield of Antietam,"

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning executors and the administration of

intestates' estates,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect,"

Assembly Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes,"

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "An act relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties,"

Assembly Bill No. 230, 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. 312, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "An act concerning elections in certain villages,"

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns,'" approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force,'" passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewer,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to defray the incidental expenses of the legislature in New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one

thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal,'"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of Commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same,"

Without amendments.

WALTER E. EDGE,

Secretary of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blackwell, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brock, Brown, Buck, Carr, Connolly, Cresse, Davidson, Dennin, Fallon, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Laudenberger, Lewis, Lord, Lutz, Lyon, Marks, Meeker, Mercer, Montgomery, Moore, Page, Rice, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Stillwell, Tennant, Vollers, Waite, White, Whitehead, Williams, Wright—56.

In the negative—None.

Senate Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning judgment debtors,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Blohm, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Meeker, Montgomery, Moore, Schmidt, Sharwell, Stillwell, Whitehead, Wright—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Hyres, Marks, Rice, Snyder, Waite—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

Mr. Bacheller, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "An act relating to wharves and docks in cities of the third class,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 189, entitled "An act relating to wharves and docks in cities of the third class,"

Was taken up, read a third time, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Abbott C. T., Bacheller, Boyd, Bradley (Speaker), Brown, Buck, Carr, Cresse, Davidson, Fleming, Foote, Garrabrants, Garrison, Gill, Gnichtel, Groves, Hoagland, Horner, Howe, Hyres, Keasler, Kirkbride, Lewis, Lord, Lyon, Meeker, Moore, Roe, Schmidt, Sharwell, Smith C. M., Snyder, Stalter, Steelman, Waite, Wright—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Abbett L., Blackwell, Connolly, Dennin, Fallon, Laudenberger, Lutz, Marks, Vollers, White, Whitehead—11.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same without amendment.

The committee appointed to wait upon the Governor reported that he had no further communication to make.

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

That the thanks of the House of Assembly be tendered to Messrs. MacCrellish & Quigley for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which the current printing for this session has been performed.

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

Be it resolved, That the thanks of this House be and the same are hereby extended to the pages, doorkeepers and other attaches of this House, for their untiring efforts to please the members.

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

Resolved, That the members of the House do hereby express their appreciation of the gentlemanly, fair and uniformly kind treatment received by them at the hands of Mr. Upton S. Jeffreys, the Speaker's Private Secretary.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
SENATE CHAMBER,
March 22d, 1901.

Mr. Speaker:

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

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 which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

WALTER E. EDGE,
Secretary of the Senate.

The Speaker thereupon announced that the hour fixed upon for the final adjournment of both House of the one hundred and twenty-fifth (125th) Legislature had arrived, and he declared the House of Assembly adjourned without day.

The members of the Honse of Assembly, preceded by the Speaker and Clerk, then proceeded to the Senate Chamber, and after the announcement by the Speaker that, in accordance with his duties, he had adjourned the House of Assembly without day, the President of the Senate declared the one hundred and twenty-fifth Legislature adjourned without day.

JAMES A. PARKER,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

GEORGE J. COE,
Journal Clerk.

ADDENDA.

The following bills, having failed to become laws and remaining in the possession of the Clerk of the House of Assembly, were delivered by him to the State Librarian for safe keeping:

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act providing compensation for state clothing furnished to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish–American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to enable husband and wife to convey directly to each other,"

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads,"'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to limit the age and employment hours of children, minors and women, and to appoint an inspector for the enforcement of the same,"' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplemental act was approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to sales of land under a public statute, or by virtue of any judicial proceeding'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplements thereto,

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to operatives in manufactories and other employes their wages,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the burial of the bodies of any honorably discharged soldier, sailor or marine, who shall hereafter die without leaving means sufficient to defray funeral expenses,'" approved February thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "An act to ligitimatize children whose parents shall marry after the birth of such children,"

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to prevent hazing,"

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act concerning the sale of poisons,"

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled 'An act to regulate the custody of county jails and of the prisoners therein,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of the state,'" passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business"'" (title as amended), approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 48, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act provided for the formation, establishment and government of towns,"' approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," said amendatory act approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to prevent trespassing with sack, baskets and other receptacles for fruit and vegetables,"

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), being chapter No. 96 of the laws, session of one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "Amendment to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws, when notice is required by the constitution,"' approved January twenty-sixth, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which said supplement was approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four,

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting constables,"'" approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances (Revision of eighteen hundred and

ninety-eight),'" approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a commissioner to revise the statutes of this state relating to the subject of taxation of property,"

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act to authorize incorporated towns to borrow money for the construction of hard roads,"

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Arlington, in the county of Hudson,"

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the planting and care of shade trees on the streets and highways of the municipalities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to provide that any person entitled to vote at a general or municipal election in this state shall, on the day of such election, be entitled to absent himself from any service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed, for the period of two consecutive hours, between the time of opening and closing the polls, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes'" (Revision, approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled, "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,'" which supplement was approved April twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries,"

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act relating to street railways,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state,'" approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein,'" approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight,

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations,"

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state,'" approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889,

Assembly Bill No. 104, entitled "An act confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,"'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A general act relating to boroughs'" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898),'"

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 121, 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 of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state,"

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year,"

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States,"

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise,"

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies,'" approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five,

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning sheriffs,'" approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act concerning roads,' approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a system of public instruction (Revision of 1900),'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act relative to the signal system of police departments in cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three," which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine,'" which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three,

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state,'" passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judical proceedings,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "An act to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund,"

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,'" passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act in relation to county expenditures,'" approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "A further 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,

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein,'" approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting county jails,'" approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six,

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers

and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,' which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due,'" approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "An act to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers,"

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "A further 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,

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crime'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to provide for the further care of the insane,"

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act regarding the lien of taxes on real estate,"

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "An act respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure,"

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act in relation to courts, and to fix a time within which causes shall be decided,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries,'" approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four,

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor' (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which supplement was approved March fourteenth one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "An act concerning water companies,"

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,

Assembly Bill No. 224, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,"'" approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty,

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "An act concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property,'" approved March seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "An act supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases'" (Revision of 1898),

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "An act concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state,"

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes'" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,

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86 to govern the location or extension and enlargement of cemeteries—48, 177, 184, 188, 587.

87 to enable the state of New Jersey to take part in the inaugural parade, at Washington, District of Columbia, on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and one—49, 78, 80, 83, 125, 298, 315.

88 relating to street railways—49, 95, 100, 116, 587.

89 An act to establish a state normal school in the city of Newark, in the county of Essex—49.

90 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the establishment and maintenance of hospitals for contagious diseases for cities in this state," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred—49, 70, 73, 83, 125, 206, 316, 320, 326, 327, 587.

91 to protect the public health by prohibiting the collection and sale of second-handed bottles or jars, and providing punishment for the violation of the same—50.

92 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state and their confinement therein," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—50, 142, 151, 302, 312, 587.

93 to secure the purity of foods, beverages, confectionery, condiments, drugs and medicines, and to prevent deception in the distribution and sales thereof—50, 103, 108, 154, 169, 205, 232, 233, 439, 454.

94 entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in townships," approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine. A further supplement to—50, 105, 109, 116, 138, 298.

95 entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state, to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight. A further supplement to—58.

96 to amend an act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases (Revision of 1893), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—61, 103, 107, 116, 139, 587.

97 to regulate the salaries, commissions, fees and other compensation paid by loan, homestead and building associations—61, 213, 221, 248, 282, 588.

98 to provide for the appropriation and payment to the school fund of any unappropriated yearly balance of the state fund—61.

99 to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo in the year one thousand nine hundred and one—61, 218.

100 entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of one thousand nine hundred), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—61.

101 entitled "An act regulating the pay of officers and policemen in certain cities of this state," approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, being chapter 257, laws of 1889. A supplement to—61, 130, 250, 260, 275, 367, 587.

102 entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—62.

103 for the incorporation of the borough of Tuckerton, in the county of Ocean—62, 104, 108, 109, 162.

104 confirming, validating and legalizing deeds of conveyance of or for lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate heretofore made and delivered by any administrators or administrator with the will annexed, or by any administrators or administrator de

bonis non with the will annexed, or by the survivors or survivor, or successors or successor of them, him or her and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence—62, 104, 108, 116, 140, 588.

105 An act entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—62.

106 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of the state,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. An amendment to—62, 115, 134, 154, 219, 222, 248, 282, 587.

107 to set off territory from the borough of Hasbrouck Heights, in the county of Bergen, and annex the same to the borough of Lodi, in the said county—63, 201, 207, 249, 282, 283, 579.

108 for the protection of life and property against loss or damage from the operation of steam boilers, or steam engines, or steam, wherever used for power by incompetent persons—63.

109 to establish an excise department in cities of the second class in this state—63, 358, 370, 395, 499, 539, 587.

110 to authorize the appointment of a board of commissioners to represent the state of New Jersey at the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, in the state of New York, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one—63, 91, 93, 362.

111 entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six. A further supplement to—63, 95, 100, 116, 140, 362, 365.

112 to provide for the construction of speedways in counties of this state—63, 153, 163, 177, 199, 481.

113 entitled "An act respecting the paving and re-paving of streets, avenues and public highways in cities of the first class in this state, and providing for the payment of assessments for especial benefits to property benefited thereby, and the payment of contractors supplying the work and material therefor," approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. An amendment to—64, 95, 100, 116, 145.

114 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—64, 155, 164, 177, 183, 588.

115 to authorize the formation of corporations for the construction and operation of pipe lines for the transportation and distribution of petroleum as common carriers, and to regulate the same, and providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain thereby for such purpose—64.

116 entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—64, 103, 108, 116, 171, 207, 249, 283, 587.

117 to authorize the opening, straightening, extending and widening of streets in towns, and providing a method therefor—64, 143, 151, 154, 171, 207, 234, 587.

118 entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition of real estate and the erection of buildings thereon for the use of the police department in the the cities of this state," approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine. A further supplement to—64, 130, 136, 154, 172, 439.

119 An act requiring all state printing to bear the official stamp of the Allied Printers' Trades Council—65, 264.

120 for the establishment of free public employment bureaus in the cities of this state—65, 264.

121 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 of 1898)—65, 103, 107, 116, 162, 223, 249, 588

122 entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. Supplement to—65.

123 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. Supplement to—65, 213.

124 entitled "An act to provide for the better security of life and limb in cases of fire in hotels and of buildings," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two. A supplement to—65.

125 authorizing the appointment of a commission to inquire into the advisability of placing the supply of potable waters of this state under the control of the state for the benefit of the people of the state—66, 346, 355, 382, 493, 588.

126 in relation to stamping canned or packed food stuffs—66, 364.

127 to authorize cities to appoint a city counsel, or attorney, for a longer term than one year—66, 95, 100, 138, 163, 588.

128 relating to the admission to the bar of this state of attorneys and counsellors-at-law who have practiced for three years before the highest courts of another state of the United States—66, 274, 290, 320, 404, 588.

