

MINUTES

OF

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

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- Camden* ..... WILLIAM B. KNIGHT  
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# Assembly Standing Committees

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## *Agriculture and Agricultural College*

Kuser, Wettstein, Sterner, Bethke, Rittenhouse

## *Appropriations*

Jones, Purdy, Summers, Stewart, Carty

## *Banking and Insurance*

Gopsill, Stewart, Blunt, Morrison, Vanderbach

## *Bill Revision*

Altman, Kautz, Marini, Compton, Roder

## *Boroughs and Borough Commissions*

Newcomb, Lorenz, Hand, Young, Roder

## *Claims and Pensions*

Summers, Peters, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski

## *Commerce and Navigation*

Sterner, Muir, Powers, Huelsenbeck, Vanderbach

## *Corporations*

Litwin, Young, Siracusa, Otto, D'Elia

## *Education*

Haines, Newcomb, Hanson, Purdy, Carty

## *Elections*

Kautz, Marini, Sterner, Jones, Barison

## *Federal Relations*

Purdy, Jones, Kalamen, Pierson, Greenberg

*Game and Fisheries*

Morrison, Powers, Kuser, Pierson, Vanderbach

*Highways*

Wise, Spair, Litwin, Huelsenbeck, D'Elia

*Incidental Expenses*

Stewart, Muir, Baxter, Stein, Parentini

*Interstate Relations*

Powers, Edgar, Lorenz, Weber, Mercolino

*Judiciary*

Knight, Spair, Smock, Kautz, Barison

*Labor and Industries*

Pierson, Purdy, Otto, Hanson, Mercolino

*Militia*

Blunt, Edgar, Powers, Wettstein, Barison

*Miscellaneous Business*

Siracusa, Kuser, Gopsill, Morrison, Rittenhouse

*Municipal Corporations*

Leap, Otto, Spair, Letzgus, Bucino

*Printed Bills*

Muir, Weber, Cassini, Haines, McDermott

*Public Health*

Baxter, McMurray, Leap, Altman, Parentini

*Railroads and Canals*

Smock, Wettstein, McMurray, Huelsenbeck, Bucino

*Revision of Laws*

Otto, Hollinshed, Wise, Barbour, Greenberg

*Riparian Rights*

McMurray, Hollinshed, Wise, Pursel, Greenberg

*Social Welfare*

Stelle, Summers, Newcomb, Peters, Carty

*Stationery*

Huelsenbeck, Smock, Hanson, McMurray, McDermott

*Taxation*

Compton, McWilliams, Stelle, Kalamen, Duszynski

*Towns and Townships*

Cassini, Weber, Stewart, Pursel, Rittenhouse

*Unfinished Business*

Wettstein, Hanson, Kautz, Leap, Parentini

*Ways and Means*

Kuser, Gopsill, Huelsenbeck, Morrison, Mercolino

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## SPECIAL COMMITTEES

*Clergy*

McWilliams, Peters, Barbour, Hand, McDermott

*Rules*

Blunt, Compton, Smock, Purdy, Barison

*Steering*

Siracusa, Gopsill, Muir, Smock, Kuser, Wise, Purdy, Morrison  
Spair, Knight (Majority Leader), Gabrielson (Speaker)  
F. A. Brodesser, Clerk

*Conference*

Siracusa, Leap, Wise, Morrison, Purdy, Powers, Sterner  
Knight (Majority Leader), Gabrielson (Speaker)



# Assembly Joint Committees

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*Home for Feeble-Minded Women*

Stein, Otto, Haines, Weber, Carty

*Industrial School for Colored Youth*

Barbour, Baxter, Altman, Wettstein, Greenberg

*Industrial School for Girls*

Cassini, Peters, McMurray, Compton, Carty

*New Jersey State Reformatory*

Marini, Blunt, Gopsill, Stewart, Bucino

*Passed Bills*

Hanson, Leap, Purdy, Kautz, D'Elia

*Printing*

Hand, Pierson, Litwin, Morrison, Rittenhouse

*Public Grounds and Buildings*

Young, Spair, Litwin, Edgar, Mercolino

*Reform School for Boys*

Edgar, Summers, Huelsenbeck, Young, D'Elia

*Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases*

Newcomb, Lorenz, Barbour, Weber, Rittenhouse

*School for Deaf-Mutes*

Pursel, Newcomb, Stelle, Marini, Roder

*School for Feeble-Minded Children*

Hollinshed, Altman, Jones, Summers, McDermott

*Sinking Fund*

Siracusa, Compton, Blunt, Gopsill, Vanderbach

*Soldiers' Home*

Jones, Sterner, Otto, Purdy, Roder

*State Hospitals*

Bethke, Muir, Peters, McWilliams, Duszynski

*State Library*

Kalamen, Bethke, Kautz, Pursel, Bucino

*State Prison*

Muir, Siracusa, Wise, Barison, Lorenz

*State Reformatory for Women*

Kautz, Hollinshied, Stelle, Wise, Rittenhouse

*State Village for Epileptics*

Kuser, Powers, Lorenz, Wettstein, Roder

*Treasurer's Report*

Smock, Powers, Kuser, Leap, Parentini

MEMBERS  
 OF THE  
 EIGHTY-FIFTH SENATE  
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<i>Middlesex</i> .....	
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<i>Salem</i> .....	WILLIAM S. STILES
<i>Somerset</i> .....	CLARENCE E. CASE
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## *Agriculture*

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## *Appropriations*

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## *Banks and Insurance*

Davis, Yates, Carhart

## *Boroughs and Townships*

Abell Chandless, Cole

## *Clergy*

Read, Chandless, Carhart

## *Commerce and Navigation*

Powell, Read, Simpson

## *Corporations*

Wolber, Yates, Simpson

## *Education*

Yates, McAllister, Simpson

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*Elections*

Yates, Richards, Simpson

*Federal Relations*

Pierson, Powell, Carhart

*Finance*

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Stiles, Read, Cole

*Highways*

Read, Yates, Cole

*Judiciary*

Pierson, Davis, Simpson

*Labor, Industries and Social Welfare*

Richards, Chandless, Carhart

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Richards, Yates, Cole

*Municipal Corporations*

McAllister, Wolber, Simpson

*Printed Bills*

Chandless, Powell, Simpson

*Public Health*

Wolber, Richards, Cole

*Railroads and Canals*

Davis, Prall, Carhart

*Revision and Amendment of the Laws*

Wolber, Richards, Simpson

*Riparian Rights*

Stevens, Abell, Carhart

*Stationery*

Stiles, Davis, Simpson

*Taxation*

Abell, Pierson, Carhart

*Unfinished Business*

Prall, Abell, Cole



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McAllister, Reeves, Carhart

# MINUTES

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, TRENTON.

TUESDAY, January 8th, 1929.

This being the day designated by the Constitution for the assembling of the One Hundred and Fifty-third Legislature of New Jersey, the House was duly called to order at 12 o'clock (noon) by Frederick A. Brodesser, of Union County, Clerk of the last House, who presided pending the organization of the House and who read the following statement:

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Victor H. Luckens, of Trinity Presbyterian Church, South Orange.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vandербach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—59.

Absent—

Mr. Bucino—1.

The following ladies and gentlemen presented their certificates, of election:

Atlantic County—Joseph Altman, Anthony J. Siracusa.

Bergen County—Joseph W. Marini, Emma Peters, Robert W. Purdy, Walter W. Weber.

Burlington County—Marcus W. Newcomb.

Camden County—William B. Knight, Charles W. Letzgus, Roy R. Stewart.

Cape May County—Frederick W. McMurray.

Cumberland County—Frank G. Wettstein.

Essex County—J. LeRoy Baxter, Charles R. Blunt, Joseph C. Cassini, Guy George, Gabrielson, Florence L. Haines, Harry L. Huelsenbeck, Agnes C. Jones, Frederick G. Kautz, David M. Litwin, Stephen J. Lorenz, John H. Pierson, Ida M. Steele.

Gloucester County—James A. McWilliams.

Hudson County—Morris E. Barison, Frank Bucino, May M. Carty, Nicholas W. D'Elia, Jacob J. Duszynski, Joseph Greenberg, Joseph P. McDermott, Patrick V. Mercolino, Arthur J. Parentini, Gustave L. Roder, Harry W. Vanderbach.

Hunterdon County—William E. Rittenhouse.

Mercer County—Fred E. Bethke, D. Lane Powers, Daniel A. Spair.

Middlesex County—Joseph H. Edgar, Arnold Kalamen, George R. Morrison.

Monmouth County—Thomas M. Gopsill, E. Donald Sterner.

Morris County—David Young, Jr.

Ocean County—Arthur R. Smock.

Passaic County—John C. Barbour, Frank J. Hanson, Benjamin L. Stein, Isabelle M. Summers, Russell S. Wise.

Salem County—S. Rusling Leap.

Somerset County—Dryden Kuser.

Sussex County—Harry H. Hollinshed.

Union County—George Compton, Kenneth C. Hand, Thomas M. Muir, Charles A. Otto, Jr.

Warren County—John H. Pursel.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, Joseph F. S. Fitzpatrick, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the following members of the Assembly were elected at the general election held on the sixth day of November, A. D. 1928:

Joseph Altman, for Atlantic county.

Anthony J. Siracusa, for Atlantic county.

Joseph W. Marini, for Bergen county.

Emma Peters, for Bergen county.

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Robert W. Purdy, for Bergen county.  
Walter W. Weber, for Bergen county.  
Marcus W. Newcomb, for Burlington county.  
William B. Knight, for Camden county.  
Charles W. Letzgus, for Camden county.  
Roy R. Stewart, for Camden county.  
Frederick W. McMurray, for Cape May county.  
Frank G. Wettstein, for Cumberland county.  
J. LeRoy Baxter, for Essex county.  
Charles R. Blunt, for Essex county.  
Joseph C. Cassini, for Essex county.  
Guy George Gabrielson, for Essex county.  
Florence L. Haines, for Essex county.  
Harry L. Huelsenbeck, for Essex county.  
Agnes C. Jones, for Essex county.  
Frederick G. Kautz, for Essex county.  
David M. Litwin, for Essex county.  
Stephen J. Lorenz, for Essex county.  
John H. Pierson, for Essex county.  
Ida M. Stelle, for Essex county.  
James A. McWilliams, for Gloucester county.  
Morris E. Barison, for Hudson county.  
Frank Bucino, for Hudson county.  
May M. Carty, for Hudson county.  
Nicholas W. D'Elia, for Hudson county.  
Jacob J. Duszynski, for Hudson county.  
Joseph Greenberg, for Hudson county.  
Joseph P. McDermott, for Hudson county.  
Patrick V. Mercolino, for Hudson county.  
Arthur J. Parentini, for Hudson county.  
Gustave L. Roder, for Hudson county.  
Harry W. Vanderbach, for Hudson county.

William E. Rittenhouse, for Hunterdon county.

Fred E. Bethke, for Mercer county.

D. Lane Powers, for Mercer county.

Daniel A. Spair, for Mercer county.

Joseph H. Edgar, for Middlesex county.

Arnold Kalamen, for Middlesex county.

George R. Morrison, for Middlesex county.

Thomas M. Gopsill, for Monmouth county.

E. Donald Sterner, for Monmouth county.

David Young, Jr., for Morris county.

Arthur R. Smock, for Ocean county.

John C. Barbour, for Passaic county.

Frank J. Hanson, for Passaic county.

Benjamin L. Stein, for Passaic county.

Isabelle M. Summers, for Passaic county.

Russell S. Wise, for Passaic county.

S. Rusling Leap, for Salem county.

Dryden Kuser, for Somerset county.

Harry H. Hollinshed, for Sussex county.

George Compton, for Union county.

Kenneth C. Hand, for Union county.

Thomas M. Muir, for Union county.

Charles A. Otto, Jr., for Union county.

John H. Pursel, for Warren county.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this eighth day of January, A. D. nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

(Signed) JOSEPH F. S. FITZPATRICK,  
[SEAL.] *Secretary of State.*

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

*Resolved*, That the Hon. S. Rusling Leap, of Salem county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member of this

House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when they are elected.

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

*Resolved*, That the Hon. Morris E. Barison, of Hudson county, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Anthony J. Siracusa, of Atlantic county, a member, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members-elect.

The Hon. Anthony J. Siracusa, of Atlantic county, then requested the members-elect to arise and administered the oath.

All members present then signed the roll.

Mr. Barison announced that the Hon. Frank Bucino, of Hudson county, was ill and will probably subscribe to the oath at the next session of the House.

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

*Resolved*, That the House do now proceed with the election of Speaker, for the one hundred fifty-third session of the Assembly.

Miss Jones of Essex, then arose and placed in nomination the Hon. Guy George Gabrielson of Essex County for Speaker which nomination was seconded by Thomas L. Muir of Union, the Hon. Morris E. Barison of Hudson, the Hon. Roy R. Stewart of Camden, and the Hon. Dryden Kuser of Somerset.

Mr. Knight, of Camden, then moved that the nomination for Speaker be closed, which motion was adopted.

Upon calling the roll, Mr. Gabrielson was elected by the following vote:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—59.

The Clerk declared the Hon. Guy George Gabrielson, Speaker of the General Assembly for the Session of 1929.

The Clerk requested Mr. Compton of Union, Mr. Barison of Hudson, and Miss Haines, of Essex, to act as a committee to escort the speaker to the bar of the House where he took and subscribed to the oath of office and was then escorted to the chair.

Upon assuming the chair the Speaker addressed the House as follows:

*Members of the House of Assembly:*

To be thus selected by one's fellow citizens is indeed a signal honor which carries with it a high responsibility as well as a great public trust. Whether this honor has been judiciously placed depends upon the fairness, honesty, courage, impartiality and four-squaredness with which this office is conducted during the coming year. The verdict of this Assembly and of the people of the State of New Jersey will be returned, in due time and this verdict will be a fair and acceptable one.

This body has been criticized and justly so in many instances for the manner in which legislation is enacted. One of the contributing factors which have caused this criticism has been the lack of dignity and the state of almost frenzied excitement prevailing in the House during the sessions. To correct this situation, in fairness to the members of this body as well as to the people of this State, the practice of extending the privilege of the floor will be discontinued and the House will be conducted according to regular parliamentary procedure. The full co-operation of the members of the House is requested in this plan.

A legislative session necessitates the expenditure of a large amount of the funds collected from the taxpayers of the State. These taxpayers have the right to expect value received and the outlay of public funds should be kept to a minimum by enacting the necessary laws within the shortest time possible by a deliberative body. The State also expects to receive full and conscientious work from all employees of this body.