129 in relation to elections and crimes and offences against the elective franchise—66, 142, 151, 154, 172, 589.

130 entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. A further supplement to—66, 403.

131 entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A further supplement to—67, 359, 371, 395, 462, 589.

132 authorizing the city council or other governing body of any municipality in this state, to make an appropriation to any company or companies of the national guard of the state of New Jersey located in such municipality—67, 100, 116, 178, 290, 320, 340, 588.

133 entitled "An act concerning sheriffs," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—67, 117, 135, 154, 589.

134 to amend an act entitled "Supplement to an act concerning roads," approved April sixteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred —72, 115, 135, 154, 173, 589.

135 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning divorces" (Revision), approved March 27th, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—72, 213.

136 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A supplement to—72, 103, 107, 167, 182, 183, 203, 204, 589.

137 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction (Revision of 1900)," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—72.

138 entitled "An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A further supplement to—76, 176, 184, 188, 231, 232, 579.

139 to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use—76, 106, 109, 124, 185, 189, 220, 222, 249, 308, 523, 538.

140 to provide accommodations for the courts and county officers in counties of this state, and to authorize the issue and sale of bonds therefor—84, 115, 134, 154, 179, 523, 526.

141 to establish public parks in certain counties in this state, and to regulate the same—84, 263, 272, 320, 341, 439.

142 concerning fire departments in cities of this state and the powers and duties of the board or body having control and management thereof—84, 251, 270, 271, 589.

143 to provide for the revision and consolidation of the public statutes of this state—84, 217.

144 relative to the signal system of police departments in cities—84, 177, 184, 189, 220, 304, 589.

145 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the purchase, construction and maintenance of public parks, by the cities and other municipalities in this state," approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,' which supplement was approved May seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine," which said amendment was approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three—84, 129, 135, 154, 173, 589.

146 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the city of this state," passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four—85.

147 entitled "An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state," passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—85, 202, 207, 589.

148 to enable cemetery associations to convey to churches or religious corporations lands, freed and discharged from all trusts and restrictions as to burial purposes—85, 346, 355, 372, 411, 580.

149 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—85, 167, 175, 189, 229, 579.

150 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning proceedings on bonds and mortgages given for the same indebtedness and the foreclosure and sale of mortgaged premises thereunder," approved March twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and the amendments thereto—85.

151 to amend an act entitled "An act relative to sales of lands under a public statute or by virtue of any judicial proceedings," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—86, 176, 184, 189, 229, 230, 588.

152 to authorize boards of chosen freeholders to lay out, open and improve public roads—86.

153 to appropriate and pay over all moneys received from the taxation of miscellaneous corporations to the state school fund—86, 113, 134, 154, 589.

154 An act to provide for the prevention of usury and extortion on the part of certain concerns or individuals lending money on chattel mortgages in the state of New Jersey—86, 346, 355, 372, 389, 590.

155 entitled "An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks," passed March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—86, 329, 392, 414, 465, 590.

156 to regulate the salaries of clerks of grand juries in certain counties —86, 187, 197, 201, 235, 523, 525.

157 entitled "An act relative to guardians and the estates of minors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—87, 201, 207, 225, 269, 579.

158 to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight—87, 103, 108, 154, 180, 185, 189, 200, 223, 225, 590.

159 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act respecting surrogates," approved March thirty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-two—87.

160 to amend an act entitled "An act providing additional compensation to the volunteers of this state during the Spanish-American war, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—87, 155, 164, 189, 221, 579.

161 to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation thereof," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—87.

162 concerning appeals from the decisions of justices of the peace, police justices and recorders in proceedings of a civil nature—87.

163 concerning appeals from district courts in this state—88, 142, 163, 189, 258, 481.

164 entitled "An amendment to 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act concerning taxes,"' which act was approved April fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," and which supplement was approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred—88, 176, 184, 189, 208, 590.

165 (general) concerning taxes—88, 201, 207, 225, 235, 258, 283, 439, 455.

166 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 further supplement to—88, 215, 222, 225, 280, 590.

167 entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties of this state to lay out, open, construct, improve and maintain a public road therein," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. A further supplement to—88, 129, 136, 154, 199, 590.

168 relating to overseers of the poor in cities of the second class in this state—88, 273, 288, 320, 342, 590.

169 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred—89, 203.

170 entitled "An act respecting county jails," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—96, 274, 336, 344, 379, 413, 590.

171 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—96, 201, 209, 225, 235, 590.

172 to establish the rate of interest on arrears of taxes and assessments in cities of this state—96, 274, 290, 320, 350, 590.

173 entitled "An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A further supplement to—96, 358, 371, 382, 590.

174 to further amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards, and providing for the maintenance of the same,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which further supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, which further supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—97, 251, 260, 262, 337, 590.

175 entitled "An act authorizing towns to issue bonds for the purpose of raising money to pay certain bonds and improvement certificates and interest thereon and judgments recovered thereon heretofore legally issued and now due," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to —97, 214, 222, 225, 236, 591.

176 for the disposition of unclaimed deposits in savings banks and trust companies—97.

177 entitled "An act to authorize limited partnership," passed February ninth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven. A supplement to—97, 168, 175, 189, 230, 362.

178 to prevent persons from obtaining employment in positions of trust upon forged and false papers—97, 142, 152, 155, 173, 591.

179 to authorize the erection of suitable monuments to mark the position of New Jersey regiments and battalions upon the battlefield of Antietam—98, 168, 175, 189, 231, 579.

180 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,' approved May the ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—105, 251, 260, 263, 294, 295, 320, 342, 351, 408, 577.

181 to regulate the practice of architecture—105, 177, 185, 189, 198, 223, 226, 238, 530, 545.

182 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—105 178, 185, 189, 258, 591.

183 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 further supplement to—105, 202, 207, 249, 281, 591.

184 An act entitled "A further supplement to 'An act to ascertain the rights of the state and of riparian owners in the land lying under the water of the bay of New York and elsewhere in the state,' approved April eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and the several supplements thereto," and which said supplement was approved April nineteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine. A supplement to—117, 129, 135, 146, 147, 165, 298, 299.

185 to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys, and to vacate, regulate and accept the same—117, 129, 135, 147, 165, 362, 364.

186 to amend an act entitled "An act to enable cities to open streets, highways and alleys and to regulate and accept the same," approved March fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-six—117, 148.

187 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a board of water commissioners in cities of this state and to define their powers and duties and fix their compensation," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred—117, 143, 151, 167, 182, 439.

188 to enable any married woman who is a trustee under or executrix of any last will and testament of any person, or who is an administratrix of any estate of any testator with the will annexed, to sell real estate of such testator in accordance with the powers vested by the terms of such will, without her husband joining therein, in the same manner as if she were a feme sole—117, 142, 150, 155, 174, 439, 455.

189 respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions in certain cities of this state—118, 143, 151, 155, 237, 591.

190 to incorporate the borough of Orange Mountain, in the county of Essex—118, 266.

191 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—118, 143, 151, 168, 180, 181, 439.

192 entitled "An act for the punishment of crime" (Revision), approved March twenty seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A further supplement to—118, 275, 291, 321, 342, 591.

193 to provide for the further care of the insane—118, 177, 185, 189, 231, 591.

194 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898). A further supplement to—119, 226, 241, 262, 307, 578.

195 entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state," passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. A supplement to—119, 129, 135, 155, 180, 333.

196 entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900). A supplement to—119.

197 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning judgments," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four—119, 217.

198 regarding the lien of taxes on real estate—119, 274, 290, 321, 342, 591.

199 respecting sheriffs' sales of lands under foreclosure—119, 213, 221, 249, 317, 591.

200 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—119.

201 An act concerning the punishment of offenders in capital cases—120, 226, 242, 249, 292, 591.

202 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—120, 190, 197, 215, 234, 439.

203 providing for the appointment of engineers for the operation of stationary steam boilers, steam engines and passenger elevator machinery in cities of this state—120.

204 concerning assessments for street improvements in cities of the second class—120, 177, 184, 189, 268, 590.

205 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the construction and maintenance of public docks, wharves, piers and bulkheads by cities," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—120, 214, 222, 249, 325, 523, 524.

206 in relation to courts, and to fix a time with which causes shall be decided—120, 437, 476, 479, 500, 591.

207 entitled "An act concerning juries," approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-four. A supplement to—121, 347, 355, 382, 456, 592.

208 for preventing the sale of cigarettes, cigarette papers or substitutes for the same, or bringing the same within this state for such purposes—121.

209 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act for the settlement and relief of the poor" (Revision), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine—121, 176, 185, 189, 220, 592.

210 entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six. A further supplement to—121, 317, 336, 344, 379, 592.

211 entitled "An act to protect children from neglect and cruelty, and relating to their employment, protection and adoption," approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty. A supplement to—121, 143, 151, 155, 181, 530.

212 entitled "An act respecting telegraph, telephone, electric light and other wires and cables for electric purposes," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. A supplement to—121.

213 concerning water companies—122, 435, 450, 479, 496, 508, 533, 538, 592.

214 entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—122.

215 entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplements thereto (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A supplement to—122, 156, 164, 362, 365.

216 entitled "An act to provide for the efficient sewerage of lowlands in cities of this state," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three. A supplement to—122, 273, 288, 317, 318, 481.

217 to amend chapter sixty-two of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, approved April fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, which said act amends the eleventh section of an

act entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," which act was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four—122, 213, 221, 225, 280, 281, 362.

218 An act to amend section one hundred and seven of chapter two hundred and twenty-eight, of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—123, 201, 208, 362.

219 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—127, 142, 148, 171, 188, 211, 339, 340, 481.

220 entitled "An act in relation to county expenditures," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight. A supplement to—127.

221 entitled "An act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in this state," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—127, 144, 152, 155, 268, 288, 321, 376, 592.

222 to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—127.

223 to create a new township in the county of Burlington, to be called the township of Tabernacle—130, 252, 271, 302, 312, 524, 525.

224 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—130, 202, 209, 225, 592.

225 to provide for the erection of school-houses in cities of this state—130, 214, 222, 249, 293, 592.

226 entitled "A further supplement to 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation hereof,' approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five," which supplementary act was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—130.

227 to repeal "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, and to provide a procedure to recover penalties for the violation thereof,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred—131.

228 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to morgues and morgue-keepers,' approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine," which supplement was approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty—131, 274, 290, 321, 376, 377, 592.

229 concerning the granting of licenses in cities of the second class in this state—144, 347, 356, 372, 390, 592.

230 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—144, 263, 336, 344, 380, 385, 386, 395, 580.

231 to repeal an act entitled "An act to provide for the acquirement of turnpike roads for free public use," approved May eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—144.

232 An act authorizing boards of chosen freeholders to pass ordinances and make regulations respecting the use of public highways under their contract—144, 273, 289, 321, 377, 578.

233 to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and to facilitate the collection thereby of arrears of taxes assessed on personal property," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two—145, 177, 184, 190, 269, 592.

234 relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state—145.

235 relating to mutual loan, homestead and building associations—145, 226, 241, 249, 297, 592.

236 supplemental to and amendatory of an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—157, 398, 413, 414, 465, 592.

237 to incorporate the borough of Prospect Park—157, 190, 197, 201, 223, 300.

238 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize cities to construct sewers and drains and provide for the payment of the cost thereof," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two—157, 214, 222, 225, 237, 362.

239 to amend the act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898)—158, 226, 242, 249, 284, 316, 322, 367, 592.

240 entitled "An act concerning savings banks," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—158, 226, 241, 249, 293, 439, 456.

241 entitled "An act to provide for the organization of the New Jersey home for disabled soldiers, sailors or marines and their wives," approved April twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and the various supplements thereto. A further supplement to—158, 187, 197, 215, 234, 523, 526, 527.

242 entitled "An act for the formation, establishment and government of towns," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—158, 261, 272, 302, 313, 580.

243 concerning the tenure of office of clerks of boards of chosen freeholders in counties of the second class in this state—158, 214, 222, 226, 236, 593.

244 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants,'" passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four—159.

245 entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of same causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. Supplement to—159, 248, 259, 275, 351, 498, 518, 593.

246 to amend "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building (Revision of 1898)," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—159, 212, 221, 249, 309, 580.

247 An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the better protection and preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove," approved May eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—159, 227, 241, 249, 326, 593.

248 for the preservation of sheep, lambs, domestic animals and poultry in the several townships of this state—159 215, 222, 226, 237, 559, 569.

249 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the chosen freeholders in the respective counties of this state,' which was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which further supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—159, 251, 260, 262, 267, 593.

250 entitled "An act in relation to the lien of dyers of goods in their possession," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. A supplement to—160, 226, 241, 250, 294, 523.

251 entitled "An act in relation to the lien of finishers of silk and other goods of which silk is a component part," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety. A supplement to—160, 226, 241, 250, 295, 523.

252 respecting the passage of ordinances and resolutions by the governing bodies of cities in this state—160, 214, 222, 226, 237, 593.

253 entitled "An act concerning landlords and tenants," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Revision). A supplement to—160

254 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—160.

255 for the better publication of the annual financial statements of towns, boroughs and townships, and of cities containing a population of less than twelve thousand—161.

256 to incorporate the borough of Highwood Park, in the county of Hudson—161.

257 to prevent the unlawful use of and wilful injury to milk cans, and imposing a penalty therefor—161, 457, 476, 498, 515, 593.

258 concerning paid fire departments in cities and for the relief of employees thereof—168, 191.

259 entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to provide for the examination in certain cases of applicants for admission as attorneys to the supreme court of this state,'" approved February twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, which act was approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—168, 274, 290, 321, 343, 593.

260 for the better regulation of steamboats and steam ferries—169.

261 relative to the election and appointment of officers in cities in this state—172, 190, 197, 198, 240.

262 respecting police departments of towns and regulating the tenure and terms of office of officers and men employed in said departments—178, 330, 353, 382, 404, 405, 593.

263 authorizing towns, boroughs and townships to appropriate and donate money for the use and benefit of hospitals in certain cases —178.

264 An act to acquire rights of fishing common to all in fresh water lakes in this state, and to acquire lands adjoining thereto for public use and enjoyment therewith—178, 375, 392, 393, 394, 515, 516.

265 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven. A supplement to—178, 224, 242, 250, 295, 593.

266 for the better regulation and control of the taking, planting and cultivating of oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Maurice river cove, in the state of New Jersey, approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the better enforcement of the provisions of said act, and to extend the provisions of said act to the lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river. A further supplement to—191, 227, 241, 250, 294, 315, 322, 338, 579.

267 relative to the maintenance in county penitentiaries of prisoners from other counties—192, 251, 260, 275, 309, 580.

268 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to factories and workshops, and the employment, safety, health and work hours of operatives," approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five—192, 264, 338, 345, 593.

269 to authorize the improvement of roads or streets which constitute the boundary line between two municipalities in the same county —192, 252, 271, 320, 341, 593.

270 to authorize the improvement of public roads or streets in townships of this state—192, 252, 271, 302, 338, 580.

271 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the military and naval forces" (Revision of 1900)—192, 251, 260, 275, 327.

272 entitled "An act concerning the military and naval forces" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—192, 252, 260, 275, 404, 578.

273 entitled "An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty. A supplement to—193.

274 to amend the preamble and first section of the act entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning roads,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which was approved May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety —193, 253, 257, 274, 290, 321, 351, 594.

275 to amend an act entitled "An act to protect bathers in the waters along the coast of this state," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—193, 329, 353, 372, 390, 454, 593.

276 to enable boroughs to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith—193, 252, 260, 275, 310, 594.

277 to enable towns to assist in maintaining hospitals located in the same counties therewith—193, 252, 271, 302, 313, 594.

278 to authorize the sale of an infant's estate in lands when he is a tenant in common—193, 248, 259, 275, 310, 594.

279 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts," (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—194, 267.

280 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—194, 303, 315, 321, 343, 578.

281 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—194, 252, 261, 262, 296, 594.

282 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. A supplement to—194.

283 authorizing boards of aldermen, common council, or other governing bodies of cities of this state, to create the office of electrical engineer—194.

284 to establish and regulate the state home for boys, approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—195, 227, 241, 250, 297, 353, 594.

285 to amend "An act to authorize cities in this state to purchase lands for the erection of and to construct public docks, wharves and piers, and to purchase and improve rights of way leading thereto, and to purchase lands lying contiguous thereto, so as to make said lands, docks, wharves and piers accessible," approved April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight —195, 250, 273, 289, 290, 523.

286 to incorporate the borough of Verona—195.

287 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—195, 248, 259, 275, 310, 579.

288 to authorize the board of fish and game commissioners of this state to co-operate with the states of Pennsylvania and Delaware in assisting to restore the sturgeon fisheries in the Delaware river and bay, and making an appropriation therefor—205, 227, 241, 250, 296, 523.

289 relating to railroad crossings of highways, and for the regulation, alteration and abolition of grade crossings—205, 415, 431, 436, 594.

290 entitled "An act for the better security of depositors in savings banks," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight. A supplement to—205, 317, 336, 357, 383, 579.

291 to extend the territorial boundaries of the borough of Island Heights, in the county of Ocean, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Dover, in said county—205, 252, 261, 275, 311, 579.

292 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning banks and banking" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine—216, 348, 520, 563, 594.

293 relative to the time of election of members of boards of chosen freeholders—217.

294 entitled "An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—227, 263, 272, 302, 313, 579.

295 entitled "An act to provide for the amicable adjustment of grievances and disputes that may arise between employers and employes, and to authorize the creation of a state board of arbitration," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two. A supplement to—227, 348, 359, 372, 422, 454, 507, 594.

296 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a department of banking and insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one," which supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—228, 317, 345, 380, 594.

297 An act to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to the carrying of freight or express matter by companies owning, leasing or operating street railways," approved March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—228.

298 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the orphans' court, and relating to the power and duties of the ordinary and the orphans' court and surrogates" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—228, 329, 353, 373, 411, 594.

299 to have fire drills in schools of this state—228, 264, 272, 302, 314, 594.

300 relating to cities—228, 315, 321, 595.

301 entitled "An act to organize the board of chosen freeholders in each of the counties of this state having within its territorial limits a population of not less than seventy-five thousand inhabitants or more than two hundred thousand inhabitants," passed May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. A supplement to—228, 302, 336, 345, 420, 421, 578.

302 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—254, 319, 337, 345, 386, 530, 546.

303 disqualifying judges, by interest, relationship or absence from argument—254, 286, 291, 321, 359, 595.

304 providing for the promulgation of the state and national census and defining the time when the same shall take effect—254, 303, 315, 321, 360, 580.

305 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four—253, 254, 288, 302, 314, 595.

306 providing for the appointment of clerks to recorders in certain cities of the second class in this state and defining their duties—254, 328, 353, 373, 412, 595.

307 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. An amendment to—255, 286, 291, 322, 360, 595.

308 prescribing the method of giving notice to owners and persons interested in lands and real estate in proceedings in and by towns to acquire lands by condemnation for the opening, widening, extending and straightening of streets and highways and for sewers—255, 497, 508, 520, 539, 595.

309 to authorize the appointment of a city treasurer in cities of the second class for a longer term than one year—255, 328, 353, 371, 382, 499, 595.

310 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the preservation of sheep' (Revision), approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which further supplement was approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four—255.

311 making appropriation for the protection of the oyster beds and seed oysters thereon under the tidal waters of the Delaware bay and Delaware river, above the line running direct from the mouth of Straight creek to Cross Ledge Lighthouse, and commonly known as the "southwest line"—255, 287, 291, 322, 365, 481.

312 An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of mammose or young sturgeon in the Delaware bay, river, or their tributaries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety—256, 286, 292, 322, 366, 580.

313 to prevent any person or persons, company or corporation from manufacturing, selling or offering to sell adulterated food products—257.

314 to authorize and permit the charter of certain companies to be revived—256, 346, 355, 382, 412, 595.

315 concerning government of cities of the second class of this state —256, 328, 353, 373, 422, 530.

316 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Supplement to—256, 303, 315, 322, 366, 595.

317 for the protection of striped bass—256, 332.

318 for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey—256, 286, 291, 322, 332, 595.

319 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—257, 437, 476, 498, 595.

320 to extend the territorial limits of the borough of Caldwell—257, 303, 315, 320, 378, 498, 595.

321 for the better preservation of the clam and natural oyster industries in the waters and along the shores of Raritan and Sandy Hook bays, in the county of Monmouth, and to secure to residents of this state the right to gather clams and oysters from the natural beds in said bays—257, 320, 337, 345, 407, 595.

322 to change the boundary lines of the city of Passaic and the township of Acquackanonk, both in the county of Passaic—257, 397, 413, 423, 466, 530.

323 to amend an act entitled "An act for the better preservation of the oyster industry in the creeks and rivers along the shores of Delaware bay and Maurice river cove and the tide-waters of the Atlantic seaboard of the state of New Jersey—265, 319, 337, 357, 384, 396, 578.

324 to amend an act entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the autonomy of certain cities in this state which have been created out of townships whose officers have continued to exercise their functions within the corporate limits of such cities,'" approved February twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, which amendment was approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—265, 276, 284, 285, 330, 334, 354, 391.

325 entitled "An act to provide for the drainage of lands," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one. A further supplement to—265, 266, 424, 449, 480, 506, 559, 569.

326 entitled "An act relative to the time of election and appointment and terms of office of officers elected or appointed in cities in this state," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and one. A supplement to—265, 319, 353, 373, 424, 595.

327 to extend the territorial boundaries of the city of Asbury Park, in the county of Monmouth, by the annexation of a portion of the township of Neptune, in said county—265.

328 to amend 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 —265, 359, 371, 382, 427, 428, 596.