Out of consideration for the members of this Assembly, and in order that their time may be used to the greatest advantage, the sessions of the House will convene on schedule time.

The custom of having laws made effective immediately upon passage is detrimental to the best interests of the people of the State and this should be discontinued except in case of an emergency.

As to the matter of legislation it will not be the purpose of the Speaker of the House to go into detail. The members, however, must appreciate that we have many matters to consider

during this session such as: The continuation of the highway program; the supply of water for domestic and industrial uses; election frauds and a means of correcting the same; the strengthening of the operation of Civil Service; a wider supervision of banks, insurance companies and other financial institutions of the State; the addition to and extension of our educational, charitable and corrective institutions; a comprehensive plan for the financing and operation of all of our educational institutions; the question of reduction of taxes; the matter of additional transportation facilities between New Jersey and New York, as is more fully outlined in the communication from the New York and New Jersey Bridge and Tunnel Commissions; a careful study of all requests for appropriations of all State funds, as well as many other matters.

May I express my personal thanks as well as the thanks of the citizens of the great county of Essex to the members of this House for this selection of our presiding officer, the Speaker for the one hundred and fifty-third session of this, the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Anthony F. Minisi, of Newark, Essex County, as his Secretary and Mr. George W. Grimm, Jr., of East Orange, Essex County, as Assistant Secretary.

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

*Resolved*, That the House do now proceed with the election of the Clerk of the House, for the One Hundred Fifty-third Session of the Assembly.

The Hon. Charles A. Otto, Jr., of Union, placed in nomination Mr. Frederick A. Brodesser of Union County for Clerk of the General Assembly, which nomination was seconded by Hon. Thomas L. Muir of Union County, the Hon. Morris E. Barison of Hudson County, and the Hon. Henry L. Huelsenbeck of Essex County.

Mr. Knight, of Camden, then moved that the nomination for Clerk of the General Assembly be closed, which motion was adopted.

Upon the roll being called by Mr. Paul Williams, Assistant Clerk of the last House, Mr. Brodesser was elected by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stern, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—59.

The Speaker declared Frederick A. Brodesser unanimously elected Clerk of the General Assembly for the year nineteen hundred and twenty-nine, and he took and subscribed to the oath of office.

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

*Resolved*, That the Speaker appoint forthwith a committee of three to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the House of Assembly has organized by the election as Speaker of the Hon. Guy George Gabrielson, of Essex County, and of Frederick A. Brodesser, of Union County, as Clerk of the House, and is now ready to proceed to business and to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

The Speaker named Messrs. David M. Litwin, of Essex, Robert W. Purdy, of Bergen; and Joseph P. McDermott, of Hudson, as the Committee.

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

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House is hereby directed to inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has organized by the election as Speaker of the Hon. Guy George Gabrielson, of Essex County, and of Frederick A. Brodesser, of Union County, as Clerk of the House, and has proceeded to business.

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

*Resolved*, That the House proceed to fill the remaining several offices of the House, and the nominations be made and a vote taken for all of the offices at one and at the same time.

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

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

Assistant Clerk—P. Charles Corbo.

Calendar Clerk—George P. Dowling.

Journal Clerk—Edwin Mortimer Harrison.

Assistant Journal Clerks—Mrs. Emilie Bourne, Elvin H. Ullrich.

Supervisor of Bills—Walter J. Field.

Assistant Supervisors of Bills—Mrs. W. Cortlandt Mills, William W. Scisco and Andrew W. Miller.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Edward Fenias.

Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms—Fred Simmler and William C. Gonch.

Bill Clerk—Joseph Tick.

Assistant Bill Clerk—C. Clay Lewis.

Stenographers—William P. Hadwen, Frances Johnson, Mary Communi.

Doorkeepers—John Pitts, Mrs. Carolyn H. Purrington, William P. Burrell, Conrad Schlosser, Mrs. Gertrude Townley, Aaron Downs, Walter Sapp, Charles J. Bruno, Edward J. Shackleton, John Tucker, Robert Stickles, Rudolph Holzhauser.

File Clerks—Mrs. Louise Maxwell, Mary D. Guthridge, Margaret Viggiano, Frank Gager, P. J. Sassano, Oliver Oswald, Mrs. E. J. Ferrara, Mrs. Loretta Jacobs, P. Lafayette Jones, Mrs. Sarah S. Stiles, Robert Brown, Mrs. Pearl M. Bridegum, H. P. Klinsman, Jr., Allen G. Lounsbury and Richard F. Parker.

Pages—Eugene Mitchell, Alvin J. Johnson, Charles G. Birney, William N. Watson, Thomas Johnson, Charles M. Williams, Emanuel Arcieri, Bernard Goldberg, Thomas M. Cowell and William Francouer.

Clerk to the Majority Leader—Frank Voigt.

Clerk to the Minority Leader—Alexander Crawford.

Speaker's Secretary—Anthony F. Minisi.

Speaker's Assistant Secretary—George W. Grimm, Jr.

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

## GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
JANUARY 8, 1929.

*To the Legislature:*

Although conscious of the fact that the message of a retiring Governor is not expected to be seriously considered, yet I trust you will bear with me while I comply with the duty imposed upon me in directing your attention to several matters of interest and importance to the State.

## FINANCIAL CONDITION

The finances of the State continue in a fine, healthy condition.

At the close of the last fiscal year, June 30, 1928, the Comptroller of the Treasury reported a surplus in the General Fund, subject to use for the present fiscal year of \$5,353,205.37, and I am advised by the same official that the receipts for the first six months of the fiscal year are slightly in excess of his estimates submitted to me last July.

It is, therefore, evident that there will be sufficient funds available to meet the appropriations now carried by legislation of the Session of 1928; namely, \$25,256,714.85.

In addition to the excellent condition of the Treasury it is a great pleasure to be able to say that the credit of the State with the bond-buying public still continues at that high point which it has occupied for the past five years.

During the past fiscal year bonds to the amount of \$11,000,000 have been sold at a price better than four per cent, a condition which exists in very few, if any, other States.

The continuation of the careful policy of appropriating less than our annual income which has been followed by each Legislature will assure repetition of our present condition during 1929.

I desire to commend to you the work of my associates on the Budget Commission than whom no one is more familiar with the detail of costs, values and needs of the various administrative departments of the State government.

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You are urged to read the Budget Message and also the Supplement to the Budget Message. The last named volume was issued for the first time this year by the Budget Commission, and it won such widespread approval that a reprint of the first edition will probably be necessary to supply the demand.

I feel I can safely pay this deserved tribute to the Budget Commission without being accused of partisanship, because the Budget Department is bi-partisan in character.

#### WATER SUPPLY

In my messages to the 151st and 152d Legislatures I outlined to you what I considered the salient points in the potable water situation as it affected the metropolitan district, and in a special message to the Legislature, dated June 22d, 1926, I analyzed the several suggestions made to the Legislature of that year by the Water Policy Commission, and made definite recommendations concerning its findings.

I wish at this time to particularly call your attention to my special message of June 22d, 1926, dealing not only with the water supply situation but with the proposed tri-state treaty as well. Two and one-half years have elapsed since I wrote that message to you, but that interval of time has served only to increase the convictions which I expressed in that message.

The water situation in the State is on the whole comparatively easy of solution. It is complicated only because there appear to be certain interests that desire its complication. The Wanaque supply which is now promised for completion early in 1930 will for a short time adequately care for the margin of shortage which would exist during a dry year. The completion of that development should be followed by a more intensive development of the watersheds now used by Newark, Jersey City, the Hackensack Water Company, and other established supplies, also by new developments on the Ramapo River and the other watersheds that can be speedily and economically developed. The development of these sheds will be sufficient to carry the metropolitan district until such a time as the municipalities interested are in a financial position to and can jointly undertake the development

of the more remote and expensive watersheds. As I pointed out in my message to the last Legislature these developments can be taken care of by the municipalities themselves working together under the Home Rule Act or any supplements thereto which the Legislature might see fit to enact. To my mind such a course of procedure is in keeping with the principles of Home Rule; to which our people cling and it has the further advantages in that it is more expeditious; it is more economical; and can be brought about without the creation of super-commissions not responsive to the taxpayers and over whom the taxpayers would have little or no control.

The report of the Water Policy Commission created by joint resolution March 21st, 1925, and reporting to the Legislature in February of 1926, made a thorough study of the water resources within the State and suggested plans for their development. A study of this report which has been before the Legislature for nearly three years will demonstrate to you that there are ample water supplies within the State for the needs of the citizens thereof for the next hundred years. This finding confirms the previous findings of the Department of Conservation and Development and of the Water Supply Commission and the Geological Survey which were its predecessors. It remains only for the Legislature to provide the simplest kind of legislation for making these supplies available.

It is my recommendation that the simplest legislation for this purpose is to be found in the Home Rule Act and the supplements thereto which give to the municipalities jointly all of the powers necessary for this purpose. I am confirmed in this opinion by the working out of the Wanaque development. In that case it was necessary for the City of Newark to discard in principle the act creating the North Jersey District Water Supply Commission and by contract with the other municipalities arrange for the financing and developing of the Wanaque River supply.

#### THE TRI-STATE TREATY

No progress has been made during the past year in reaching a Tri-State agreement concerning the waters of the Delaware

River. I call attention to this matter quite fully in my special message of June, 1926, and again in my last annual message. I pointed out some of the dangers of a Tri-State treaty dealing with the interests of three States, which are varied, and because of their diversity produce complications. Tri-State contracts are more readily entered into than corrected after they prove to be undesirable.

My recommendations that a simple Tri-State agreement, dealing only with the portion of the waters lying north of our northern boundary, would be safer and less dangerous, has not produced results. As an alternative therefor, I would respectfully suggest that it may be much more feasible for this State to enter into a treaty with the State of New York alone. This treaty should specify that the dry season flow of the Delaware should not be diminished, and subject to such a restriction New York would be permitted to divert water for her urgent needs. It might furthermore provide that the State of New York should not divert the headwaters of the Hackensack, Ramapo and Wanaque Rivers beyond the reasonable needs of the communities lying within those watersheds, and would enforce its laws to prevent pollution of those streams.

On the other hand New Jersey could enter into an agreement to the same effect, concerning the head waters of the Wallkill, which flow from this State into New York. Such an agreement would not be involved with the interests of Pennsylvania, and on the other hand there is no reason to anticipate that there would be any difficulty in reaching an agreement with the State of Pennsylvania, concerning the respective rights of that State and our own to divert such waters as may be needed by the communities of either State. It is desirable that we should be a good neighbor to both States, but the necessities of the City of New York, while they should have our full consideration, should not be put forward in such a manner as to lead us into ill-considered agreements.

#### FLOOD CONTROL

By Act approved March 15th, 1928, the Department of Conservation and Development was authorized and directed to investigate conditions in the Valley of the Passaic River and its

tributaries with respect to the floods and the drainage of wet lands, and to report its findings and its recommendations for the control and alleviation of the same. The report was filed with me on December 15th last, as required by the Act, and is recommended for your earnest consideration.

Conditions described in the report not only greatly depress property values and interfere with the settlement and improvement of an otherwise most desirable part of our great Metropolitan District, but jeopardize life and health as well. Should such great floods as have been experienced in the past, recur, with the increased population and greater improvements now existing within the flood zone, a situation would arise not creditable to our State. This matter seems to be the concern of the whole State as well as of the seven counties in which the affected district lies. These counties contain two-thirds of the population of the State, and over two-thirds of the property values upon which State and county taxes are levied. The estimated cost of the recommended plan of relief is \$12,000,000, to be distributed over five years. It is estimated that it will produce an immediate increase in assessed valuations of between \$70,000,000 and \$100,000,000. State aid with county co-operation should make it possible to carry through this great improvement without imposing any difficult burdens. How this work is to be financed and administered, requires careful consideration. I merely suggest that the administration might be either by some existing department of the State, assisted by an advisory board representing the several counties, or by an entirely new commission, upon which the State should, of course, have adequate representation if it is to assist the improvement. In either case the actual administration should be vested in a comparatively small board to insure centralized responsibility and simplified executive action.

Bearing in mind the fact that the State has enlisted upon an extensive program of bridges, tunnels and highways, all calculated to bring an increased population to this district, it would appear reasonable that action should be taken in all possible ways, to make the district a more acceptable place of residence. The upper Passaic Valley, beyond the Watchung Mountains, is destined to become the future suburbs of our large cities.

## HIGHWAYS

The State Highway Commission is entitled to great commendation for the admirable progress it is making with our roads.

I had the pleasure during my administration to see both the beginning and completion of the super-roadway sections through Jersey City and Newark, achievements which have gained the attention of road builders throughout the nation. The honor was giving me of turning the first shovelful of earth for the depressed State highway in Jersey City, and the transformation that has since been accomplished will remain as the highest standard in substantial construction.

Located as it is in the hub of the great metropolitan area, New Jersey is called upon to make provision for the ever-increasing caravan of automobiles within its own confines as well as those of welcome visitors from the neighboring states. In addition to our importance as an industrial and farming center, we have an invaluable asset in our coast resorts. The Highway Board has been mindful of these varied interests and has made provision for the free movement of vehicles to every portion of the State. Some of these links have been completed and others are now under construction, and all are adding materially to the ratables of the separate taxing districts.

The depressed roadway in Jersey City and the viaduct in Newark are new links in the across-State route to Camden, with arteries radiating to furthest reaches of Cape May. The central portion of northern New Jersey is being made accessible by the new route through Chester in Morris County.

That the people appreciate the value of these modern thoroughfares in making commercial and social intercourse more easy was evidenced by the approval of a new \$30,000,000 bond issue, during my term of office, for the work of the State Highway Commission.

A gradually expanding program has been carried out by this Board and I bespeak the cooperation of the Legislature in its labors. The extent to which the work has increased is shown by the annual reports of the Commission. In the year 1926,

there was added to the State Highway System a total of 76 miles of improved road. During 1927 this sum was increased by 124 miles, and last year the total was 140 miles additional. The tentative program for the approaching construction season has set up 250 more miles for completion.

The work finished at the close of the year 1928 has given New Jersey approximately 950 miles of improved State Highway.

#### RAPID TRANSIT

I have no quarrel with the members of the North Jersey Transit Commission.

These men have given freely of their time and talents without remuneration and are entitled to consideration and credit for their efforts in behalf of the State.