329 An act to authorize cities in this state to remit and cancel taxes which appear as liens against property, where the same has been purchased on the faith of searches made by city officers having control of the record of such liens, showing that such liens did not exist at the date of such purchase"—266, 328, 353, 373, 452, 596.

330 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in the state of New Jersey," approved April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six. A supplement to—266, 330, 353, 373, 426, 596.

331 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—266.

332 to further amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning roads' (Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four—276, 534, 540.

333 to repeal an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act eutitled "A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning roads' "(Revision), approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' which supplement was approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," and which amending act was approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, approved March fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three—276.

334 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—277.

335 entitled "An act for the preservation of fish in the Hackensack river and its tributaries or branches within the counties of Bergen and Hudson," approved April twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and as amended by act approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A supplement to—277, 374, 392, 396, 596.

336 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—277, 374, 392, 396, 535, 596.

337 entitled "An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than one thousand two hundred inhabitants," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A supplement to—288, 347, 355, 373, 426, 596.

338 relating to the cities of this state—291, 347, 356, 373, 427, 596.

339 to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for hawking, peddling and vending of merchandise within this state—291, 320, 337, 345, 383, 596.

340 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—303, 319, 336, 357, 387, 578.

341 An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a county board of commissioners to equalize assessments for taxes, and defining their powers and duties," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred—304.

342 concerning elections in certain villages—304, 349, 370, 382, 460, 580.

343 regulating the graduation of pupils from colleges established for the purpose of teaching human anatomy, human physiology, pathology, chemistry, obstetrics, gynecology, surgery and public hygiene—309, 316, 336, 357, 596.

344 to declare unlawful and void all agreements, trusts or combinations made for the purpose of compelling manufacturers of any article of merchandise to sell out or close down or go out of business, and providing penalties therefor—323.

345 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the selection, location, appropriation and management of certain lands along the Palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park, and thereby to preserve the scenery of the Palisades," approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred—323.

346 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—323, 345, 355, 373, 492, 596.

347 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning cities,'" approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, which amendment was approved March fifth, one thousand nine hundred—323, 328, 354, 373, 386, 597.

348 concerning the appointment of police justices and magistrates in cities, boroughs and other municipalities—324.

349 to enable township committees to encourage the erection of wire fencing along the highways by rebatement of taxes—324.

350 validating certain sales of lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate, made by any sheriff or other officer under or by virtue of the writ or order of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state—324, 381, 392, 396, 463, 530.

351 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—324, 413, 423, 467, 530.

352 to annex to the borough of Manasquan a part of the township of Wall in the county of Monmouth—324, 415, 431, 436, 500, 597.

353 respecting the orphans' court and relating to the powers and duties of the ordinary, orphans' court and surrogates, approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—325, 381, 396, 463, 597.

354 to regulate and license pawnbrokers—325.

355 concerning the appointment of a clerk to the sanitary committee and a clerk to the city street commissioner in cities of the second class in this state and fixing their tenure of office—325, 328, 353, 373, 379, 597.

356 entitled "An act directing the descent of real estate," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six. A supplement to—325.

357 to amend an act 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 supplement was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety—326, 346, 355, 374, 389, 397, 559, 567.

358 An act (general) to provide for the representation of boroughs and borough commissions in the boards of chosen freeholders of the counties of this state—327, 498, 522, 528, 533, 538, 596.

359 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, eighteen hundred and ninety eight, and the operation thereof." A supplement to—330, 347, 356, 357, 387, 559, 568.

360 entitled "An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in towns 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-seven, and the operation thereof. A supplement to—331, 346, 355, 357, 388, 597.

361 entitled "An act for the formation of borough government;" that portion of said act authorizing the construction of sewers fails to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system already existed, but was not fully completed; the purpose of this act is to give authority for the extension of sewers in boroughs wherein a sewer system is established. Supplement to—331, 375, 392, 396, 464, 508, 512, 596.

362 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—331, 349, 370, 382, 461, 597.

363 to annex to the borough of Allenhurst a part of the township of Ocean in the county of Monmouth—331.

364 limiting the remedy for trespass in certain cases—331, 346, 356, 357, 389, 599.

365 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision of 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—331, 375, 392, 396, 464, 597.

366 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven—332, 434, 450, 479, 506, 597.

367 entitled "An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment," passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six. A supplement to—332 434, 450, 479, 501, 598.

368 to provide for the time of payment of the annual taxes in cities of this state—332, 358, 371, 383, 428, 598.

369 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—332, 359, 370, 377, 382, 598.

370 for the protection of striped bass—333, 397, 413, 414, 466, 598.

371 for the protection of food-fish in the state of New Jersey—333, 349, 370, 383, 413, 429, 598.

372 An act to secure to any plank road company, whose charter has expired, or shall expire, the right to continue to maintain and operate any street railway owned by it—349, 374, 414, 425, 530, 546.

373 to provide for the control and operation of roads and bridges owned, or claimed to be owned, by any plank road company whose charter has expired, or may expire—349, 374, 433, 449, 558.

374 regulating the duties of fire police in towns having a voluntary fire department—349, 397, 413, 423, 467, 598.

375 to amend a supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and regulate cemeteries," approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which said supplement was approved March twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty five—350, 382, 393, 396, 464, 598.

376 to authorize the use of votometers or voting machines at elections hereafter to be held in this state or in any subdivision thereof, and providing that the votes cast at any such elections may be registered or recorded and counted, and the result of such elections ascertained by such votometers or voting machines—350, 459, 477, 498, 536, 598.

377 to change the corporate name of the borough of Deckertown, in the county of Sussex—375, 397, 413, 414, 429, 522.

378 to regulate the occupation of barbers, and to provide for the sanitary inspection and regulation of their business by boards of health—375, 535.

379 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—375, 381, 393, 396, 499, 598.

380 for the redistricting of cities in this state into wards—397, 413, 414, 429, 523.

381 to authorize boards of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this state to erect and maintain hospitals for contagious diseases—399, 478, 508, 520, 337, 598.

382 to prevent the removal, abolition, abandonment or disuse of any railroad station in this state, establishment and used for a period of five years without the permission of the governing body of the municipality in which such station is located—399.

383 to authorize the cities of this state to provide, construct and maintain public baths—399, 435, 450, 479, 501, 598.

384 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—400, 424, 450, 479, 501, 598.

385 to require non-residents to procure a license before gunning or hunting in this state, and provide a penalty therefor—400, 424, 432, 436, 467, 599.

386 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for a chief clerk or secretary to the board of tax commissioners, or board of assessment and revision of taxes in cities of the first class—400, 434, 450, 479, 505, 599.

387 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of cities of this state," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine—401, 435, 476.

388 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—401, 459, 477, 498, 536, 599.

389 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—401.

390 entitled "An act to regulate the location of pest-houses, crematories and other objectionable structures," passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to —401, 457, 477, 498, 536, 599.

391 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in 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 subjected to future taxation and assessment," passed March thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six—401, 434, 435, 450, 479, 502, 599.

392 entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the cities of this state," passed April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four. A supplement to—402, 423, 432, 436, 536, 599.

393 entitled "An act concerning the docketing of judgments recovered in the courts for the trial of small causes in the state of New Jersey," approved April fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two. A supplement to—402, 424, 432, 436, 468, 559, 568.

394 providing for actions where the defendant is a non-resident of this state—402.

395 to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply—402.

396 authorizing the governor to purchase on behalf of the state of New Jersey certain lands under water in Delaware bay—402.

397 relating to the publication of legal advertisements in villages of this state—415, 457, 477, 479, 599.

398 entitled "An act for the organization of the national guard of New Jersey," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and the various supplements thereto—A supplement to —415.

399 to annex a portion of the township of Teaneck, in the county of Bergen, to the city of Englewood—415, 458, 477, 498, 537, 599.

400 to repeal an act relating to aldermen and members of common council in cities of this state, approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—415, 435, 450, 479, 503, 599.

401 entitled "An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three. A supplement to—415, 435, 476, 498, 537, 580.

402 to amend an act entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to increase the number of the police force," passed February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one—424, 459, 477, 479, 505, 580.

403 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—433, 457, 474.

404 authorizing the appointment of battalion chiefs in fire departments in cities—435, 451, 578.

405 An act for the submission periodically to the legal voters of every municipality the question whether licenses shall be granted to keep inns and taverns and to sell intoxicating and brewed liquors—438, 520.

406 relative to grants of administration to poor and indigent persons —438.

407 to enable cities in this state to retire improvement certificates when due and to issue bonds in payment therefor—438.

408 concerning street, electric or traction railroads or railways—438, 460, 477, 480, 506, 528, 529, 599.

409 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—481.

410 to defray the incidental expenses of the legislature of New Jersey for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one—502, 544, 545, 580.

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2 An act to repeal sundry acts and parts of acts relating to the court of errors and appeals, the supreme and circuit courts, the prerogative court, and the inferior court of common pleas—101, 103, 110, 136.

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5 to repeal an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law," approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and the supplement thereto—188, 197, 458, 476, 550.

6 to repeal a supplement to "An act respecting any execution," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and ninety-five—210, 211, 248, 270, 469.

7 for the protection of birds and their nests and eggs—300, 301, 358, 370, 472.

8 to apportion the members of the general assembly among the several counties of the state—300, 301, 381, 391, 418.

9 to provide for the widening of roads and streets in townships—480, 481, 482, 512.

10 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—531, 532, 534, 565.

11 to provide for the prosecution of the bonds of public officials—131 132, 153, 165, 170.

12 entitled "An act to secure in this state the certification of marriages, births and deaths, and of the vital facts relating thereto, and provide for the record thereof," approved February fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. A supplement to—90, 94, 168, 175, 242.

14 entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of mutual loan, homestead and building associations" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A supplement to—300, 301, 359, 371, 430.

15 to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning taxes,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, which supplement was approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight—131, 132, 201, 209, 263, 270, 368, 419, 452.

16 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—210, 238, 244, 263, 287, 470.

17 to amend an act to compel the determination of claims to real estate in certain cases, and to quiet the title to the same—239, 244, 248, 271, 305.

18 An act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. Supplement to—131, 133, 143, 149, 161.

19 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revison of 1898), A supplement to—239, 244, 329, 354, 485.

21 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—239, 244, 329, 354, 485.

25 to protect planted and seed oysters on lands lying under the tidal waters of the Delaware river, Delaware bay and Maurice river cove in this state, and to regulate the taking of the same from said lands—34, 55, 56.

26 for extending the time for completing certain railroads—90, 94, 104, 111, 137.

28 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. A further supplement to—131, 133, 143, 149.

29 to establish a village for epileptics, and to repeal certain acts inconsistent therewith—239, 244, 398, 448, 452.

30 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this state, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same," approved June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—278, 279, 347, 352, 447.

34 to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—90, 94, 104, 110, 111.

35 entitled "An act to authorize the formation of railroad companies and regulate the same" (Revision), approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three. A supplement to—132, 133, 156, 184, 185.