I am fully cognizant of the importance of dealing with the North Jersey transit situation. Notwithstanding the pressing nature of this problem I have not recommended the \$50,000.00 asked for by the Port of New York Authority under Chapter 377, P. L. 1927, for a study of the transit situation in the Port of New York district.

There is nothing in the New Jersey act to imply that New York State is to assume any part of the expense for correlated work across the Hudson River, and as a matter of fact attempted legislation in this direction failed of passage at Albany last year.

The North Jersey Transit Commission was established in 1922 and continued by Chapter 157, P. L. 1926 to study and report upon the legal, financial and interstate aspects of a plan for rapid transit between communities in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Middlesex, Morris, Passaic, Union, Monmouth and Somerset, as well as between such communities and New York.

At their last budget hearing the Transit Commission members admitted that they had completed the investigating phase of their work and had no plan to submit for next year. Such a plan it was stated might be gotten up in time for submission to the present Legislature. In the meantime they were asking me to recommend a new appropriation of \$87,000 without stating the why and wherefore.

The Legislature of 1927 really directed the removal of the North Jersey Transit Commission by Chapter 277. To my mind new Legislation will have to be enacted to adequately handle the situation.

More than \$260,000 has been appropriated for field work and surveys. In the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927 the commission spent \$101,004.92. For the 1928 fiscal year the commission had an unspent balance of \$7.11 out of a \$40,000 appropriation.

For the year beginning July 1, 1928, the Commission asked for \$100,000, which I declined to recommend as I believed it was not in the public interest to have them expend this sum in the work of making plans which could never be carried out because of the prohibitive cost.

I did not want to cut off all funds at once and allowed \$40,000 with which to complete the planning work and hasten a final report to the Legislature.

The 1928 Appropriation Committee was not inclined to grant even as much consideration to the Commission as I had done and it was only after the Appropriation Committee had threshed the matter out with the Legislative conference committee that the decision was reached not to cut out the \$40,000 which I had recommended.

No convincing statement having as yet prepared as to how the desired appropriation would be expended, I am referring the matter to you to grant or withhold an appropriation based upon the soundness of the reasons which may be subsequently advanced by the Commission to your Appropriation Committee.

#### PROGRESS IN PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

It is a satisfaction to report that our public educational system including day and night schools and vocational schools serves 864,526 persons. The fact that the annual increase in enrollment is about equal to the total school population of a city of one hundred thousand inhabitants is indicative of the rapid growth of the school system. The local school districts are constantly providing new facilities. Some districts are supplying school plants that are among the very best in the country. The schools should

receive adequate State support to the end of aiding the districts to offer every opportunity possible for the education of the children and youth of the State.

A new normal school will be completed in Jersey City this year and important additions have been made to the plants of the other normal schools. This important phase of public education, namely, the training of teachers, is one which needs adequate support because of its fundamental importance in the development of an efficient system of schools.

The last Legislature passed a joint resolution which received the approval of the Governor creating a Commission to survey public education. It is the judgment of those interested in the adequate development of education that this is one of the most important constructive measures that has been adopted in recent years. The Survey Resolution directs the Commission to study the program of education and to define it in terms of the Constitution. It also directs the Commission to prepare a program of education for the State which shall include all phases of education and to determine what revenues shall be provided to support this program. The Commission which has been selected is made up of persons of high standing in the State. The progress which has been made in gathering information is gratifying and New Jersey may rest assured that the Commission will render a report based upon a thorough and impartial study of public education in this State.

#### THE STATE UNIVERSITY

Most thorough consideration should be given to the forthcoming reports of the two Commissions appointed a year ago to consider the relations of the State with Rutgers University and with the public schools. During my service as a member of the Board of Trustees of the University, as provided by law, I have been increasingly impressed with the value of the public services rendered by the University to the State and the imperative need of further expansion of the institution to meet the demands of the people of the State for higher education. These demands are not merely by our young people for opportunities to fit themselves for

useful service in our industries and commerce and in the professions, but they come also from industrial workers for educational advantages of which they were deprived in youth, and from many organizations which need the co-operation of scientific research. There may be legal and administrative difficulties in the situation, but they cannot be insurmountable. The needs of our people require that we have a complete system of public education from the kindergarten through the State University. The problem of developing a real State University, of broad scope and properly supported in all its parts, on the historic colonial foundation at Rutgers, must be solved. It has been a satisfaction to me to initiate plans whereby such a beneficent result can be attained, and I bespeak the most earnest efforts of the Legislature and the co-operation of all citizens in bringing the work to a satisfactory conclusion.

#### INSTITUTIONS AND AGENCIES

The progress of the work in the care of our dependents, defectives and delinquents has been along lines which I have recommended, and it gives me special satisfaction to call attention to the increased amount of work performed by our institutional inmates. Through the State Use Division more and more prisoners and inmates of correctional and charitable institutions have been employed along lines that are beneficial to themselves and an economy to the State. In particular the new and enlarged industries have been developed at the State Prison and at the Rahway Reformatory. The work done by the State Use system in cooperation with the State Highway Commission on the construction of modern highways has steadily progressed, employing an average of 100 to 125 prisoners.

It is especially gratifying to note the improvements of the extensive Prison farm at Leesburg. Here have been housed an average of over 225 men during the last two years. Half of them have been employed on agricultural activities and land-clearing. A large herd is maintained on this land which formerly was wooded waste land, but which has been cleared by prison labor and put under cultivation. The milk supplied by this large

herd is sold to the Institution for Feeble-minded at Woodbine. Within the last year nearly 200 additional acres of land have been cleared. The first permanent buildings for housing inmates have been erected out of Half Mill Tax funds, and all in all the progress both in agricultural and construction activities has been very creditable.

The work on the new reformatory at Annandale has gone forward steadily. There are now over 200 reformatory inmates at the Annandale site. They have erected permanent buildings using the fieldstone collected from the fence lines on this property, and working under the direction of instructor-foreman they are developing a modern institution along sensible lines at a minimum cost. In addition to the main buildings for housing of inmates they have constructed roads, they have laid necessary sewage and water connections to the buildings, have constructed a power plant and a very fine dairy barn. This work is helpful and instructional to the inmates all of whom are employed, and at the same time is providing for the State at a reasonable expenditure a long-needed Reformatory.

The last Legislature provided under the Half Mill Tax, which I approved, the erection of a third State hospital for the care of the insane as recommended in my annual message. While there have been additional beds provided at the State Hospitals at Trenton and Morris Plains to relieve the over-crowding of those institutions, the provision of this third State mental hospital is the first adequate step that has been taken to meet the rapid increase in the number of insane who must be provided for. It is fifty years since New Jersey established the second State hospital, and it is my hope that this new center for care and treatment of our unfortunate insane will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, so that the patients who are wards of the State may get the maximum benefit of this wise provision.

Some progress has been made in cooperation with the Research Department of the Vineland Training School in focusing attention on the possibilities of prevention. Our medical institutions have been extending their efforts toward early diagnosis of diseases which if taken in their early stages may be successfully treated. I feel that funds devoted to clinics for purposes of

diagnosing tubercular and mental diseases are wisely expended, both from the standpoint of humanity and the best interest of the Commonwealth.

It was my pleasure and duty to dedicate in the name of the State the splendid new treatment building for children at the State Sanatorium at Glen Gardner, which has been dedicated to the service of treating children in the early stages of tuberculosis. The record of this Sanatorium over a period of twenty years in returning between 95 and 100% of the children under its care to useful, healthful places in the community is one of the finest chapters in our record of public welfare work. The new children's unit providing for 115 children with all necessary facilities for schooling, as well as for all proven types of medical care, for treatment and cure of children, is a noteworthy milestone in the progress of our State.

#### AGRICULTURE

Although the strictly agricultural population of the State is not as large as that group engaged in industrial pursuits, it is an important element in the life of our State and should have the interested attention of the Legislature. The fact that it is a minority group, coupled with the basic nature of the industry which is conducted on our soils, makes it necessary for us to take some initiative in strengthening agriculture as an essential asset in the State's development.

One of the subjects that should have attention is the method of taxation of real property. Unquestionably the farms of the State appear to be bearing more than their just share of taxes and one of the ways in which the Legislature can help agriculture is to develop a more scientific and modern system of taxation that will bring about a fairer basis of taxation on all classes of property, including farm lands.

Every opportunity should be taken to utilize our industrial developments in the interests of the rural population whenever that is possible on an economic basis. Too little attention has been paid to the development of our secondary roads as tributaries to the splendid system of main stem highways. Im-

mediate attention should be given to this problem, with the thought of bringing to the thousands of our rural citizens on farms and in villages contact with these main stem highways, which is essential to the development of the State along modern lines. It is recommended that a survey be made of the secondary roads and a constructive program of improvement started without unnecessary delay.

In a previous message, I urged the necessity for standardization of grades of milk, not only for the benefit of the consumers of the State, but to develop the dairy industry and enable producers to more nearly meet the requirement of our own population with milk of high quality, produced under sanitary conditions and distributed in a fresh condition to the consuming population. The State Department of Agriculture has brought together in a Conference Board all interests concerned with this problem. The recommendations of this representative body should be given consideration by the Legislature with the idea of stabilizing and developing the dairy resources of the State.

#### LAW AND ORDER

The unusual activity of large cities in neighboring states in rounding up criminals will no doubt result in some of them seeking refuge in New Jersey. This situation has created a demand on the part of some of our citizens and press, for action on the part of the Legislature.

It seems to me that the need is not so much for new laws, but rather in the vigilance and efficiency of the police in locating and rounding up suspicious characters, the closing of disreputable dives which both harbor and make criminals.

Unless the elective and appointive officials of the municipalities are alive to the situation and do their full duty, the passing of laws will be of little if any help.

Our State Police, numbering 172 men with seven thousand square miles to cover, is expending every effort to meet the situation in its territory. A substantial increase in the number of men has been authorized and will be added as soon as appropriation is made.

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STATE FORESTS

The allotment of money to the Department of Conservation and Development has been tentatively reduced in the hope that it might be provided along the lines suggested, but failing in this, it should be increased. I urge your interested consideration of the proposition of this department, which I have included under this heading.

The Department of Conservation and Development is proposing that the State acquire not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) acres of wildland for State forests. It asks for a one-quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) mill tax for three (3) years to provide the necessary funds.

New Jersey is a forest State. Despite our industrial, commercial, agricultural and community development, nearly two million acres, almost half of the State, is forest land now and the area of wildland is increasing every year. This land is not now needed or wanted for agriculture, industry or settlement and will not be for years, if ever. Wildland in this State must be timber land or be idle. Forestry, therefore, is one of the big State problems.

New Jersey is almost the most backward State in its neighborhood in this State Forest movement. The table given below shows comparative figures in this respect.

	<i>New Jersey</i>	<i>Massachu- setts</i>	<i>Connecticut</i>	<i>New York</i>	<i>Pennsylvania</i>	<i>Maryland</i>
Total forest area of State (acres).	2,000,000	3,200,000	1,500,000	12,000,000	13,000,000	2,228,000
Present area State forests (acres) ..	25,056	106,545*	36,000	2,078,993	1,132,000	4,050
Total cost State forests to date ...	\$180,000	\$382,256*	\$187,000†	\$8,684,738¶	\$2,558,320	\$40,500
General source of funds to date ....	Appro.	Appro.	Appro.	Twp. Bond issues	Appro	Appro.
Announced program area (acres)	200,000 min	‡100,000 before 1935	200,000	No area fixed	No area fixed	200,000
Announced program, amount funds .....	\$4,000,000§	\$3,000,000	\$2,000,000	\$12,500,000 to date	\$25,000,000 additional	\$1,000,000
Announced program, source funds .....	State Tax	Appro.	Appro.	Bond issues	Bond issues	Bond issue

\* Includes 14,453 acres in Forest Reservation areas purchased at cost of \$89,000 prior to 1920 (See note ‡ below).

† Figures are close approximations

‡ Legislature 1920 provided for 100,000 acres added to previous area.

§ Includes purchase and reforestation costs

¶ Includes only purchase 1916 to date. A large area of the total forest reserve was State land, title to which the State never lost.

This figure also does not include many millions invested for 260,000 acres wildland State parks, etc.

New Jersey now owns 25,056 acres of State forests in 7 different areas, which cost \$180,000.00 and now have a physical value of \$318,000 00, as follows:

Land .....	\$104,000 00
Merchantable timber stumpage .. .	112,000 00
Reproduction and young timber .....	57,000 00
Improvements and equipment . . . . .	45,000 00

to which must be added tremendous other values (aesthetic, recreational, water-shed protection, demonstration, research).

They have been chosen as typical of the most abused and run-down woodland in their respective localities. These areas are now, after only five years of business management, paying 18 per cent of the cost of their operation. They are rapidly coming into better condition despite the fact that income is being taken from them, for the revenue produced is almost altogether the sale of improvement cuttings. They are now serving 600 to 800 people annually as camping areas. Many thousand fishermen and gunners, in addition to a multitude of picnickers, hikers, etc., use them every year.

## THE STATE FOREST PROGRAM HAS SEVEN ANGLES

1. *It is a matter of land reclamation.* Nearly one and one-half million acres of our two million acres of forest land are now unproductive. Much of it now is deteriorating further. Large areas of it must be artificially reforested to be reclaimed for use. All of it will remain practically idle until put under proper forest management. A great area of it pays no taxes and has not for years. Nearly 700,000 acres were not assessed for taxation on the last State survey. Unproductive it will continue to pay no taxes. It demands and creates expenditures for roads, policing, education, etc. All of it can produce profitable timber crops. Reclaimed it can bear its fair share of taxation, while paying the owner and producing a needed product for the public.

2. *It is a matter of timber supply.* An actual timber famine is extremely unlikely, but an acute timber shortage is assured to America. The United States is now exhausting its timber four times as fast as it is growing it. Wood consumption is growing, although wood substitutes are multiplying. Our local timber production is now negligible and is rapidly shrinking. New Jersey imports nine-tenths of her lumber needs and two-thirds of her whole timber consumption, including lumber. Jersey men pay at least thirty-five million dollars for this material annually and five million dollars or more in addition for the freight charges on the import. Lumber prices will continue to rise as sources of supply become less accessible and the total reserve becomes less. Freight costs will continue to increase as the centre of production swings increasingly to more distant points. Our timber bill for imported supplies will therefore grow.

New Jersey can be self-supporting in her timber needs after thirty-five to fifty years of proper management. Two million acres of land here will produce an annual cut equal to our present annual consumption.