36 entitled "An act to authorize cities in this state, located on or near the ocean, and embracing within their limits or jurisdiction any beach or ocean front, to lay out and open streets and drives, and construct public walks along and upon the beach or ocean front, to grade and otherwise improve the same, to provide the money necessary therefor, and to regulate the use thereof," approved April sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and to validate bonds issued, or purporting to be issued, under said acts or any of them. A further supplement to—101, 224, 242.

37 authorizing additional sums to be raised by taxation for the use of free public libraries—239, 244, 424, 431, 488.

38 to amend an act entitled "An act to abolish the office of township committee in townships, wherein there now or hereafter may exist any town, village or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners or improvement commission, the boundaries or territorial limits of which are co-extensive with those of said township, and conferring upon the governing body thereof all the power, duties, privileges and liabilities of the township committee so abolished," approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—210, 211, 262, 287, 369.

39 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. A supplement to—278, 279, 303, 316, 419, 420.

41 An act to facilitate the acquirement of lands and the erection of buildings for county purposes—132, 133, 143, 150, 162, 188, 197, 297.

42 to abolish the office of lieutenant of police in cities of this state, and to provide for the employment of the persons now holding office as lieutenants of police—188, 197, 198, 214. 223, 243.

46 entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same can not be purchased by agreement," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. A further supplement to—132, 133, 144, 149, 178.

47 entitled "An act to provide for the purchase of sites for the erection and equipment of armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriation therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission, in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, extending the same so as to include all incorporated towns, boroughs and townships wherein is, or hereafter shall be, located headquarters of a troop of cavalry of the National Guard of this state. A supplement to—436, 440, 442, 451, 489.

50 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five—558, 572.

51 entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries'" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A supplement to—531, 532, 535, 542, 575.

54 entitled "An act concerning clerks of grand juries," approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven. A further supplement to—131, 133, 201, 209, 304.

55 entitled "An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this state to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—239, 245, 251, 270, 306.

57 entitled "An act concerning savings banks," approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—132, 134, 317, 335, 354, 484.

59 relative to the state school tax and state school moneys for the year nineteen hundred and one—132, 134, 142, 150, 170.

61 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, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—522.

62 entitled "An act concerning wards and district lines in cities of this state, and for the formation of new wards," approved March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to —102, 104, 106, 107.

63 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven. A further supplement to—188, 197, 202, 209, 418.

64 An act to amend and correct the title of 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, approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—361, 363, 398, 431, 486.

65 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—361, 363, 397, 431, 486.

66 to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this state—333, 335, 346, 352, 416.

67 entitled "An act to reorganize the government of counties of the first class in this state," approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—123, 124, 125, 126.

68 to provide for the appointment of a commission to revise and codify the general statutes of this state not heretofore revised and codified by a special commission—188, 197, 458, 475, 549.

69 concerning judgment debtors—480, 481, 482, 510, 581.

70 entitled "An act to incorporate trustees of religious societies," approved April ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five. Supplement to—478, 481, 483, 511.

75 entitled "An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among animals, and to repeal certain acts relating thereto," approved May fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-six. A further supplement to—239, 245, 330, 354, 430.

76 to provide for the scientific investigation of oyster propagation—248, 427, 441, 444, 474, 490.

77 entitled "A general act concerning taxes," approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one. A further supplement to—210, 211, 212, 223, 243.

78 regulating the appointment and promotion of officers and policemen in certain cities and towns of this state—361, 363.

79 entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A further supplement to—210, 211, 287, 368.

80 to ascertain the rights of the state and 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. A further supplement to—481, 483, 497, 553.

83 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to and providing for the government of cities of this state containing a population of less than twelve thousand inhabitants," approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—437, 440, 442, 474, 490.

86 entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—480, 482, 483, 513, 551.

86 entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances'" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. Substitute for—558, 572, 573.

90 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a system of public instruction" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—558, 572, 573.

93 An act entitled "An act giving the state commissioner of public roads a fixed salary instead of per diem pay and limiting the expenses connected with the office," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Supplement to—300, 301, 426, 431, 487.

94 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, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven. A further supplement to—51, 532, 535, 542, 572.

95 entitled "An act concerning the transportation of dead human bodies across or within this state," passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—239, 245, 398, 431, 547.

96 to amend an act entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred—516, 517, 533, 541, 563.

97 authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of receiver of taxes to fix a definite term for the office of receiver of taxes—333, 335, 358, 370, 473.

98 authorizing boards of aldermen or common councils of cities of this state having the office of city treasurer to fix a definite term for the office of city treasurer—333, 335, 358, 391, 473.

99 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. A supplement to—245, 329, 354, 417.

100 authorizing the appointment and defining the powers and duties of commissioners in sewerage and drainage districts created for the purpose of relieving the streams and rivers therein from pollution and preventing the same, and providing for the raising, expenditure and payment of moneys necessary for this purpose" —230, 361, 363.

101 the act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—239, 245, 398, 431, 487.

102 to incorporate the lower Passaic sewerage and drainage district—440, 442.

104 to authorize cities to issue bonds for the funding of water debts and to provide for their payment—436, 440, 442, 451, 488.

107 respecting railroads and canals (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—210, 211, 276, 288, 369.

108 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the selection, location and appropriation and management of certain lands along the palisades of the Hudson river for an interstate park and thereby to preserve the scenery of the palisades," approved March twenty-second, nineteen hundred—440, 443, 512, 528.

109 for preventing the sale of cigarettes, cigarette papers or substitutes for the same, or bringing the same within this state for such purposes—480.

110 An act to authorize the correction of errors and mistakes in the tax and assessment records of cities in this state on personal property, and to authorize the cancellation of taxes and assessments by error or mistake imposed upon such property, and to return taxes and assessments paid by error or mistake—210, 212, 264, 270, 308.

111 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and empower municipalities governed by a board of commissioners or by an improvement commission, by ordinance to prohibit the erection of buildings of wood or other combustible materials, and to regulate and control the erection and construction of fire escapes"—361, 363, 435, 449, 488.

112 to secure to street railway companies or companies operating street railways upon public highways in this state, whose roads have been peaceably and continuously operated for two years without objection, the right to continue to maintain and operate the same, and to become incorporated under the act entitled "An act to authorize the formation of traction companies for the construction and operation of street railways, or railroads operated as street railways, and to regulate the same," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof—441, 445, 459, 476, 509, 513, 514.

113 to provide suitable accommodations for the manual training and industrial school for colored youth—437, 440, 443, 452, 477.

114 to authorize the cities and other municipalities of this state to create the office of collector of delinquent taxes, defining his duties and prescribing his compensation—442, 445, 533, 541, 564.

119 entitled "An act concerning partition," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—482, 483, 497, 513, 554.

120 entitled "An act concerning the military and naval forces" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—239, 245, 320, 336, 355, 494.

122 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to enable incorporated towns to construct water-works for the extinguishment of fires, and supplying the inhabitants thereof with pure and wholesome water,' passed March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which said supplement was approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven—194, 195, 196.

125 to annex to the township of Woolwich, in the County of Gloucester, a part of the present township of Logan, in said county—240, 246, 262, 270, 306.

126 directing the mode of entering judgments on bonds with warrants of attorney to confess judgments (Revision of 1901)—361.

129 relative to the supreme and circuit courts (Revision, 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—300, 301, 358, 370, 420.

130 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. A further supplement to—240, 246, 273, 287, 304, 305.

131 entitled "An act to establish and regulate the state home for girls" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—278, 279, 286, 291, 292.

132 An act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cities of the first class in this state, and constituting municipal boards of street and water commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such municipal boards, and relating to the municipal affairs and departments of such cities placed under the control and management of such boards and providing for the maintenance of the same,'" approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, which supplement was passed May twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. An amendment to—273, 278, 280, 303, 316, 470.

133 entitled "An act to enable cities in this state to furnish suitable accommodations for the transaction of business, and an armory for the use of the national guard therein organized," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven. A further supplement to—278, 280, 303, 316, 471.

134 to incorporate the borough of Butler, in the county of Morris —259, 274, 287, 290.

135 entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—277, 279, 457, 475, 551.

136 to authorize any town or city of this state to enter into contracts with railroad companies whose roads enter their corporate limits, to change or elevate their railroads and, when necessary for that purpose, to vacate, change the grade of, or alter the lines of any streets or highways therein—333, 335, 345, 353, 416.

138 to amend an act entitled "An act for the classification of counties of this state for all purposes of legislation in relation thereto," approved February seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three—273, 277, 279, 288, 306, 410, 411, 440, 443, 478, 510, 543.

139 to amend an act entitled "An act for the classification of cities of this state for the purpose of municipal legislation in relation thereto," approved March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two—273, 278, 279, 288, 307.

140 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate cemeteries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—300, 301, 322, 336, 352.

142 to authorize the paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of roads, streets and highways in towns, townships, boroughs, villages, and in municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions, and to provide a method of issuing bonds to meet the expenses of such improvements—442, 445, 458, 475, 491.

145 to amend an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the formation of gaslight corporations and regulate the same,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six," which supplemental act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one—278, 279, 459, 476.

146 concerning the granting of licenses to inns and taverns and for the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in cities of the third and fourth class in this state—437, 442, 509, 552.

149 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), which act was approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. Supplement to—333, 335, 357, 370, 472.

150 An act to incorporate the borough of Wood-Lynne, in the county of Camden—300, 301, 347, 352, 416.

152 in relation to appropriations for the purpose of raising money by taxation in the cities of this state—334, 335, 358, 391, 393, 396.

155 relating to the management of the New Jersey reformatory—480, 482, 483, 494.

156 entitled "An act concerning taxes," approved April fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six. A further supplement to—531, 532, 534, 541, 554.

158 to repeal an act entitled "An act relating to a state reformatory," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—482, 483, 495, 496.

159 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the military and naval forces" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—361, 364.

160 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—531, 532, 533, 541, 542.

164 entitled "An act authorizing the incorporated cities, towns, townships and boroughs of this state to fund their floating indebtedness and their matured and maturing bonds," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—482, 483, 544, 566.

166 to enable counties which have no county hospital to assist in constructing or enlarging hospitals located in such county—436, 440, 443, 474, 491.

171 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the formation, establishment and government of towns," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five—441, 444, 458, 475, 527.

172 to establish an excise department in incorporated towns and cities of this state—482, 483, 497, 513.

173 entitled "An act concerning the commitment of insane persons into hospitals for the insane, public or private, or any institution or retreat for the care and treatment of the insane in this state, and their confinement therein," approved April second, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—516, 517, 521, 540, 556, 561, 570.

174 to authorize the trustees of churches and religious societies to take and hold property in trust for certain purposes—298, 457, 475, 547.

175 entitled "An act for the relief of creditors against absconding and absent debtors" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. A supplement to—482, 484, 521.

176 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—298, 299, 329, 354, 484.

180 (general) concerning taxation—440, 443, 475, 548.

181 to perfect the title of real estate held by the board of education of the township of Union, county of Ocean, in the state of New Jersey—517, 518, 520, 540, 553.

182 An act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax intestates' estates, gifts, legacies, devises and collateral inheritance in certain cases,' approved May fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," which supplementary act was approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—558.

185 to amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—482, 484, 521, 541, 562.

187 to set off territory from the township of Riverside, in the county of Burlington, and annex the same to the township of Delran, in said county—436, 441, 444, 451, 489.

188 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—440, 444, 459, 476, 526.

189 relating to wharves and docks in cities of the third class—482, 484, 582.

190 to amend 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 seventeen, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight—531, 532, 535, 542, 554.

193 entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction, and regulating proceedings in criminal cases," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—441, 444, 458, 475, 549.

194 entitled "An act relating to the court of common pleas," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A supplement to—441, 443, 475, 549.

198 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of free public libraries in the towns, townships or any other municipality in this state," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety—334, 335, 345, 355, 471.

199 to divide the state into districts for the purpose of electing members of the house of representatives of the United States, and prescribing the boundaries of such districts—334, 381, 391, 419.

200 entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four. Supplement to—441, 443, 457, 475, 548.

201 to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Brooklyn, in the county of Sussex, and to fix the boundaries thereof," approved April second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—441, 444, 458, 475, 547.

206 to authorize corporations organized for religious, educational or benevolent purposes to take and hold property to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and also to serve as trustee, executor or administrator—530, 531, 534, 541, 555.

208 entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven. Amendment of—441, 444, 458, 475, 550.

211 to provide for the appointment of commissioners to examine into and report upon the proposed abandonment of the Morris canal and all questions relating thereto—441, 444.

217 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—516, 518, 534, 541, 542.

219 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—517, 518, 521, 541, 562.

221 to provide for the erection or purchase of armories for the national guard in counties of the third class of this state—517, 518, 534, 543.

223 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—558, 571.

224 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1898), approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—480, 482, 484, 511.

225 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons," approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five—558, 581.

227 entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. A further supplement to—558, 566.

229 to perfect the docketing of judgments recovered in any of the district courts of this state in the court of common pleas in and for the county in which such court is situate—531, 534, 541, 564.

230 to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply—440, 458.

232 entitled "An act relative to past due taxes and assessments in towns and townships," passed March fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety. Supplement to—516, 517, 520, 540, 556.

233 to establish an excise department in cities of the first class in this state—516, 517, 520, 540, 573, 575, 576.

234 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the military and naval forces" (Revision of 1900)—531, 532, 535, 542, 565.

235 to amend section one of an act entitled "An act relative to recorders of this state," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six—516, 517, 545, 566.

236 to incorporate the borough of Roselle Park, in the county of Union, and fix the boundaries thereof—522, 524, 534, 541, 553.

237 to authorize municipalities to modify the terms of any contract heretofore or hereafter made for a new water-supply—522, 524, 533, 542, 560.

239 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 one, approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—475, 558, 560.

240 An act making appropriations for the support of the state government and for the several public purposes for the fiscal year ending October thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two—558, 561.

241 entitled "An act to prescribe the notice to be given of applications to the legislature for laws when notice is required by the constitution," approved January twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six. A supplement to—516, 517, 521, 540.

Assembly Joint Resolutions.

1 Joint resolution—By Mr. Blackwell—entitled "Joint resolution in relation to medals for the survivors of the officers and men who enlisted from the state of New Jersey during the war of the rebellion, under the proclamation of the President dated April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in consequence of the requisition of the war department for our quota of seventy-five thousand men from this state dated April seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and to be known as the 'first defenders' medal'" —43, 78, 79, 218, 580.

2 entitled "Joint resolution providing for the appointment of commissioners to investigate the oyster industry of this state and report amendments to or a revision of the laws pertaining to the same"—433, 503, 581.

Senate Joint Resolution.

Joint resolution No. 1, to enforce the payment to the state treasurer by the officers of the Maurice River Cove and Delaware Bay Oyster Association of funds in their hands belonging to the State of New Jersey—521, 541, 571.

Assembly Concurrent Resolutions.

Concurrent Resolution—By Mr. Meeker.—The following amendment to the constitution of this state be and the same is hereby proposed, and when the same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of assembly and the senate, the said amendment shall be entered on their journals with the yeas and nays thereon and referred to the legislature next to be chosen, and published for three months previous to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next in at least one newspaper of each county, to be designated by the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of assembly and the secretary of state. Add to article four, section four, paragraph three, the following: The lieutenant-governor shall be president of the senate, but shall have no vote except in case of an equal division; the senate may elect one of their number to be president *pro tempore*, who may act in case of the death, absence or disability of the lieutenant-governor, or in the event of his assuming the duties of governor. Amend article five by adding thereto a new paragraph, to be numbered fifteen, as follows: A lieutenant-governor shall be elected for the same term as the governor, and his qualifications and the manner of his election in all respects shall be the same; in case of the removal of the governor from office, or of his death, failure to qualify, resignation, removal from the state, or inability to discharge the powers and duties of the office, the said office, with its compensation, shall devolve upon the lieutenant-governor; the first lieutenant-governor shall be chosen at the first general election to be held after this paragraph takes effect. The lieutenant-governor shall, by virtue of his office, be president of the boards having charge of the state hospitals for the insane, the state reformatory, the state home for boys and the state home for girls, and such other boards having charge of charitable, reformatory and penal institutions as the legislature may determine. He shall receive, in addition to his compensation as president of the senate, a compensation which shall be neither increased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected. He shall, during said period, be ineligible to be elected to the office of governor—28, 108, 132, 146, 598.

By Mr. Waite.—WHEREAS, the United States government has named one of the battleships now in course of construction the New Jersey, *and whereas*, it is

customary for states honored by the names of war vessels to make acknowledgment of the same by appropriate testimonials, *and whereas*, it is neither right nor expedient that the children of the different schools of the state should be taxed for money to contribute toward state affairs, which should be provided for by the state itself, through its official representatives, the senate and the general assembly; therefore, be it *Resolved*, By the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that the governor, the president of the senate, the speaker of the house of assembly, the secretary of state, and the adjutant general be and are hereby constituted a commission to consider what form or forms such testimonial or testimonials should take, the time, manner and place of presenting the same, with the probable expenses incident thereto, and to report their recommendations to the legislature—60, 111.

Concurrent resolution—requesting Governor to return to the Assembly, Assembly Bill No. 219.

entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution"—205, 274, 367, 369.

requesting the Governor to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 138—411.

entitled "A concurrent resolution for the amendment of the constitution"—468, 598.

entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution providing for the division of the state into senate districts—499, 598.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions.

Concurrent resolution No. 1, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution concerning the executive and judiciary"—134, 274, 445.

No. 2, entitled "Proposed amendments to the constitution, providing for biennial sessions"—301, 374, 391, 405.

By Mr. Tennant—That Assembly Bill No. 144 be returned to the House for amendment—304.

By Mr. Lewis—That both houses of the Legislature do adjourn *sine die*, Friday, the twenty-second day of March, 1901, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day —349.

By Mr. Boyd—That the Governor be requested to return Assembly Bill No. 49—419.

Requesting the return to the Senate of Senate Bill No. 138—410.

Requesting the Governor to return to the Senate Senate Bill No. 138—411.

Requesting the return of Assembly Bill No. 213—533.

Requesting the Governor to return Senate Bill No. 69 to the Senate—557.

Resolutions.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—That the reading of the certificates of the election of the respective members be dispensed with—1.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Hon. Robert M. Boyd, of Essex county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member-elect of this House, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Chester R. Snyder, of Monmouth county, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members-elect—1.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Hon. Adrian Lyon, of Middlesex county, who is a Master in Chancery and a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when elected—2.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the House do now proceed with the election of Speaker and other officers—2.

By Mr. Lewis.—That we now proceed to the election of the Clerk of the House—3.

By Mr. Lewis.—That a committee of three be appointed forthwith by the Speaker to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. William J. Bradley, of Camden county, as Speaker, and Hon. James Parker, of Passaic county, as Clerk, and is now ready to proceed to business, and also to receive any communication he may be pleased to make—4.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby directed to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has organized by the election of Hon. William J. Bradley, of Camden county, as Speaker, and Hon. James Parker, of Passaic county, as Clerk, and has proceeded to business—4.

By Mr. Lewis.—That we now proceed to fill the several positions and that nominations be made and a vote taken for all the positions at one and the same time—4.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the following-named persons be and they are hereby elected to the several positions set opposite their respective names: Assistant Clerk, George E. Poole, of Morris county; Journal Clerk, George J. Coe, of Union county; Assistant Journal Clerk, William J. Kammerer, of Passaic county; Supervisor of Bills, Chas. H. Folwell, of Burlington county; First Assistant Supervisor of Bills, George A. Grover, of Essex county; Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills, Solomon H. Rogers, of Mercer county; Sergeant-at-Arms, Frank Tantum, of Monmouth county; First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, David O. Park, of Ocean county; Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, J. Francis Barrington, of Somerset county; Bill Clerk, George P. Powell, of Essex county; Assistant Bill Clerk, William H. Cole, of Camden county; Assistant to Clerk of the House, Christopher O'Brien, of Bergen county; Keepers of Gentlemen's Gallery, Erwin T. West, of Essex county; Howard P. Shaner, of Atlantic county; Keepers of Ladies' Gallery, Brice P. Walling, of Sussex county; George Higgins, of Camden county. Doorkeepers, Edward McClintock, John C.

Bachellor, Chas. Dussing, Charles P. Schmidt, of Essex county; John P. Arnold, Charles D. Reese, of Union county; George Jordan, of Salem county; Charles A. Schaeffer, Richard A. Peltier, of Middlesex county; Albert Ottinger, Atlantic county; William Peacock, Cumberland county; W. Scott Homans, of Gloucester county. Pages, John Oestrich, DeWitt Bannester, Wm. B. Blackman, Jos. A. McGlynn, of Essex county; John King, Jr., of Passaic county; Wm. Kuse, of Middlesex county; William Voorhees, of Monmouth county; William Morgan, Jr., of Mercer county; Charles J. Keeler, of Mercer county; Luke Vanaman, Cape May county—5.