3. *It is a matter of recreation needs.* Public outdoor recreation has become a recognized essential of every well rounded community program. Land not specifically taken over for public use in New Jersey is all subject to restrictions as private property.

Segregation of large areas of wildland in the State is going on rapidly under individual and group ownerships for the private use of the individual group. If the public is to be guaranteed adequate areas for outdoor recreation, the State, counties, and municipalities must make provision for it. The State Forest program is fundamentally an economic one, yet it can and will serve the social needs for such outdoor playgrounds at the same time. State forests can be and ought to be wildland parks as well.

4. *It is a matter of industrial development.* The lumber industry of New Jersey at the present time is at an extremely low ebb. The remaining timber stands are so scarce and so-depleted of merchantable timber that anything in the nature of permanent forest industries are impossible. In the past, both lumbering and other industries have prospered, dependent altogether on the products of the local woodland. Permanent production of timber crops on the wildland areas of the State will bring back these permanent wood-using industries.

5. *It is a matter of water conservation.* The potable water situation is one of paramount importance to the State. The fact that stripping its timber cover decreases the capacity of land for water bearing needs no argument. State forests will guarantee to many of our sources of potable water a permanent forest cover, increasing both the quantity and quality of the water product.

6. *It is a matter of rural settlement.* Areas in which community life has existed in the past in the wildland sections now are entirely deserted, or support a community life of a very low and limited sort. Building up of the wildlands to full timber production once more will stimulate and maintain active occupation of the land by communities needed to develop and work the timber resources. State forests will furnish nuclei for such development shortly.

7. *It is a matter of education.* Timber growing by the State with its demonstration of the possibility of growing good timber crops, of the profit to be derived from such crops, and of the best methods of growing, tending, harvesting, and marketing these crops will form the best, if not the only basis for an early

development of good forest practice on the balance of the wild-land remaining in private ownership.

#### THE PORT OF NEW YORK AUTHORITY

When New York and New Jersey, on April 30th, 1921, signed the Port Compact or Treaty, the signatories said that they believed that the co-operation of the two States with the Port district "would result in great economies, benefitting the nation as well as the States of New York and New Jersey," and believing that the large results the two States desired could "best be accomplished through the co-operation of the two States by and through a joint or common agency" they agreed on creating the Port Authority, at the same time solemnly pledging "each to the other" such co-operation. During the past year the Port Authority has completed and opened two bridges across the Arthur Kill ahead of schedule and at less than scheduled costs. While in itself, the accomplishment is a tribute to the efficiency of the commissioners and staff of the Port Authority, the bridges themselves are outstanding monuments of progress already made and bring conspicuously to public attention the great advantages to each of them as well as to the entire country, resulting from the co-operation between the two States. Shortly there will arise across the Kill von Kull another bridge, foundations for which are now being laid, here again wiping out political dividing lines, and recognizing the geographical and economic unity of the district. Rising with such swiftness that short absence makes it seem almost like magic, two great towers are steadily rising upon each side of the Hudson River now 495 feet high. The cable that will bind these towers will link the Palisades with Washington Heights. It will make of the grand boulevards on both sides of the Hudson one continuous highway. This will be the great physical symbol of a tie which binds two States in common endeavor.

But to the Port Authority is committed other tasks. This agency must see to it that there is not lost to the Port the natural commerce and industry which belongs there. With this in view, the Port Authority recently established a Department of Com-

merce, whose business it is, like that of a great department store, to present to the rest of the world the wares which each section of the Port offers in the way of commercial and industrial opportunities for development. This is bound to result in great advantages to both New York and New Jersey. On the other hand, neither New York nor New Jersey will begrudge to other ports such commercial and industrial development as belongs to them. Their enterprise should be rewarded as we hope ours will be. But recent proceedings both before the Interstate Commerce Commission and the United States Shipping Board have developed new theories of both rail and ocean rate making, put forth by competitor ports, not only injurious to New York but discriminatory and unwise in their national consequences. The Port Authority is the agency designated by the two States as the defender of the Port. Pursuant to Article XIII of the Port Treaty, it has intervened within the past two years in not less than ten different proceedings in which the interests of the Port as a whole have been involved. It is necessary for it to keep a constant, vigilant watch. During the past year I have kept in close touch with this branch of the work of the Port Authority as well as its other work, and while not so conspicuous as its work in completing interstate bridges, I bring it to your attention so that you may appreciate its importance. We have heretofore left to haphazard local enterprise the handling of such matters.

In addition to defending the Port, the Port Authority is charged with the duty of developing new facilities within the Port District. Since it has no power to tax or pledge the credit of either State, each one of these new facilities must be economically sound. Revenues in advance must be reasonably certain. During the past year I have kept in touch with the steps taken by the Port Authority in co-operation with the rail carriers in the District. The competitive situation in which the carriers find themselves makes it difficult to bring about unanimity of opinion, but I am convinced that steadily they will come to a more concerted and complete measure of co-operation with the Port Authority.

I recommend to the Legislature that a careful study be made by each member of the annual report of the Port Authority, wherein there is discussed in detail progress being made with the interstate bridge program, physical, legal and financial plans which will afford a solution of the suburban transit or commuter problem; an effectuation of the Comprehensive Plan which deals with terminal development within the Port District. Only by such study can we appreciate the value and importance of the matter in hand.

## CONCLUSION

The responsibility for the orderly progress and development of our State is practically in your hands, and my loyalty to the State which has done so much for me is so great that I sincerely wish you success in every effort to further its interests.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) A. HARRY MOORE,  
*Governor.*

Attest:

FRED. L. BLOODGOOD,

*Secretary to the Governor.*

Upon motion of Mr. Knight, the message was ordered received and spread in full upon the Minutes, and the usual number of copies printed.

Mr Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That, unless otherwise ordered, the regular hours of meeting of this House for morning, afternoon and evening sessions shall be respectively at 12 o'clock Noon, two and eight o'clock. Until otherwise ordered, adjournment of Monday evening sessions shall be until Tuesday morning at 12 o'clock Noon.

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

*Resolved*, That the Speaker is hereby authorized to appoint a committee of five members of this House to serve as a Committee on Rules.

The Speaker named Mr. Charles R. Blunt, of Essex; Mr. George Compton, of Union; Mr. Arthur R. Smock, of Ocean; Mr. Robert W. Purdy, of Bergen; Mr. Morris E. Barison, of Hudson, as the committee.

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

*Resolved*, That the Rules of the House of Assembly, as printed in the Legislative Manual for 1928, be adopted by the House of Assembly, as the Rules for the 1929 session with the exception of Rule No. 63 and No. 69, which rules are to be amended.

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

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Rules, when appointed by the Speaker, shall recommend to the House of Assembly forthwith a revision of rule No. 63, of the House Rules in order that the congestion that has existed in previous Legislative sessions due to unauthorized persons gaining admission to the Assembly Chamber and distracting the members of the House from their respective duties and make the necessary provision that Rule No. 63 will only permit the following persons on the floor of the House during its business session as follows: Present National and State Officials—Present members of the House of Assembly and Senate—Properly accredited daily newspaper representatives, whose credentials have been approved by the Speaker of the House—Attaches and employees of the House of Assembly and Senate—and be it *further resolved*, that the Committee on Rules take up forthwith and recommend to the House of Assembly forthwith a revision of Rule No. 69, of the House Rules to effectuate a more efficient way for all officers and employees of the House of Assembly to attend the sessions regularly and devise a system by which a daily check-up may be instituted under the supervision of the Clerk of the House of Assembly.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committees:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

*Agriculture and Agricultural College.*

Kuser, Wettstein, Sterner, Bethke, Rittenhouse

*Appropriations.*

Jones, Purdy, Summers, Stewart, Carty.

*Banking and Insurance.*

Gopsill, Stewart, Blunt, Morrison, Vanderbach.

*Bill Revision.*

Altman, Kautz, Marini, Compton, Roder.

*Boroughs and Borough Commissions.*

Newcomb, Lorenz, Hand, Young, Roder.

*Claims and Pensions.*

Summers, Peters, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski.

*Commerce and Navigation.*

Sterner, Muir, Powers, Huelsenbeck, Vanderbach.

*Corporations.*

Litwin, Young, Siracusa, Otto, D'Elia.

*Education.*

Haines, Newcomb, Hanson, Purdy, Carty.

*Elections.*

Letzgas, Marini, Sterner, Jones, Barison.

*Federal Relations.*

Purdy, Jones, Kalamen, Pierson, Greenberg.

*Game and Fisheries.*

Morrison, Powers, Kuser, Pierson, Vanderbach.

*Highways.*

Wise, Spair, Litwin, Letzgas, D'Elia.

*Incidental Expenses.*

Stewart, Muir, Baxter, Stein, Parentini.

*Interstate Relations.*

Powers, Edgar, Lorenz, Weber, Mercolino.

*Judiciary.*

Knight, Spair, Smock, Kautz, Barison.

*Labor and Industries.*

Pierson, Purdy, Otto, Hanson, Mercolino.

*Militia.*

Blunt, Edgar, Powers, Wettstein, Barison.

*Miscellaneous Business.*

Siracusa, Kuser, Gopsill, Morrison, Rittenhouse.

*Municipal Corporations.*

Leap, Otto, Spair, Letzgas, Bucino.

*Printed Bills.*

Muir, Weber, Cassini, Haines, McDermott

*Public Health.*

Baxter, McMurray, Leap, Altman, Parentini.

*Railroads and Canals.*

Smock, Wettstein, McMurray, Huelsenbeck, Bucino.

*Revision of Laws.*

Otto, Hollinshed, Wise, Barbour, Greenberg.

*Riparian Rights.*

McMurray, Hollinshed, Wise, Pursel, Greenberg.

*Social Welfare.*

Stelle, Summers, Newcomb, Peters, Carty.

*Stationery.*

Huelsenbeck, Letzgus, Hanson, McMurray, McDermott.

*Taxation.*

Compton, McWilliams, Stelle, Kalamen, Duszynski.

*Towns and Townships.*

Cassini, Weber, Stewart, Pursel, Rittenhouse.

*Unfinished Business.*

Wettstein, Hanson, Kautz, Letzgus, Parentini.

*Ways and Means.*

Kuser, Gopsill, Huelsenbeck, Morrison, Mercolino.

## SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

*Clergy.*

McWilliams, Peters, Barbour, Hand, McDermott.

*Rules.*

Blunt, Compton, Smock, Purdy, Barison.

*Steering Committee.*

Siracusa, Gopsill, Muir, Smock, Kuser, Wise, Purdy, Morrison, Spair, Knight (Majority Leader), Gabrielson (Speaker), F. A. Brodesser, Clerk.

*Conference Committee.*

Siracusa, Leap, Wise, Morrison, Purdy, Powers, Sterner, Knight (Majority Leader), Gabrielson (Speaker).

## JOINT COMMITTEES.

*Home for Feeble-Minded Women.*

Stein, Otto, Haines, Weber, Carty.

*Industrial School for Colored Youth.*

Barbour, Baxter, Altman, Wettstein, Greenberg.

*Industrial School for Girls.*

Cassini, Peters, McMurray, Compton, Carty.

*New Jersey State Reformatory.*

Marini, Blunt, Gopsill, Stewart, Bucino.

*Passed Bills.*

Hanson, Leap, Purdy, Kautz, D'Elia.

*Printing.*

Hand, Pierson, Litwin, Morrison, Rittenhouse.

*Public Grounds and Buildings.*

Young, Spair, Litwin, Edgar, Mercolino.

*Reform School for Boys.*

Edgar, Summers, Huelsenbeck, Young, D'Elia.

*Sanatorium for Tuberculous Diseases.*

Newcomb, Lorenz, Barbour, Weber, Rittenhouse.

*School for Deaf-Mutes.*

Pursel, Newcomb, Stelle, Marini, Roder.

*School for Feeble-Minded Children.*

Hollinshed, Altman, Jones, Summers, McDermott.

*Sinking Fund.*

Siracusa, Compton, Blunt, Gopsill, Vanderbach.

*Soldiers' Home*

Jones, Sterner, Otto, Purdy, Roder.

*State Hospitals.*

Bethke, Muir, Peters, McWilliams, Duszynski.

*State Library.*

Kalamen, Bethke, Kautz, Pursel, Bucino.

*State Prison.*

Letzgus, Muir, Siracusa, Wise, Barison.

*State Reformatory for Women.*

Kautz, Hollinshed, Stelle, Wise, Rittenhouse.

*State Village for Epileptics.*

Kuser, Powers, Lorenz, Wettstein, Roder.

*Treasurer's Report.*

Smock, Powers, Kuser, Leap, Parentini.

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

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

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

*Resolved*, That each member and officer of this House be furnished with five hundred (500) "Complimentary Slips."

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

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Stationery, when appointed be directed to furnish for the use of the members of the House, and officers thereof, file books for Senate and House bills and also Minute files.

Mr. Knight 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, under the direction of the Clerk of the House, as follows: To each member of the House, forty (40) copies; to the Clerk, twenty-five (25) copies; to the Assistant Clerk, Speaker's Secretary, Clerk to the Majority Leader, and

Clerk to the Minority Leader, each ten (10) copies; to the Journal Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Supervisor of Bill and the Bill Clerk, each five (5) copies; to the Calendar Clerk, Assistant Journal Clerks, Assistant Bill Clerk, Assistant Supervisor of Bills, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Speaker's Assistant Secretary, Stenographers, Doorkeepers, File Clerks, Pages, Committee Clerks, each two (2) copies; Legislative Correspondents and Reporters, each two (2) copies.

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

*Resolved*, That one thousand (1,000) copies of all bills be printed for the use of the Members of the House and Senate, and for all public distribution, and that six hundred (600) copies of all official reprint bills be printed.

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

*Resolved*, That five hundred (500) copies of the Governor's messages be printed for the use of the members of the House of Assembly.

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

*Resolved*, That the State Printer be instructed to mail to each member of the House, at his home address a copy of each part of the Minutes of the House properly perforated and cut for filing as soon as possible after the same is printed.

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

*Resolved*, That a copy of the Journal of the Senate be distributed on the desks of the members of the House, when printed, and a copy thereof, properly cut for filing, be mailed to the home address of each member, with a copy of the Minutes of the General Assembly.

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

*Resolved*, That the State Printer be instructed to mail to each member of the House, at his home address, at least one copy of each bill and resolution, both Senate and House, properly cut for filing, as soon as the same is printed.