Resolution—By Mr. Marks (substitute, as follows): Assistant Clerk, Charles E. Harris, of Warren county; Journal Clerk, John H. Meares, of Hudson county; Assistant Journal Clerk, George A. Beatty, of Warren county; Supervisor of Bills, Eugene Cowell, of Hunterdon county; First Assistant Supervisor of Bills, J. William Miller, of Warren county; Second Assistant Supervisor of Bills, Marks Sullivan, of Hudson county; Sergeant-at-Arms, Thos. F. Bulger, Hudson county; First Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, John Kitchen, of Warren county; Second Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Robert V. Kinsley, of Warren county; Bill Clerk, Orville H. Dilts, of Hunterdon county; Assistant Bill Clerk, Thomas A. Fountain, of Sussex county; Assistant Clerk of House, Eugene Hoffman, of Hunterdon county; Keeper Gents' Gallery, Frederick Parker, of Hunterdon county; Keeper Ladies' Gallery, John C. Sweeney, of Hudson county. Doorkeepers, John Hogan, of Hudson county; Charles D. Kelly, of Hudson county; Samuel D. Skillman, of Hunterdon county; Joseph Dilts, of Hunterdon county; Lawrence Neighbor, of Warren county; Ezra M. Johnson, of Warren county; Jesse Smith, of Warren county; William Ledger, of Hunterdon county; Peter T. Sullivan, of Hudson county; Edward Greene, of Hudson county; David Brosser, of Hudson county; William H. Snyder, of Hunterdon county. Pages, Milton Bamberger, of Hudson county; Abraham Davis, of Hudson county; William J. Boucher, of Hudson county; Joseph Sacks, of Hudson county; William H. Butler, of Hunterdon county; John Dolan, of Hudson county; Harkimer Murphy, of Hudson county; Edward Capple, of Hudson county; Edward Mahler, of Hudson county; Russell Madison, of Hunterdon county—6.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the regular hours of meeting of this House be 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and 8 o'clock in the evening when evening sessions are ordered —22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the privileges of the floor be and the same are hereby extended to all ex-members of the House—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the rules of the last House as published in the Legislative Manual of 1900, with the amendments thereto, as printed and published in the Minutes of the Assembly of last year, be adopted as the rules of the House until further ordered—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn it be to meet on Friday morning next at 10 o'clock, and when then adjourned it be to meet on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Speaker be and he is hereby authorized to appoint a committee of three members of this House, to be known as the Committee on Rules—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That a committee of three be appointed to furnish bill-files and minute-files for the use of members and officers of this House—22.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker to procure the attendance of clergymen to open sessions of this House with prayer—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That four hundred copies of all bills be printed for the use of the members of the House and Senate—22.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Clerk of this House be and he is hereby directed to furnish one hundred copies of Members' Pocket Calendar, Legislature 1901, the same not to exceed in cost one dollar per copy—23.

By Mr. Lewis.—That each member and officer of this House be provided with five hundred "complimentary" slips—23.

By Mr. Lewis—That the number of copies of the Legislative Manual apportioned by law to the House of Assembly be distributed by the Sergeant-at-Arms as follows: To each member of the House, eighteen copies; to the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Supervisor of Bills and Speaker's Private Secretary, each six copies; to the Assistant to the Clerk, Assistant Journal Clerk, and the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, each four copies; to the Speaker's Assistant Private Secretary and the Bill Clerk, each three copies; to the Assistant Bill Clerk, two copies; to the Assistant Supervisor of Bills, two copies; to the clerks to the committees, doorkeepers, pages and legislative correspondents and to reporters, one copy—23.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Clerk of the House be instructed to furnish the members of the House and the representatives of the press with files of the Senate and House bills, introduced and passed, by title, printed on gummed paper in suitable form for pasting in the pocket calendar—23.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the following committees be allowed a clerk: Judiciary, Revision of Laws, Municipal Corporations, Railroads and Canals, Corporations and Committee on Printed Bills—23.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the same number of copies of the Governor's Message be printed as were printed of the Governor's Message last year—23.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—26.

By Mr. Marks.—WHEREAS, The officials of certain institutions for the care of the insane in a neighboring State have recently been subjected to much public criticism because of the treatment of persons intrusted to their care; *and whereas*, the people of the State of New Jersey are entitled not only to have such institutions properly administered, but also to know that they are properly administered; *and whereas*, an investigation of any institution in which there is a lack of confidence cannot fail to be productive of good to all concerned; *and whereas*, it is currently reported that numbers of persons are illegally restrained of their liberty in the institution known as the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains; now, therefore, be it *Resolved*, That the Speaker appoint a committee of five members, with full power and authority to examine and inquire into all and singular the affairs, conduct, control, commitment of alleged insane persons, and all matters connected therewith and relating to the said institution, the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains; that such committee shall be and hereby is authorized to hold sessions at the State House, in Trenton, at the said institution, or elsewhere within this State, to secure the services of a stenographer and clerk, and to send for and require the attendance of all persons in anywise concerned

in said institution, or the matters connected therewith, and to require the production of all books and papers in anywise connected with said institution. The Sergeant-at-Arms of this Assembly shall be the Sergeant-at-Arms of said committee, and attend thereon. The said committee shall report to this House the result of its sittings, and any recommendations it may have to offer in the premises, on or before March 4th, 1901—27.

Resolution—By Mr. Bachellor.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F. Connelly, the Hon. Chas. E. Hill and the Hon. Albert T. Guenther, former members of this House from Essex county—29.

By Mr. Snyder.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. George B. Snyder, a former member of this House—34.

By Mr. Tennant.—That the privilege of the floor of this House be and it is hereby extended to Hon. Robert S. Hudspeth, a former member and former Speaker of this House, and now Senator from Hudson county—35.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—38.

By Mr. Bachellor.—That the privilege of the floor of the House be extended the Hon. Jacob Clark, a former member of the House—38.

By Mr. Tennant.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. James E. Murphy, a former member of the House—39.

By Mr. Meeker.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Grand Lodge of Master Masons of New Jersey, now about to assemble in this city—39.

By Mr. Lord.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Wiseman, a former member of the House—39.

By Mr. Fallon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn, a former member of the House—39.

By Mr. Connolly.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. T. J. Carroll, a former member of the House—40.

By Mr. Rice.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F. Connolly, a former member of the House—40.

By Mr. Cummings.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Amos W. Harrison, a former member of the House—40.

By Mr. Tillotson.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John M. Bell, a former member of the House—48.

By Mr. L. Abbett.—WHEREAS, During the session of the House of Assembly of 1900, a committee of five of its members were duly appointed to inquire into certain charges or rumors of mismanagement of the state institution known as the State Industrial School for Girls (now State Home for Girls); *and whereas*, in pursuance of a further resolution of the House of Assembly, adopted at the session of 1900, the report of said committee was delivered to His Excellency the Governor of this State, to be by him delivered to this House; *and whereas*, this House was duly organized on the 8th day of January, instant; *and whereas*, said report is still in the possession of His Excellency the Governor; now therefore be it *Resolved*, That the Clerk of this House be and that he is hereby directed to forthwith communicate with His Excellency the Governor and to most respectfully request him to deliver to this House said report of said committee—49.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, The time having come for the election of a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey, to fill the full term of six years, commencing on the fourth day of March, 1901, be it *Resolved*, That, in accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress relating to such election, the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey do now proceed to the election of a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey for the full term of six years, commencing on the fourth day of March, 1901—50.

By Mr. Lewis.—That nominations for a Senator in Congress from the State of New Jersey are now in order—51.

By Mr. Bacheller.—That the House of Assembly has learned with profound sorrow of the death of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and sympathizes with her people in the loss of their beloved sovereign, recognizing in her a good ruler, a model mother and a splendid woman—52.

By Mr. Abbett.—WHEREAS, the representatives of the people of these United States in Congress, as well as in our State Legislatures, should be chosen by the direct vote of the people; *and whereas*, the Constitution of the United States makes a different provision in regard to the members to compose the Senate of the United States; now, therefore, be it *Resolved* (the Senate concurring), That it is the will and wish of the people of the State of New Jersey that paragraph 1 of section 3 of Article I of the Constitution of the United States be amended in such a way that it shall provide that the Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, to be chosen by the legal voters of such State, at an election held for that purpose; and be it further *Resolved*, That the representatives of the State of New Jersey, in the Congress of the United States, be and they are hereby requested to advocate such an amendment; and be it further *Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions, duly attested by the Clerk of this House, be forwarded to each representative of this State in the Congress of the United States—52.

By Mr. Marks.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. David O. Watkins, former Speaker of the House—52.

By Mr. Steelman.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James C. Hunt, a former member of the House—52.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Stern, a former member of the House—53.

By Mr. Lyon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward W. Hicks, a former member of the House.—53.

By Mr. Bacheller.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James F Connelly, a former member of the House—53.

By Mr. Moore.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. T. F. Austin, a former member of the House—53.

By Mr. Bacheller.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Fred. J. Deleot, a former member of the House—53.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Ira W. Wood, a former member of the House—55.

By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, The hour of 12 o'clock meridian, of Wednesday, the 23d day of January, 1901, having arrived, the time fixed by the act of Congress entitled "An act to regulate the time and manner of holding the election of Senators in Congress," for the members of the Senate and General Assembly to convene in joint assembly; be it *Resolved*, That the Clerk inform the Senate that the House of Assembly now awaits their presence in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose set forth in the said act of Congress—55.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of this General Assembly that the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey proposes to hold a memorial service on the 22d of February next in honor of the late Brevet Major-General William S. Stryker, Adjutant General of New Jersey, and late President of that Society; *and whereas*, this General Assembly desires to place upon record its high sense of appreciation of the long, faithful and brilliant services, covering a period of over thirty-three years, rendered New Jersey by General Stryker as an officer, historian and public-minded citizen; therefore, be it *Resolved*, That the Speaker is authorized, and he is hereby directed to invite the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of New Jersey to hold such memorial exercises in this chamber—56.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—57.

By Mr. Blohm.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Scovel, a former member of the House—59.

By Mr. Lord.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John P. Dexheimer, a former member of the House—59.

By Mr. Gnichtel.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J. Budhead Woolsey, a former member of the House —60.

By Mr. Kirkbride.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William T. Parker, a former member of the House—60.

By Mr. Dennin.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Carl H. Ruempler, a former member of the House—60.

By Mr. Laudenberger.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. L. H. Trimmer, a former member of the House—60.

By Mr. Laudenberger.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. George F. Martens, Jr., a former member of the House—60.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Hinchcliffe, a former Senator and now Mayor of Paterson; the Hon. Joseph S. Lang, the Hon. John Wright and the Hon. John Kane, all of Peterson—60.

By Mr. Cummings.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Amos W. Harrison, a former member of the House —60.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to Hon. P. H. Shields, a former member of this House—72.

By Mr. White.—WHEREAS, Jacob B. Smith, who was duly elected a member of this House from the county of Warren, is sick and confined to his home, and has not been qualified as required by the Consiitution; therefore, be it *Resolved*, That Charles R. Snyder be and is hereby authorized to qualify the said Jacob B. Smith as a member of this House, at his home—72.

By Mr. White.—That twelve additional legislative manuals be purchased for and allotted to each member of the House of Assembly—77.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—80.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Sturr, a former member of this House, and Sheriff of Passaic county, Hon. Geo. W. Bobtyl, Hon. John J. Powers, Hon. Edward Morgan, all of Passaic county—83.

Resolution—By Mr. Lord.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Benj. F. Jones, a former member and Speaker of the House—83.

By Mr. Keasler.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. W. Stalter, a former member of the House—83.

By Mr. Bacheller.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. L. Robenstein, a former member of the House—83.

By Mr. Dennin.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James W. Moylan, a former member of the House—84.

By Mr. Tillotson.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon John M. Bell, a former member of the House—84.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry J. Nicklin, a former member of the House—84.

By Mr. Lutz.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J. Emil Walshied, a former member of the House—96.

By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, 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 their presence in the Assembly Chamber—101.