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

*Resolved*, That the State Printer be instructed to mail to the home address of the Clerk of the House, Secretary to the Speaker, Secretary to the Majority Leader, the Secretary to the Minority Leader, a printed copy of all bills, all properly cut for filing, Minutes of the House and Senate, and daily memoranda of bills acted upon.

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

*Resolved*, That a sufficient number of copies of the daily calendar, prepared under supervision of the Clerk of the House showing brief memorandum of the bills reported and passed second and third readings in the House, be printed and distributed among the members of the Senate; and

*Be it Further Resolved*, That when a similar calendar of bills reported passed second and third reading in the Senate, is prepared by the Secretary of the Senate, that the same be distributed among the members of the House.

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

*Resolved*, That to each four members of the House to be specifically named by the Sergeant-at-Arms, under the direction of the Clerk of the House, he shall assign one file clerk, who shall keep the file books of said four members of the House in complete and satisfactory order.

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

*Resolved*, That all bills offered to the House, by either a member of a committee thereof, purporting to be a substitute bill for one in the possession of the House, shall not be received, considered or acted upon, unless the bill so offered as a substitute shall substantially cover the same subject matter as contained in the original bill.

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

*Resolved*, That no employee of the House be permitted to solicit or collect contributions for any purpose whatsoever.

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

*Resolved*, That eight hundred (800) copies of the Weekly Minutes be printed for the use of the House of Assembly.

The Speaker declared that the Clerk had an announcement to make.

The Clerk then made the following announcement for House committees which will carry clerkships with compensation:

Clerk to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Clerk to the Committee on Appropriations.

Clerk to the Committee on Judiciary.

Clerk to the Committee on Stationery.

Clerk to the Committee on Clergy.

Clerk to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Clerk to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Clerk to the Committee on Corporations.

Clerk to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Clerk to the Committee on Highways.

Clerk to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Clerk to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

Clerk to the Committee on Printed Bills.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 8th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Resolved,* That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has organized and elected the Hon. Thomas A. Mathis, of the County of Ocean, President, and Robert M. Johnston of the County of Atlantic, Secretary, and has proceeded to business.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the message be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 8th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

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

*Resolved* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Assembly be designated as Requisition Officers for the Legislature, their compensation to be three hundred dollars each; and be it further

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

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 8th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the State Printer be

directed to furnish to the State Library, as soon as printed, for the use of the Legislative Department of said State Library, and for exchange by said State Library with the State Libraries and Legislative Reference Libraries of other States, thirty copies each of all bills and joint and concurrent resolutions introduced in the Senate and House of Assembly, as well as printed Committee Substitutes; also, twenty copies of each weekly installment of the Journal of the Senate and Minutes of the House of Assembly, and thirty copies each of the gummed slips containing synopses of Senate and Assembly Bills introduced; also one copy of each official copy reprint of all bills and joint and concurrent resolutions.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 8th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey (the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey concurring):*

1. That the Legislative Index be purchased for the use of the officers and members of the Senate and House of Assembly from year to year, at each session thereof as soon as possible after adjournment is taken for the week and before the session convenes the following week; one copy of each issue to be mailed to the local address of each officer and member of the Senate and House of Assembly immediately upon publication, the names and addresses of whom shall be furnished by the Speaker of the House of Assembly and the President of the Senate, and one copy of each issue to be delivered at the State House for each officer and member of the Senate and House of Assembly, at the rate of ten (\$10.00) dollars for each subscription, and that statements of expenses for the Legislative Index be referred to the

Committee on Incidental Expenses of the Senate and House of Assembly respectively, and when approved by said committee said approval shall be indicated by the signature of the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Incidental Expenses for an expense of the Senate and by the Chairman of the House Committee on Incidental Expenses for an expense of the House of Assembly, together with the signature of the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Assembly, respectively, and said bills, when approved, shall be forwarded to the Comptroller of the Treasury for payment.

2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate's concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
STATE PURCHASING AGENT

TRENTON, N. J., January 3d, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick Brodesser, Clerk of the Assembly:*

In connection with the present Session of the State Legislature, I have assigned, for your convenience, Mr. Edward Mundy, Chief Clerk and Buyer of the State Purchasing Department, to assist in receiving legislative printing and to perform any other duties assigned him by you.

Respectfully yours,

E. J. QUIGLEY,  
*State Purchasing Agent.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and filed

Which motion was adopted.

The following communications were sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

STATE PURCHASING AGENT

TRENTON, N. J., January 8th, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick Brodesser, Clerk of the Assembly:*

DEAR SIR—In connection with the legislative printing for the present session of the New Jersey State Legislature, please be advised that MacCrellish & Quigley have been assigned this work.

You will, therefore, at your convenience, communicate with Mr. James W. West, president of this company, in connection with your requirements.

Yours very truly,

E. J. QUIGLEY,  
*State Purchasing Agent.*

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

STATE PURCHASING AGENT

TRENTON, N. J., January 3d, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick Brodesser, Clerk of the Assembly:*

In connection with the Session Laws for 1929, covering the present Session of the New Jersey State Legislature, please be advised that MacCrellish & Quigley have been awarded the contract for this work.

You will, therefore, at your convenience, communicate with Mr. James W. West, president of this Company, in reference to the above.

Respectfully yours,

E. J. QUIGLEY,  
*State Purchasing Agent.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communications be received and filed

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
STATE PURCHASING AGENT

TRENTON, N. J., January 3d, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick Brodesser, Clerk of the Assembly:*

The State House Commission operating under Chapter 68, P. L., 1916, herewith submits copy of the Annual Report for the fiscal year of 1928, beginning July 1st, 1927, and ending June 30th, 1928.

Respectfully yours,

E. J. QUIGLEY,

*State Purchasing Agent.*

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Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and the report filed.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

The Committee appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, respectfully reports that:—

1. The Joint Committee convened at the Senate Chamber in the State House at Trenton on June 14, 1928, and then and there organized and elected Clarence E. Case, Chairman and Thomas L. Hanson, Secretary.

2. Pursuant to the authority of the said Joint Resolution, the said Joint Committee has held 28 hearings, and has taken 6,300 pages of testimony from 225 witnesses who appeared and were duly sworn and testified.

3. The testimony taken by the Joint Committee discloses violations of law and illegal and irregular conduct contrary to the public interest on the part of the State, county and municipal officials, departments, commissions, boards and bodies, as follows:

(a) Violations of the election laws and election irregularities, which, if not violations of existing laws, are contrary to the spirit and intent thereof.

(b) Violation of the civil service laws, padding of payrolls, the employment of a large number of public employees who rendered no service, or inadequate service in return for their salaries.

(c) The collection of a large fund from moving picture theatre operators in connection with the non-enforcement of state laws.

(d) Suppression of competition in letting of public contracts by artifices of various kinds, including the use of closed specifications, resulting in great financial loss to the public.

(e) Irregularities in connection with the handing up of a Grand Jury presentment.

(f) The acquisition of property for public purposes by condemnation in such manner that in some cases persons unnamed and unknown, and in others persons in high political favor profited unconsciously at the public expense.

(g) The enforced collection of a pro rata part of their salaries from civil service and other public employees for election purposes.

(h) The management of public finances under existing law in a wasteful manner and detrimental to the public interest

(i) An exceedingly high rate of part-time school attendance.

(j) The giving of free medical and hospital attendance at the public expense to persons not indigent.

(k) The defrauding of the public of bus franchises fees and the failure of public authorities to adequately enforce the provisions of existing laws in this respect.

4. The investigation and survey of the Joint Committee is uncompleted, and is still in progress.

5. The facts disclosed by the testimony taken by the said Joint Committee are matters of great public interest and show that the functions of certain public officials, departments, commission, boards and bodies are being unlawfully and improperly discharged, and that legislation is necessary to prevent recurrences of such illegal and irregular acts contrary to the public interest, and to remedy the conditions found to exist.

6. A stenographic transcript of the testimony taken by the said Joint Committee accompanies this report.

7. The Joint Committee is unable to recommend legislation at this time because its investigation is uncompleted.

8. The Joint Committee recommends that it be continued for the purpose of completing the investigation and survey.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. CASE,

*Chairman.*

Attest: THOMAS L. HANSON,

*Secretary.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received spread in full upon the Minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Assistant Prosecutor Lewis G. Hansen, former member, for the purpose of making a presentation.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Sheriff John J. Coffinger, former member, for the purpose of making a presentation.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Assistant Attorney General Paul Supinsky, for the purpose of making a presentation.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Mrs. Katherine Brown, former member of the House, for the purpose of presenting to Jas. P. McDermott.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to Honorable Charles C. Inzirelli, Industrial Commission of the city of Bayonne, for the purpose of making a presentation speech.

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

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to David Pinder, former member, for the purpose of making a presentation.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the privilege of the floor be extended to J. Glenn Anderson, a former member, for the purpose of making a presentation.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet on Thursday next, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn, it be to meet Monday, January 14, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M.

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

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THURSDAY, January 10, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Bethke, Power and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday morning, January 12, 1929, at 11 o'clock.

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SATURDAY, January 12th, 1929.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Powers, Spair, Bethke.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday at 1 P. M., January 14th, 1929.

## MONDAY, January 14th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. T. Paul Loraine, of the First Baptist Church, of Clayton, N. J.

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

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Huelsenbeck, Knight, Leap, Litwin, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach, Weber—17.

Absent—Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Letzgus, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

The Clerk announced there were 17 members who answered to the roll call, and that there was not a quorum present.

The Speaker then announced, as there was not a quorum present, the House would recess until 9:30 o'clock, P. M.

The House reconvened at 9:30 o'clock, P. M.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—50.

Absent—Messrs. Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Lorenz, McDermott, Mercolino, Newcomb, Parentini, Powers, Roder—10.

Mr. Frank Bucino, of Hudson County, appeared in answer to the roll call, and was then called before the bar of the House and Mr. S. Rusling Leap, of Salem County, a member of the House

and a Master in Chancery of this State, administered the oath, whereupon Mr. Bucino signed the roll and took his seat.

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

*Resolved*, That the following-named persons are hereby elected to the offices set opposite their respective names:

Clerk, to Committee on Printed Bills, Robert M. Muir, Union.

Clerk to Committee on Miscellaneous Business, Enoch L. Johnson, Atlantic.

Clerk to Committee on Appropriations, Harry Hough, Mercer.

Clerk to Committee on Judiciary, Walter W. Lee, Camden.

Clerk to Committee on Stationery, Jeanette Simmell, Essex.

Clerk to Committee on Clergy, R. Paul Mitchell, Gloucester.

Clerk to Committee on Federal Relations, Roy Heck, Bergen.

Clerk to Committee on Game and Fish, Mrs. Etta Bennett, Middlesex.

Clerk to Committee on Corporations, James Holbrook, Morris.

Clerk to Committee on Railroads and Canals, Matthew J. Rooney, Ocean.

Clerk, to Committee on Highways, Laurel Jones, Passaic.

Clerk to Committee on Ways and Means, Albert Perret, Jr., Somerset.

Clerk to Committee on Revision of Laws, A. B. Caldwell, Union.

Mr. Blunt, Chairman of the Committee on Rules, offered the following amendments to Rules 63 and 69, House of Assembly Rules, and moved that the House adopt the amendments in lieu of the present Rules 63 and 69, as they appear in the Legislative Manual for 1928, and moved their adoption.

Which was read by the Clerk, as follows:

63. No person shall be allowed on the floor of the House during its business session, except as follows:

Present State Senators.

Present and former members of the House of Assembly.

Properly accredited newspaper representatives whose credentials have been approved by the Speaker of the House.

Attaches and employees of the House of Assembly and the Senate.

Such other persons as may be given the privileges of the floor by a pass from the Speaker.

69. At each session of the House, officers, attaches, and employees, shall appear at the office of the Clerk of the House and there sign the roll call and the Clerk of the House shall report, in writing, after each legislative session, to the Chairman of the Incidental Committee as to the attendance of said attaches, officers and employees. Any member who is absent more than three sessions, without being excused therefrom by the Speaker, is automatically stricken from the list of employees.

Which motion was adopted.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by their title, ordered printed, and to have a second reading, and were referred to committees as follows:

By Mr. Powers:

Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the city of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 2, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a fund for the retirement upon pension of certain employees of the boards of education in school districts in first class counties in this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877),"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of Commerce and Navigation of New Jersey to improve, alter, straighten and dredge the channels of the Manasquan river lying between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean and making due appropriation therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minutes,

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened at 11 o'clock, P. M.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

Absent—Messrs. Baxter, Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hand, Letzgus, Lorenz, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Roder, Stelle, Stewart—19.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was adopted.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

Absent—Messrs. Baxter, Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hand, Letzgus, Lorenz, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Roder, Stelle, Stewart—19.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and which was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 14, 1929. }

*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. 1, entitled "An act concerning contempts arising out of acts or omissions with respect to committees constituted by joint resolutions of the Legislature,"

And,

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to amend the title of a joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of the President of the Senate and three other members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Assembly and three other members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint committee to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further, to make a general survey of the finances of the State, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and to amend and supplement the body thereof,"

In which the concurrence of the House is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to amend the title of a joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of the President of the Senate and three other members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Assembly and three other members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint committee to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct

of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further, to make a general survey of the finances of the State, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and to amend and supplement the body thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second **reading**.

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Joint Resolution No 1 be advanced to second reading without reference.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J , Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach  
—5.

The Speaker declared the motion of Mr. Kuser adopted

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to amend the title of a joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of the President of the Senate and three other members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Assembly and three other members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint committee to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further, to make a general survey of the finances of the State, and making

an appropriation therefor,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and to amend and supplement the body thereof,"

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

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 be taken up on third reading and final passage,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach  
—5.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint resolution to amend the title of a joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of the President of the Senate and three other members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Assembly and three other members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint committee to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further, to make a general survey of the finances of the State, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and to amend and supplement the body thereof,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach  
—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 amendments.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 1 which was furnished by the Clerk.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act concerning contempts arising out of acts or omissions with respect to committees constituted by joint resolutions of the Legislature,"

Was read for the first time by its title, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 1 be advanced to second reading without reference.

On which motion, the ayes and nays were called, with the following result :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—34.

In the negative was—

Mr. Rittenhouse—1.

The Speaker declared the motion of Mr. Kuser adopted.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act concerning contempts arising out of acts or omissions with respect to committees constituted by joint resolutions of the Legislature,"

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

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 1 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative was—

Mr. Rittenhouse—1.

Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act concerning contempts arising out of acts or omissions with respect to committees constituted by joint resolutions of the Legislature,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative was—

Mr. Rittenhouse—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.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by their title, ordered printed and to have a second reading, and were referred to committees as follows:

By Mr. Kuser:

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and

fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the construction, in whole or in part, of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other devices necessary and proper to protect the riparian lands and other taxable property of the State in the municipalities located in Monmouth County, and bordering on Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay from Compton's Creek to Whale Creek,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of

1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Letzgus:

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "An act concerning and regulating motion picture machines and projectors, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Letzgus:

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act authorizing contracts between municipalities and incorporated volunteer fire companies for fire service and providing for the purchase, maintenance and housing of fire apparatus,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act 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,' which amendment was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting notice of lis pendens" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendment was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting notice of lis pendens' (Revision of 1902),"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 17, 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

administrator or administrators with the will annexed or by any administrator or administrators de bonis non with the will annexed, or any substituted administrator or administrators, or by the survivor or survivors, or successor or successors of them, him or her, and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Miss Carty:

Assembly Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act providing for divorce and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and maintenance of children" (Revision of 1907), passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "An act amending sections one and three of the amendment found in chapter thirteen, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, page thirty-five," approved March first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Miss Jones:

Assembly Bill No. 20, 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,"

Referred to Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to make a married woman solely responsible for her torts,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and non-resident children in this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 23, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 24, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Pierson :

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy, chiropractic and naturopathy, to protect the public health, to license practitioners of said healing arts, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise :

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Vanderbach :

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

By Mr. Stein :

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision, 1920), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Letzgus :

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence' (Revision of 1900),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to change and amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties and municipalities to acquire land for airport purposes and to use land heretofore acquired for other purposes and thereafter to lease same,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Morrison :

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to carry into effect, in the State of New Jersey, the provisions of an act of Congress to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the act entitled 'An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' approved July second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and all acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture, and to give the assent of the Legislature thereto,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College

By Mr. Letzgus :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mortgage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their

drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted,

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet on Tuesday morning, January 15, 1929, at 11:00 o'clock.

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

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TUESDAY, January 15th, 1929.

House met at 11 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George H. Hemingway, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Camden, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgun, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Mercolino, Parentini—6.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess until 11.25 A. M.  
Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened at 11.25 o'clock A. M.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Mercolino, Parentini—6.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Thursday at 12 o'clock noon, January 17th, 1929, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Saturday at 12 o'clock noon, January 19th, 1929, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday, January 21st, 1929, at eight o'clock P. M.

The following report of The Commission on Old Age Insurance and Pensions of the State of New Jersey was sent to the desk of the Clerk who read the report by its title.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON OLD AGE INSURANCE AND  
PENSIONS OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

*To His Excellency Morgan F. Larson, Governor of the State of New Jersey and The Legislature of the State of New Jersey:*

Whenever legislation is attempted that is a radical departure from time-worn custom, it meets with opposition. We have largely pursued the beaten path and deviation therefrom causes in some instances consternation, yet progress must of necessity be along new lines, new experiments and new ideas. The history of legislation for social betterment in all countries has met with stubborn opposition, sometimes this opposition is an honest one and

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sometimes selfish class interests is the motivating reason for a determined battle to halt progressive measures that have for their object the welfare of society. This is true of the subject of old age pensions. Preceding the war there was considerable discussion and agitation in favor of old age pensions in various parts of the United States, but war with its psychological consequences puts an end and a blight upon man's best instincts. It is worthy of note however to observe that other nations beside our own even before the war had some form of governmental retirement allowances that had for their objective the aiding of aged persons who had worked faithfully during their productive years and who from no fault of their own find in the evening of their lives that they must become the objects of charity. In our own country, agitation for old age insurance was successful in an investigation and survey in the State of Massachusetts and in other States commissions have been investigating the subject. In Europe the war necessitated an increase in old age pension allowances as an offset to the mounting cost of living and in our own country we have seen in recent years a considerable advance in the retirement system for civil and State employees. The retirement system of civil employees in most instances is based upon part contributions from those benefited. Industrial workers and clerks however have not shared in this respect to as great a degree and there is varying opinion between what is termed "contributory" and "non-contributory" plans. Those who argue for the "contributory" plan say that its working increases self-respect and develops habits of thrift. In the last decade many of our larger corporations have devised retirement schemes for their employees. Where these retirement programs are based upon purely humanitarian grounds and in no way tend to cut a fair living wage they are of the utmost value and very naturally tend to decrease old age dependency. Depreciation is allowed each year for inanimate things and there is no reason why depreciation should not be allowed for human beings, the human beings reaping the benefit when they have reached an age where continuance of work is either impossible or a cruel hardship. There is no more pitiful picture than that of a faithful employee after years of service who through disability or old age is thrown ruthlessly out of employment with no visible means of support. Society is recognizing that fact and the day is coming when every going concern will either of its own volition care for its faithful and aged employee of years of service or be compelled by legislation to do that which Christianity, enlightenment and a spirit of helpfulness demands. There are many industrial slaves to-day with no hope for the future held out to

them. They have been unfortunate in the game of life, they are the equals mentally and physically of those more fortunate—opportunity has not come to them nor has the chance been given them to knock at the favored door, not that they have not tried, not that they have lacked incentive and initiative, but simply that things have not come their way and they have had to be content with a daily grind that brings to them a daily subsistence; then when advancing years make physical performance impossible who shall say that they must become the flotsam and jetsam of our society and finally in desperation wander to the poorhouse or almshouse of an enlightened age? Industrialism in the future will largely take care of its faithful workers. The trend is in that direction to-day. The successful corporation or business concern can in a degree be measured to-day by its attitude toward its employees. The plans for retirement in vogue at present would have been scoffed at twenty years ago, the inter-dependency of capital and labor is yearly becoming more and more to be recognized. There is a class of workers who have been particularly unfortunate in the past and this class has been called the “white collar worker,” he is best typified by the clerk, bookkeeper and stenographer. He has had no union to further his protection and his scale of wage has not advanced proportionately with the so-called industrial worker. It is from this class that a large number of the indigent poor of to-day come. He is not considered a skilled worker and he has been looked upon as a necessary evil. The bookkeeper, the bill clerk, the order clerk, the stenographer, has at best meekly gone to his superior and asked for an increase in wage and their determination has been the edict of a Court of Error and No Appeal. His lot to-day is improving through group insurance and pension systems that larger corporations are putting into practice and what **big business is doing must be followed by small business** if small business is to become big. There is no valid reason why a going concern earning a fair return on its investment should completely ignore the welfare of its co-workers. They are part and parcel of its success and their happiness must be taken into account. In all corporations let there be a slight reduction in the return to stockholders if needs be to care for the future welfare of faithful employees. This charge on the business will in the future be a fixed charge and the day is coming when the accountant will take cognizance of it precisely as he does of any other fixed charge and future generations will look back at the time when this was not done with wonderment and amazement. No business can be a success whose workers are dissatisfied and unhappy. Successful business recognizes this fact and a great number

of unsuccessful organizations need go no further than to correct this atmosphere to turn the corner to success.

The problem that is presented to us however is what shall we do with our present dependents who now have reached the stage in life where physical conditions make work impossible, who are not cared for by industrial retirement schemes, and who are really the objects of charity, they are to-day the creatures for whom no beneficent scheme had been worked out in the past. The future we believe will see less and less of this class due to the voluntary safeguards that private initiative is giving in this generation. Civil employees are being provided for, State retirement funds are in most States in operation, and the general tendency is to provide for the aged. President-elect Hoover in his campaign for the Presidency made mention time and again, to the abolishment of poverty as a great goal to be accomplished, but until it is abolished in the future we must help the unfortunate of our present time. In 1923 Old Age Assistance laws were adopted by Montana, Nevada and Pennsylvania. The extension of the old age pension act of 1915 in Alaska. The Pennsylvania law was later declared unconstitutional in that State. The Nevada law states that applicants must be 60 years of age, citizens of the United States for at least 15 years and residents of the State for at least 10 years. Inmates of prisons and workhouses are excluded as are persons who have been in prison for four months or more during the 10 years preceding. The amount of benefit that may be allowed may not with other resources exceed \$1.00 a day. The Pennsylvania law fixed the age at 70 and State residence 15 years. The Montana law set the age at 70 and applicants must be citizens of the State for 15 years. The amount of benefits not to exceed \$25 a month and may be less according to conditions in each case. In Alaska the age for pensions was 65 for men and 60 for women, residence 15 years, a maximum allowance of \$25 per month for men and \$45 for women. In Nevada the 1923 law was repealed and a new one enacted in its place. Wisconsin also passed an Old Age Pension law. In 1926 Kentucky passed an Old Age Pension law.

According to figures compiled by the Wisconsin State Board of Control the average cost per person per day under the Pension law of 1925 was \$0.79. The law of Wisconsin grants pensions up to \$1 00 a day. It represented a saving of \$6 00 to \$11.00 per month as compared with poorhouse maintenance. In Montana after three years operation of Old Age Pensions law there was paid in 1925 an average pension of \$172.16 a year or \$14.35 a month, a saving in poorhouse maintenance of more than one-third. As

stated before the Pennsylvania Old Age Pension law of 1923 was declared unconstitutional and a movement was immediately started to amend the State constitution to grant such legislation. The Chamber of Commerce of Pennsylvania through the Pennsylvania Progress its organ in an effort to defeat the amendment in the Legislature, states that the estimated cost of an Old Age Pension would be from \$40,000,000 to \$60,000,000 annually. This was disputed by the Pennsylvania Commission which declared the cost would not be more than \$5,000,000 and would take care of three times the number of persons now taken care of by almshouses which expenditures amounted to \$8,000,000.

There has been no canvas made by the Commission in New Jersey for the very good reason that no money has been appropriated for this purpose. Other States have appropriated from a minimum of \$10,000 to \$25,000 to carry on their investigations.

The New Jersey Commission as created under the Act of 1911 can advise with industrial concerns as to the advisability of Pensions and Insurance systems being put into operation and your Commission has during the year co-operated with such industrial concerns trying to establish old age pensions and insurance. It believes that this is a practical way of limiting old age dependency in the future.

A report by the Industrial Welfare Department The National Civic Federation was made in 1926 and carried out during the succeeding fourteen months. This report was made by Edmund S. Cogswell, Research Director, and the field work in New Jersey supervised by Miss Lillian Erskine, former Chief of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Labor of our State. A questionnaire was prepared and the information asked of persons 65 years of age and over. A canvas was made in Newark and New Brunswick to quote "The city blocks listed referring to Newark in the final report totalled 1,265. The houses visited were 12,478, distributed in a network throughout sixteen wards of the city. In all 1,948 survey questionnaires, concerning persons 65 years of age and over, were filled out. To obtain this number, there were visited 27,402 families representing (4.4 per family) 120,568 persons. In this total the average percentage of persons of the survey age was 1.61 the range for the different wards being from .9 to 3.6." The net result of the survey showed that there were less dependents at the age of 65 than was commonly thought.

Irrespective of what percentage of the population at the age of 65 are dependents, the fact remains that there are dependents, unfortunates who through no fault of their own are facing starvation and who are in need of aid. If there were only 500 in the

entire State, these 500 should receive some aid. There are those who would rather starve than go to the poorhouse. Those in a poorhouse lose their identity and their self-respect is shattered. The poorhouse and the almshouse should be in an enlightened society, relics of a barbarous past. Most of those who are now in our County almshouses are subjects for medical aid. The surveys made in most of the States fix the arbitrary age as 65 years as the age where State aid is to be invoked. The amount to be given the helpless is a minimum of \$1.00 per day. This sum is in itself according to present day costs, inadequate, but it is urged that the assistance of a small pension added to wages from part time employment would allow men and women to remain producers instead of non-producers as they are in poorhouses.

In the beginning of 1927 four States had non-contributory old age pension laws on their statute books. These were Kentucky, Montana, Nevada and Wisconsin, as well as Alaska. During 1927, Colorado and Maryland passed similar laws making a total of six States. Montana has paid pensions since 1923 and Wisconsin in a few counties since 1925. In all one thousand persons were the recipients of such pensions. In most all of these States the laws were operated through county officials. In 1927 a non-contributory old age pension system for the whole of Canada was adopted, and non-contributory systems are in vogue in Australia, Denmark, part of Finland, Great Britain (in part), Irish Free State, Isle of Guernsey, Newfoundland, New Zealand and Norway.

The countries that had the contributory system are Austria, Belgium, Bolivia (in part), Brazil (in part), Bulgaria, Chile, Cuba (in part), Czechoslovakia, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Iceland, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Russia, Jugo-Slavia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland (one canton), Uruguay.

At the present time we believe it safe to say that the majority of known cases of dependency are to be found in our own County almshouses and the majority of these cases are in reality medical cases. Our almshouses are the only places where those dependents afflicted with chronic diseases can go. Our hospitals, cannot in the nature of things, take care of all the chronic cases. The almshouse thus becomes the refuge of the chronic sick, the aged, the feeble-minded, the insane. They are all there in their misery and their poverty, and their care is either creditable or a shocking stigma on present day civilization. The majority of almshouses are not equipped for hospital work nor do they have a trained personnel. If almshouses must exist then there should be seg-

regation and the chronic sick sent to an institution that would care for them alone. They should not be mixed in helter-skelter fashion, with the feeble-minded in some instances acting as nurses to those who are invalided. The indigent aged poor who are well should not be sent to almshouses. They should receive State or county aid. On the ground of the present almshouse should be erected a modern hospital to take care of the chronic sick, in an intelligent and scientific manner. If missionaries instead of trying to get money to convert the "heathen Chinese" would direct their energies to trying to focus public opinion on better care for the indigent poor and helpless creatures who are with us, they would be performing a practical Christianity right by their own fire-sides.

From the various statistical figures that are available we are convinced that the number of persons 65 years of age or over who are dependents is not large in the State of New Jersey. We shall at a future time present an old age pension bill to the Legislature that we believe is workable and will bear the scrutiny of the court with regards its constitutionality. We shall continue to advise with firms and corporations as to the necessity from an economic point of view of establishing retirement and old age pension systems. This we believe to be the best safeguard in the future of diminishing in our State old age dependency.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH E. GIFFORD,  
*Secretary.*

THEODORE L. BIERCK,  
*Chairman.*

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THEODORE H. MULCH,  
JOHN SERPICO,  
JOHN KENNEL.

January 12th, 1929.