By Mr. Lewis.—That a copy of the resolution tendering the use of this chamber to the Society of the Cincinnati in New Jersey on the occasion of their memorial exercises on February 22d, be engrossed, signed by the Speaker, attested by the Clerk, and sent by the Speaker to the family of the late General Stryker—104.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—106.

By Mr Brock.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. James J. Bergen, a former member of the House—114.

By Mr. Garrison.—WHEREAS, The nomination by the Governor of the Hon. Mahlon Pitney for Supreme Court Justice received immediate confirmation by the Senate; *Resolved*, That the House of Assembly recognizes in the elevation of the presiding officer of the Senate an official act which reflects credit upon the Senate and confers honor and distinction upon a gentlemen eminently fitted for the bench by education, legal training, experience and ability—114.

By Mr. Gnichtel.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob Rau, a former member of the House—114.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to William R. Close, Joseph S. Lang, John Wright, Rudolph H. Matthias, Abraham Kammerling, Bernard J Roegiers, Hon. John Hinchliffe, Michael Dunn, Hon. P. H. Shields, Hon. De Witt C. Bolton, George W. Botbyl, Wm. T. Whitmore, John Blauvelt, all of Paterson; Col. John H. Parker, John Kealer, E. N. Kieviett, Henry Myers, of city of Passaic; David Wickham, of West Milford township; Thomas M. Ryle, of Little Falls township—114.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Barton B. Hutchinson and Hon. Symmes Hutchinson, former members of this House—114.

By Mr. Fallon—That the committee on revision of laws be relieved of the further consideration of Assembly Bill No. 73—124.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—152.

Resolution—By Mr. Tennant.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Fergus Kelaher, a former member of the House—156.

By Mr. Roe.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William P. Coursen, a former member of the House—156.

By Mr. Lord.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John W. Weseman, a former member of the House, and the Hon. George E. De Camp, Register of Deeds of the county of Essex—156.

By Mr. Lewis.—That a committee of five members of this House be appointed by the Speaker to confer with the Senate Committee in the matter of Congressional apportionment—156.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William Exton, a former member of the House—157.

By Mr. Tillotson.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Abram De Ronde, a former member of the House—157.

By Mr. Lutz.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. O. Armbruster, a former member of the House—157.

By Mr. Gnichtel.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. M. L. Glorieux, a former member of the House—157.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Wm. I. Lewis, a former member of the House—157.

By Mr. Kirkbride.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. O. H. Brown, a former member of the House—167.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William Ossenberg, a former member of the House—167.

By Mr. Snyder.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. George B. Snyder, a former member of the House—167.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—186.

By Mr. Whitehead.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob W. Walsh, of Morris county, a former member of the House—190.

By Mr. Waite.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. William H. Izard, a former member of the House—190.

By Mr. Gnichtel.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. C. Valentine Baumann, a former member of the House—190.

Mr. Vollers.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Andrew J. Boyle, a former member of the House—190.

By Mr. Bacheller.—That the Supervisor of Bills be and he is hereby directed to have printed two hundred additional copies of Assembly Bill No. 258—191.

By Mr. Marks.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Byrnes, a former member of the House—191.

By Mr. Lutz.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Zeller, a former member of the House—191.

By Mr. Lewis.—That two hundred extra copies of Assembly Bills Nos. 34, 91, 93 and 214, and four hundred extra copies of Assembly Bill 261 be printed for the use of the members—191.

By Mr. Fallon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn, Hon. Wm. O. Armbruster and Hon. Wm. H. Dodd, former members of the House—191.

By Mr. Sharwell.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Kristler, a former member of the House—191.

Resolution—By Mr. Tennant.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. J. Herbert Potts, a former member of the House—191.

By Mr. Lyon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. H. Tice, a former member of the House—191.

By Mr. Hoagland.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Edward Cooper, a former member of the House—200.

By Mr. Lewis.—That two hundred additional copies of Assembly Bill No. 93 be printed—205.

By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, 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 their presence in the Assembly Chamber—206.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock—246.

By Mr. Garrison.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. C. F. Hopkins, a former member of the House—253.

By Mr. Fallon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutshorn, a former member of the House—253.

By Mr. Whitehead.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Charles A. Baker, a former member of the House from Morris county—253.

By Mr. Carr.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Adolphus Ernst, a former member of the House from Ocean county—253.

By Mr. L. Abbett.—That the Committee on Revision of Laws be relieved from the further consideration of the resolution favoring the election of United States Senators by the people—253.

By Mr. Abbett.—That the Committee on Industrial School for Girls be relieved from the further consideration of the report of the special committee appointed to investigate certain rumors and charges of alleged mismanagement of said school, and that said report be laid at once before this House—254.

By Mr. Abbett.—That two hundred extra copies of Assembly Bill No. 325 be printed—266.

By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, The hour of twelve o'clock, noon, 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 their presence in the Assembly Chamber—268.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—316.

By Mr. Gnichtel.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Geo. F. Brandenberg, a former members of the House—323.

By Mr. Dennin.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to Judge James J. Muaphy, a former member of the House from Hudson county—323.

By Mr. Stalter.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Donohoe, a former member of the House—323.

By Mr. Fallon.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry M. Nutzhorn and Wm. C. Heppenheimer, former members of the House—323.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—That the rule providing for the re-printing of all bills be suspended, and that on the third reading of bills the printed copy thereof shall be used in the place and stead of the usual official copy re-print—364.

By Mr. Marks.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House from Hudson county—364.

By Mr. Lewis.—WHEREAS, the people of our nation have learned with profound sorrow of the death of Benjamin Harrison, an ex-President of the United States, and one of the most distinguished patriots and statesmen the country has known since its birth; therefore be it *Resolved*, That this House of Legislature make known in this way its sense of the public loss sustained in his death—375.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the members of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen, now in session in this city—378.

By Mr. Steelman.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the delegation from the State Normal School for Girls—390.

By Mr. Lewis.—That when the House adjourn, it be to meet on Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening at 8 o'clock—394.

By Mr. Blohm.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Joseph D. Whitaker, and Hon. H. C. Laudenslager, former members of this House—398.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Joseph H. Krenrich and the Hon. John Crawford, former members of the Minnesota House, and the Hon. William Ossenberg, a former member of this House—398.

By Mr. Lord.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Stetson, Mayor of the City of Orange—398.

By Mr. Stillwell.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House.—399.

By Mr. Tillotson.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Abram De Ronde, a former member of the House—399.

By Mr. Foote.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Roger F. Murray, the gentleman from Plainfield—399.

By Mr. Foote.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Robert G. Houston, a former member of the House—400.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon Thos. Flynn, a former Speaker of the House—400.

By Mr. Horner.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Henry Sydnev Scovel, a former member of the House from Camden county—400.

By Mr. Stillwell.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Allan Benny, a former member of the House—460.

By Mr. Lewis.—That hereafter the rule which requires that twenty-four hours must elapse before bills which have passed the House shall be sent to the Senate, be suspended, and that the Clerk be directed to forward such bills as are passed by the House to the Senate at the earliest possible moment—460.

By Mr. Rees.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John Ginder, a former member of the House—500.

By Mr. Horner.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John J. Gardner, a member of Congress from the State of New Jersey—525.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—That the rules be suspended, and that all bills that are on second reading be placed on third reading, without motion—545.

By Mr. Fleming.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. John B. Yard, a former member of the House from Mercer county—545.

By Mr. Garrabrants.—That the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Jacob Clark, a former member of the House—545.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Senate bills be taken up and considered without reference—559.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the index of the minutes of the Assembly for the present session be prepared by James Parker, Clerk of the House of Assembly, in the same manner as the index of the minutes of last year, and that he be paid therefor the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars—573.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Sergeant-at-Arms be and he is hereby directed to deliver to the Custodian of the State House all supplies remaining in his hands at the close of the session of 1901—575.

By Mr. Lewis.—That this House returns its sincere congratulations and thanks to the Hon. William J. Bradley, its Speaker, for the fair, courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over and guided its deliberations. He has, in his first term in the chair, maintained an unequaled record for promptness in the dispatch of business, for attention to the welfare of the State, and for evenhanded recognition of the majority and minority alike. He enjoys the confidence of all, and receives, as he merits, the best wishes of every member—574.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby tendered to the Hon. Maurice Marks for his honest, able and courteous conduct as leader of the minority in the deliberations of the House during the present session—574.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the chairmen of the standing committees be requested to hand all bills not acted on to the Clerk of the House—574.

By Mr. Lewis—That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to James Parker, Clerk; George E. Poole, Assistant Clerk; George Jarvis Coe, Journal Clerk; William J. Kammerer, Assistant Journal Clerk, and each of the officers of the House, for the efficient and faithful manner in which they have discharged the duties of their respective offices—574.

By Mr. Williams.—WHEREAS, Charles H. Folwell, of Burlington county, having completed four years of continuous service, two as Engrossing Clerk, and two as Supervisor of Bills of this House, it is *Resolved*, That the sincere thanks of the House of Assembly are tendered Mr. Folwell for the faithful, conscientious and intelligent manner in which he has discharged the duties of his office, and for his unfailing courtesy to all the members of this House, and careful and considerate attention to their wants—574.

By Mr. Marks.—That the thanks of the House be and the same are hereby tendered to the Hon. Vivian M. Lewis, for his able, honest and courteous conduct as leader of the majority in the deliberations of this House during the present session—575.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the Sergeant-at-Arms be directed to make an immediate inventory of all stationery, books and other articles in his own possession and in the possession of the various officers and committees of the House and turn the same over to the

Comptroller, taking his receipt therefor, and the Comptroller is hereby directed to retain the same for the use of the next Legislature—576.

Resolution—By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House of Assembly be tendered to George A. Grover and Solomon H. Rogers, Assistant Supervisors of Bills; Frank Tantum, Sergeant-at-Arms; George P. Powell, Bill Clerk, and their assistants, for the efficient and courteous manner in which they have attended to the wants of the House during this session—576.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House of Assembly are hereby extended to Hon. John H. Bonnell, Custodian of the State House, and his assistants, for the manner in which he has provided for the wants and comfort of the members of the House during this session—577.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House be and are hereby tendered to the publishers of the daily "State Gazette" and the daily "True American," both of Trenton, for the papers served to the individual members during this session—577.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House of Assembly be and are hereby extended to the newspaper correspondents for the uniform fairness with which they have treated the members of the House—577.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of this House be and are hereby extended to William H. Meseroll, Document Clerk, for the efficient and courteous manner in which he has attended to the wants of the House during this session—577.

By Mr. Lewis.—That a committee of three be appointed to wait on the Governor and inform him that the House is ready to adjourn *sine die*, and ask him if he has any further communication to transmit to the House—577.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of the House of Assembly be tendered to Messrs. MacCrellish & Quigley for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which the current printing for this session has been performed—582.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the thanks of this House be and the same are hereby extended to the Pages, Doorkeepers and other attaches of this House, for their untiring efforts to please the members—582.

By Mr. Lewis.—That the members of the House do hereby express their appreciation of the gentlemanly, fair and uniformly kind treatment received by them at the hands of Mr. Upton S. Jeffreys, the Speaker's Private Secretary—582.

By Mr. Lewis.—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—583.

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