Mr. Knight moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved,* That the House taken a recess for the purpose of participating in the inaugural ceremonies of Honorable Morgan

F. Larson as Governor of New Jersey, at the Lincoln Theatre, Trenton, at twelve o'clock noon; that when it adjourns it be to meet on Friday morning at 11 o'clock, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet on Monday evening, next, at eight o'clock.

The Speaker then declared a recess.

The members, preceded by the Speaker and the Clerk, proceeded to the Lincoln Theatre pursuant to the foregoing resolution.

The House of Assembly, together with the Senate, participated in the inauguration of the Honorable Morgan F. Larson as Governor of the State of New Jersey.

The roll call showed all the members of the House present.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Robert Schlotter, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church of Perth Amboy, N. J.

The certificate of the election of Honorable Morgan F. Larson as Governor of the State of New Jersey was read by the Honorable Joseph F. S. Fitzpatrick, Secretary of State.

The oath of office was administered by the Chief Justice, Honorable William S. Gummere, to Governor Morgan F. Larson.

The delivery of the Great Seal of the State of New Jersey was then made by the Honorable A. Harry Moore, the retiring Governor.

The Governor was then introduced to the President of the Senate, Honorable Thomas A. Mathis, by the Honorable A. Harry Moore, the retiring Governor.

The President of the Senate then introduced the Governor to the Senate and General Assembly.

Governor Larson then delivered the

## INAUGURAL ADDRESS

### *To the Legislature:*

The oath of office to which I have just subscribed imposes upon me, for the next three years, the duties of Chief Executive of this sovereign State. My first word is to express the hope that the Legislature and the Governor may work in thorough harmony, with the single purpose of rendering complete and efficient governmental service.

Government is a means and not an end; a method and not an objective. It is the process by which organized society protects and advances its existence. The science of government is pro-

gressive, always developing and never finished. Just as every living organism must grow or fall into decay, so government, to justify its being, must throw off the outworn and the diseased tissue and build up the sound and healthy; always, however, in accordance with those fundamental principles in and from which it takes its life. To do all this, our forefathers set up the Judiciary, the Legislature and the Executive. Although these departments are distinct, they are none the less branches of the same vine. They are imbued with the same life and should function in complete sympathy toward producing the common fruit. To that sympathetic attitude and unity of purpose, I invite your support and pledge mine.

#### POWER OF LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

There are some phases of a democratic form of government that are elemental and essential. One is the honesty and integrity of public officers in the performance of their duties. There has been for some months a joint committee of the Legislature, conducting an investigation of questions of public interest and investigating whether or not there exist such general and flagrant violations of the common rule of public conduct on the part of any State official, State department, commission or body, as to call for corrective legislation. The powers of that committee have been challenged. Proofs already adduced are such, however, as to make mandatory, in the public interest, a continuance of the inquiry. It is manifestly the duty of the Legislature to give to the committee such reestablishment as may be necessary to enable it to continue its work unhampered and without interruption. Technical faults in the empowering resolution, if such be found to exist, should be corrected. Clearly the committee, to be efficient, must have the power to issue compulsory process. A statutory procedure for the trial of contempts against legislative mandates should be enacted. Let the question of procedure be at once transferred from the field of argument to that of established law. There must be no intrenchment of political favor so strong that orderly, constitutional government may not prevail thereover.

#### ELECTIONS

Investigations and recounts have revealed numerous violations of the election law and have also brought to light fraudulent registration and dishonesty on the part of election officers. I realize that honesty on the part of election officers cannot be procured by legislative enactment; however, our election laws

should be so strengthened as to make fraud more difficult and punishment more certain for those guilty of violation.

I call your attention to the inadequate, contradictory and, in part, obsolete provisions of our election laws. The election laws should be rewritten from beginning to end. At the hands of experienced draftsmen the law could be reduced one half in volume and increased in clarity and precision. I fear, however, that an attempt at revision during this legislative session would necessarily be hurried and incomplete. I therefore recommend that a commission be appointed to redraft the election laws and to present the proposed revision not later than the next session of the Legislature. Such commission may well study betterment in substance as well as change in form.

#### POLLUTION

New Jersey is the playground and the health resort of the nation. To our shores and our mountains come the rich and the poor, the citizens of our own State, our neighbors from all the nation and visitors from foreign lands. The preservation of this God given asset is a duty and an obligation. Our seacoast cities now extend from Sandy Hook to Cape May. They depend largely for their patronage and their health upon the purity of the water and the bathing beach. Beach pollution and contamination from floating garbage and oil refuse are not only a nuisance and an abuse but a menace to public health and should be rebuked by the sovereignty of our State.

I pledge myself to use my utmost authority to rid our State of this menace to our resorts. In addition to available legal methods and I shall have a conference with the Governor of New York State and appeal to the principle of comity of the States for a remedy. I shall also ask the Port Authority, which is an agency of the two States, to use whatever influence it may exercise in this direction. The Jersey coast must be kept free and pure as God intended. We have the right on our side, and the right will triumph.

The pollution of inland waterways, which involves a more definite State policy in connection with major sewage disposal projects is a problem that should be given definite study without delay. As communities develop and our population increases, this feature of the public welfare can no longer be left to uncorrelated planning. We must at once address ourselves to this problem.

## FOREST RESERVE

A large portion of the soil of our State is adapted only for forestry purposes. The State Forestry Reserve, affording playground for our people and a refuge for our game should be continued. The utility of this State function needs no argument. In this connection I call attention to the wonderful forest and game sanctuary known as High Point Park, the most elevated section in this State, given to New Jersey through the generosity of one of its distinguished citizens, Col. A. R. Kuser. This spot overlooks three States and is a veritable Switzerland of America. Its ten thousand acres are visited by fully two hundred thousand people a year. It is the best camping and playground in the East. It is an asset of which New Jersey may be proud, attracting visitors and inducing them ultimately to become residents of our commonwealth.

I recommend the construction of highways to make accessible this artistic and health-giving reservation. It is an ideal spot for a summer school in forestry and the Legislature could properly give serious thought to this suggestion and provision could be made for the raising of trees on this tract to be sold to the residents of New Jersey, at a minimum cost, to plant along the highways, on our farms, and about the homes of our people.

## INLAND WATERWAYS

We have the best market in the world for our farmers. We have the best location for industry. Our railways and waterways give ready access to the purchaser. We can happily say that "New Jersey makes and the world takes." The cost of transportation is always a factor in the location of industry. The development of our waterways, as an auxiliary to our railway transportation, is of great importance to our State.

The trans-state ship canal is of National and State importance. It would furnish the last link of the Atlantic Inland Waterways between New England and the South. Its importance to New Jersey cannot be over-estimated. It would make New Jersey the commercial highway of the nation. It would reduce freight rates, stimulate industry and invite the establishment of new enterprises along its route. It would constitute a safer route. It would save in water shipments between New York and Philadelphia 187 miles that are now consumed in traveling around Cape May. The State of New Jersey has spent thousands of dollars in a survey, begun in 1911, and in monumenting the

chosen course of the canal. Our State has made provisions for guaranteeing the right of way and has practically pledged proceeds from the sale of the Morris Canal to this purpose. Auxiliary to this is the deepening of the channel of the Delaware River to make the route easier for ships of large draft.

It is now essential that our business men, manufacturers and chambers of commerce furnish the data and figures wherewith to prove the economic commercial value of the canal. This forward movement needs the active enthusiasm and support of our citizens and, especially, of our delegation in Congress to overcome the inertia natural to such a large and novel undertaking.

I hope to signalize my administration by making this project the program of our State and having it consummated by the favorable report of engineers and the necessary action of Congress. New Jersey has led the march and has done its part. We must now induce others to do theirs. To that end I pledge my earnest efforts.

#### TAXATION

Our industries cannot thrive under ruinous taxation. This subject is of such vital importance that it touches the heart of every taxpayer. The taxes of our country in 1925 outside of the Federal Government amounted to \$11,000,000,000, or three times greater than in 1917. They are continually increasing. The interest upon obligations issued by municipalities, States and counties amounts to over \$4,000,000 a day. The National Government under President Coolidge has been putting the brakes on expenditures, stressing economy, paying the national debt and reducing taxes. Not so with the local governments. While the national taxes are being reduced, local taxes are increasing at about the rate of twelve and one-half per cent a year.

The State of New Jersey affords a striking illustration of the growing burdens upon the taxpayers. The average tax rate of our State has increased from 2.115 in 1915 to 3.877 in 1928. There are 544 taxing districts in the State. Twenty years ago there were 50 districts with rates from \$2.00 to \$2.25. Now there are only two. There were 53 districts with rates from \$2.50 to \$3.00. Now there are only 27. There were only 20 districts with rates between \$3.00 and \$3.50. Now there are 61. There were only 6 districts with rates above \$3.50. Now there are 425.

Something must be done to prevent municipalities and counties and States living beyond their income. The individual who lives

beyond his income becomes bankrupt. The city that lives beyond its income bankrupts its people.

I have this subject keenly in mind and shall do my utmost to afford the taxpayer, whether farmer, manufacturer or workman, deserved reduction and relief. In this respect I ask the co-operation of all citizens of this commonwealth.

Early in my term I shall call together representatives of the various chambers of commerce and of our municipalities, and ask for their views and recommendations for the solution of this problem.

#### BANKING

The investigations concerning our State banking practices, our building and loan systems and the small loan companies have been inaugurated for the protection of our people.

It seems untimely for me here to lodge an indictment against any of these systems or the individuals involved. A judicial consideration of the results of the investigations, however, will be made by me and such recommendations as are deemed wise for the safety or the service of our people will be duly transmitted to the Legislature.

The banking system of America is an individual banking system. In England there are nineteen banks with numerous branches, in France twenty banks with numerous branches. In these countries banking functions are centralized, creating a system of absentee money lords for the many little banking branches throughout these nations. Not so in our land. Our banks as a rule are locally owned, locally managed, with a local board of directors who know the people of each community, the needs of each community, and who use the savings of that community for the development of its resources and for the aiding of its citizens. It has been this system of locally controlled credit which has done more than anything else to promote America's growth and prosperity. Certainly we want to be saved from absentee money lords in the management and control of our local banks.

The tendency to chain banking in America through holding corporations, if unchecked, means that the present system, to which our country is wedded, and for which we have declared, both by legislation and through bankers' conferences, will be entirely destroyed. New Jersey was the first State to pass an act to prevent the holding of bank stocks in any large degree by corporations and thus has gone on record against that system of banking. This advance step upon our part has brought nation-

wide commendation. I am in hearty accord with this principle and I recommend that it be kept upon our statute books.

#### STATE DEPENDENTS

Our State has been most considerate of its dependents. These unfortunate members of society absorb, for their care and supervision, over thirty per cent of our expenditures, not including the cost of the institutions and buildings erected for their use.

During the past six years, \$17,000,000 has been appropriated for buildings. This enormous cost is referred to, not as a matter of criticism, but an evidence that the multiplication of dependents is a drain upon our resources. It offers a strong suggestion that the true policy is not alone humanitarian, but essentially preventative. Unless we can stop the increase in the number of dependents, society is doomed and the state is economically burdened. For its humanitarian policy New Jersey leads the procession of "Doing Unto Others." This, however, is not the most important phase of the situation.

Our institutions are acknowledged throughout the country for their excellence and are objects of observation, by the medical, psychological and psychiatric students. Of New Jersey's physicians and surgeons we are justly proud. Our institutions, therefore, could be made the subject of study and observation for the possible discovery of the cause of this trouble and its remedy. This is the greatest ill that threatens civilization today, far above all others in importance. Its remedy would be the greatest discovery of the age. New Jersey should lead in this important work for the benefit of the physical and moral well-being of our country.

I suggest, therefore, that a program be outlined by our Commissioner of Charities and Corrections and his expert advisers for announcement to the Country at large, and that this movement be named the "Jersey Idea" and that we take the first step toward collating the knowledge already obtained upon this subject, and securing further information for the benefit of our State and our Country.

Nothing would reflect greater honor upon our commonwealth, and it would put us in the lead of a campaign for the relief of suffering, weakness, dependency and criminality, which would make the world, not only view us with admiration, but rise up and call us blessed.

## POTABLE WATER SUPPLY

The supply of potable water is most essential to the health and well being of the people of our State. Over two decades ago, when a water famine threatened, one of my predecessors appointed a commission for a survey of the sources of the waters in our State, and from that time the State has exercised a guiding hand in conservation and allocation of its potable water. The tendency of some municipalities, as well as individuals and private corporations, to appropriate the water sheds makes necessary intervention on the part of the State.

The Board of Conservation and Development performs important duties in this connection.

The Department has, since 1916, acted upon 224 requests for permission to divert water, and, although all its decisions are subject to review by the Courts, in only two instances have its decisions been set aside.

The North Jersey district water supply commission, now functioning, and the South Jersey district, not yet functioning, are additional bodies empowered to control our water supply, and to compel each municipality to obtain permission before securing any new or additional supply. These two bodies overlap slightly in some functions and remedial legislation would seem to be necessary to clear the atmosphere of certain conflicts of authority.

It is unfortunate, that, at the last election for the adoption of the amendments to the Constitution, the amendment, permitting various municipalities to join together for a common water supply or pollution and sewage purposes, was rejected. The advantages of this community of purposes between municipalities, which enables them to issue bonds to provide the necessary funds for common public improvements, are well illustrated in Metropolitan London which embodies a number of separate municipalities having common police, fire, water supply and sanitary regulations.

It is to be hoped that this very wise and economic proposal can be soon made a part of our Constitution, or, in some other way, made possible for the use of the growing municipalities of our State.

The water supply question is always acute, due to the necessary conflicting interests throughout our great commonwealth, and due also to the necessity of conserving for future generations, our water sources free from pollution or contamination. A fair and far-seeing policy on the part of the State is one of the most important of Legislative and executive functions. My experience as an engineer will be most helpful to me in advising the Legislature on this important subject.

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### TRI-STATE TREATY

For several years the equitable allotment of the waters of the Delaware River has been the subject of serious consideration.

This problem was placed in the hands of a committee appointed by the Legislature two years ago, which, after negotiations with like commissions of the States of Pennsylvania and New York, rendered its report with the proposed treaty between the three States.

The State of New York, by appropriate legislation, has ratified this treaty. It is evident that some agreement between these States must be reached, regarding the apportionment and control of these waters.

Any movement to divert the waters of great inter-state streams should be done only after most careful consideration and deliberation, and after full consideration of all factors covering water power, fertility of the soil, potable waters, navigation, food fisheries and industrial power. I recommend that both Houses of the Legislature give this subject the most serious consideration.

### MEADOW RECLAMATION

The 1928 Legislature, under a joint resolution, appointed a commission to study meadow reclamation in the metropolitan area and make a report to this Legislature.

This is a very important and large project, involving approximately 28,000 acres. The conversion of this large area from a liability to an asset will be of particular benefit to the northern counties and the State, generally.

Undoubtedly, the most efficient and economical way to perform this work would be by one governmental agency. The co-operation of the federal government, the State, the counties, municipalities and land owners will be required to finance the work.

The benefits of reclamation are many. Port Newark is a shining example where land has increased two hundred times in value in the past decade.

Thus far, urban expansion and industrial development has been seriously retarded. At present, the area is unsanitary and unproductive. It is a breeding place for mosquitoes. If made available for industrial and commercial development, it would in a large measure relieve congestion in the densely populated sections of the metropolitan area.

I recommend the continuance of the commission and the necessary legislation to begin this important work in the very near future.

I am not convinced that a reclamation district should be established by law at this time, but may be inclined, hereafter, to view the situation differently if the investigating commission should reach that conclusion, and can satisfy me that it is the logical course to pursue.

#### STATE AUDIT

The fiscal program of our State Government involves the receipt and expenditure in excess of \$100,000,000 annually. There is a partial system of audit exercised by the Comptroller on a number of departmental expenditures, but I am not satisfied that this serves the demand of prudent administrative practices.

It has come to my notice that there has not been a general audit of State affairs for many years. I do not believe such a policy is fair, either to the officials who administer these affairs, or to the legislators who are in a measure responsible to the public in the matter. I do not believe there is a misappropriation of any of the State's funds, but at the same time I would feel that I was not doing my full duty if I did not insist that the Legislature make provisions for an immediate audit of the finances of every department in our State, and further provide for a periodic audit in the future.

Present laws demand an annual audit of our municipal and county affairs. This, I believe, is a wise policy. The same practice should obtain as to the State's finances.

#### COURT DELAYS

There has been much discussion about the crowded condition in some of our State courts. A number of proposals have been made as to remedies. It is most important for the well-being of our State that litigants be given every reasonable, prompt service. I shall make a careful study of the whole matter and propose to call to my assistance a committee of prominent lawyers and leading citizens to analyze the situation for relief where the same is found necessary. In the meantime, I hope the judges of our several courts will lend every effort to reduce calendars of pending cases.

It has been suggested that many of the inmates of our jails are detained for undue periods because of the lack of diligence on the part of prosecutors in connection with their cases. If this be true I shall insist that the prosecutors give sufficient time to their office in order to remedy the condition.

## SCHOOLS

Every forward-looking move to promote this great system in New Jersey has been made by the Republicans through their legislative representatives.

I stand committed to the maintenance and support of a thorough and adequate system of education for the children and youth of our State.

At the last session of the Legislature I favored the appointment of a commission to study our educational problems, and our present facilities. The work of this commission is in the hands of experienced and competent men and women. I am sure they will render the State good and valuable service. Their recommendations will be carefully studied and wherever they point to means or methods for bettering the system I shall support them.

A part of this commission's instructions is that it recommend a definite and comprehensive policy as to the State's objective in this important branch of State activity. This I believe to be most necessary and timely. The costs of education, commonly known as school costs, have been rapidly mounting in the last decade. I sincerely hope that the investigation will prove that these costs are amply justified. At the same time should the study point out features of economy without surrendering efficiency, I shall support such recommendations.

## FLOOD CONTROL

During the excessive rainfall last year there was abundant proof that New Jersey, too, had flood problems that loomed serious to property and the health of large sections of our State.

Your Legislature appointed a commission and set aside a small appropriation for the survey and study of this problem.

I do not want in any way to embarrass or anticipate the report or recommendations of this commission, nor do I know what plan may be devised or the cost entailed in overcoming the dangers of the situation.

I am well aware of the dangers arising from this condition and without in any way committing myself or my administration, I believe it my duty to take serious notice and make a careful study of whatever plans and recommendations may be made by this commission.

No part of the State can suffer serious loss without entailing a loss to the whole State. Consequently, I believe it is the State's

business to lend its good offices in analyzing the problem, defining its causes, and assist, if need be, in remedying conditions that are responsible for such a situation.

#### STATE HIGHWAYS

It fell to my lot in the Legislature of 1927 to head the committee that drew the bill establishing our revised highway system and defining our State policies in connection therewith.

Many may think that the highway problem has been settled for all time. This is not the case. We are well on our way toward the construction of such a system. There remains, however, much to be done, as so important a part of this program lies in the highly developed sections of our State. It involves great economic and engineering problems that must be solved in order that money may not be wasted and that the future, as well as the present, needs may be served.

The Holland Tunnel and the numerous bridges that have been built and are open for traffic, together with several that are in the course of construction, are really parts of our highway system. Lying as New Jersey does between the great metropolitan centers, Philadelphia on the south and New York City on the north, these means of interstate communication influence, and control, the planning of many of our State highways.

Such interrelations between highways and bridges or tunnels must be always borne in mind. I have studied these problems in a most diligent manner for several years, and I vision clearly what they mean to the prosperity and development of our State.

With the added gasoline tax New Jersey has a well-rounded, and I believe, an economical program for financing the construction of our highway system.

It is my ambition that New Jersey's highway system shall be finer and more comprehensive of her needs than any State highway system in all our union. I want to have a definite part in this matter as your Governor, as I believe that I can help in important ways in fulfilling this ambition.

#### STATE BUSINESS EXECUTIVE

I shall appoint a State Business Executive. He shall be my personal representative to inspect the workings of the Departments and Bureaus of our State. This should be a full-time job and should be filled by one experienced in accounting, administration and institutional management. I believe economies can be effected by the Governor having a better knowledge of the

State's activities, acquired through such an agency. The Governor can thus be kept in intimate touch with State activities, and make a more intelligent budget.

#### RURAL ROADS

The investment the State has made in public roads under the State Aid System has contributed largely to making New Jersey's highways the pride of her people.

A study should be made of the rural roads and a policy formulated for their care and improvement in connection with such funds as are contributed by the State, so that the best ultimate results may be obtained, both for the communities and for the State.

#### AGRICULTURE

The agricultural interests of New Jersey are varied and important. In 1928 the value of marketed crops in New Jersey reached the sum of \$125,000,000. New Jersey is in a most favorable position for the marketing of its crops. However, with the increase of transportation facilities, the use of refrigeration cars and the utilizing of the airplane, there has been an expansion of the markets, bringing into more direct competition the farmers of the other States. Every effort should be made to assist the farmer of New Jersey in maintaining the advantages he now enjoys.

Further development of township and county roads will permit the using of increased areas for agricultural purposes and thus replace lands which are taken out of agricultural use because of prohibitive values, brought about by the expansion of metropolitan areas.

The State of New Jersey has already given substantial assistance to its agricultural interests. This has brought about an increase in the volume of the crops and a higher quality of the same, benefiting both producer and consumer. This interest will continue to be shown.

Two of the problems of the farmer are the necessity of transportation facilities and some method of avoiding or disposing of seasonal surpluses. The continued development of our highways will eventually solve the first problem, and intelligent co-operation between the transportation agencies, the commission merchants and the farmer, will assist in the solution of the second problem. An early conference of these interests is suggested.

I also recommend the development of better local markets, which will eliminate a large amount of reshipment of produce.

I intend, shortly, to call a convention of the leading agricultural interests of the State for the purpose of obtaining their views, looking toward the further development of the agricultural resources of this State.

#### AVIATION

In view of the fact that the Federal Government has enacted several laws dealing comprehensively with the subject of aviation, the licensing of planes, pilots and the control of air traffic and such legislation has not yet had an opportunity of demonstrating whether or not it is adequate, and as practically all flying is interstate rather than intrastate in character, it would seem that State legislation dealing with the same subject matter may with safety be deferred for the present. Nevertheless, it does seem wise that we should clothe our municipalities with ample powers, that they may take steps to encourage the establishment and development of air ports under a definite plan and policy. Air navigation as an established means of communication and transportation and its opportunities and advantages are rapidly becoming available.

#### GENERAL

I pledge my influence to oppose any extension of the debt incurring power of our municipalities and counties.

I pledge myself to the strictest economy in the administration of the State Government.

I pledge myself to aid in the continued support of the State Department of Agriculture, the State Agricultural College and Experiment Station, and to aid the farmer in his effort to more scientifically dispose of his product through proper sales agencies.

I pledge myself and our State to the utmost co-operation in the development of commercial and military aviation.

The care of the womanhood and childhood of our State is a matter of wise hygiene and I favor a bureau in the Department of Labor to give this matter special study.

In the course of years and the complexity of legislation in the creation of new functions of State, various Departments are created and an overlapping of functions naturally results. At least every decade therefore, there should be a survey made of our various State Departments and State activities, with a view to a better classification, co-ordination, and avoidance of duplication. I shall make this an important feature of my administration, and I trust to effect a saving in the expenditures of the State.

## CONCLUSION

It is to be observed, however, that human ingenuity has not yet perfected a system of democratic government that will function without the complete and constant co-operation of the governed. It will be my untiring effort, as I have no doubt it will also be yours, to enact laws that will best serve the common good, and to administer these laws impartially and effectively. But, our joint efforts will fail of satisfactory accomplishment unless there is, on the part of the general public, an understanding of our purposes and our methods. My final word, therefore, is the expression of my fondest hope, that our citizens in general, and the public press in particular, will maintain a lively interest in the public affairs of our State, and will give friendly commendation when earned and constructive criticism when deserved. In this way our government will be, in fact as well as in theory, a government of and by the people, and our State will be worthy of its finest traditions.

The benediction was pronounced by the Rt. Rev. Monsignor Maurice R. Spillane, Chancellor of the Roman Catholic Diocese of New Jersey.

In response to a previous resolution, the House then adjourned.

FRIDAY, January 18th, 1929.

At eleven A. M. the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Spair and Bethke.

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

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

MONDAY, January 21, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George T. Gall, of St. Marks English Lutheran Church, Trenton, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Greenberg, Letzgus, Purdy—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
TRENTON, January 18, 1929.

*Hon. Guy George Gabrielson, Assemblyman from Essex County,  
State House:*

My Dear Assemblyman—I am sending you copy of the Report of the Department of Municipal Accounts, which I trust will be found to contain data which is of interest to you. At the same time may I express the hope that you will call upon the department whenever you feel that it may be of assistance to you either in your legislative work or in matters pertaining to your constituents.

I shall be glad to take up any matters in which I may be of any assistance at any time and render the best service of which I am capable.

Very truly yours,

WALTER R. DARBY,  
*Commissioner of Municipal Accounts.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and the report filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minutes,

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Bucino, Greenberg, Letzgun, Purdy, Roder—5.

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

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Ruler of all the Earth to summon from his worldly activities one who in his chosen field of endeavors was recognized as one of the outstanding citizens of this great commonwealth; one who had acquired the proud title of merchant prince and who had by his many benefactions to humanity of all races and creeds endeared himself to many thousands of people of this State; therefore, be it

*Resolved,* That the House of Assembly extend to the family of the late Felix Fuld, of the City of Newark, in the County

of Essex, its sincere sympathy in this the hour of their bereavement: And be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this Resolution, duly authenticated and attested by the Speaker of the House and the Clerk of the House, respectively, be forwarded to the family of the deceased, forthwith.

The following Assembly Bills were introduced, were read for the first time by the title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to Committee as follows:

By Mr. Knight:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the study of the rural roads of our State in connection with appropriations of State funds made for their aid,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Knight:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the purpose of studying the election laws, codifying and revising the same, and making an appropriation for the expenses of such commission,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint resolution requesting Congress of the United States to submit the question of the manufacture and sale of light wines and beers in the United States to the vote of the people of the several States,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "Joint resolution asking Congress to amend the Volstead Act so as to legalize the manufacture of light wines and beers in the United States,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "A joint resolution making application to the Congress for the calling of a conven-

tion for the purpose of proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Morrison :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessment to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for educational purposes, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Knight :

Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of sergeants-at-arms and court criers in counties of the first class of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "An act to license outdoor advertising and to provide for the assessment and collection of license taxes thereon,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "A further 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, approved March thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents,"

Referred to Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 39, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to 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,' which said amendment was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Kautz:

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto," which amendment was ap-

proved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Blunt:

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Third Judicial District of the County of Essex,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Blunt:

Assembly Bill No. 42, entitled "An act to permit the retirement on pension, from public office or position, of health officer or other chief officer of the local board of health or department of public health in municipalities, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, and defining the manner of payment of said pension,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act against usury,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of assessor of taxes of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners to construct islands in any of

the inland tidal waters of this State for the purpose of public hunting,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons' (Revision of 1898, compiled Statutes 1910, volume 2, page 1926),"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Roder :

Assembly Bill No. 48, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of footpaths for pedestrians on railroad bridges crossing navigable rivers in this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Hanson :

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commissions and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Barbour :

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," as amended by Act passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Powers :

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Pursel:

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,'" "

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Pursel:

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to incorporate the First Judicial District of the County of Warren in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Pursel:

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to provide for the sexual sterilization of inmates of State institutions in certain cases,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal treasurers of municipalities incorporated under 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to amend an act to provide for accounting of the moneys received as pension, bounty or other allowance from the United States by guardians of persons formerly in the military or naval service of the United States and to impose upon the Surrogates' and Orphans' Court of the several counties certain duties in connection therewith,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Marini:

Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November,

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both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violation thereof,' approved March eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to provide for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions and regulations and subject to certain restrictions, limitations and liabilities creating an old age assistance commission of the State of New Jersey, and old age assistance board in each of the respective counties of this State; defining their powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of said act,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 59, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Pursel :

Assembly Bill No. 60, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine

by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of county detectives in counties of the first and second class," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Barison :

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Barison :

Assembly Bill No. 66, entitled "An amendment to an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision of 1903),' "

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Stein :

Assembly Bill No. 67, entitled "A further supplement to 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,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Hanson:

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act concerning municipalities having boards of aldermen,"

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 32,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 11,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 31,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 26,

With the following Committee Amendments.

Which were read and adopted.

On the last line of the title thereof after the word "thirteen" strike out the comma, insert a period and strike out the remainder of said line.

On page one, line three, strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the word "each".

On page two, strike out lines thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five and thirty-six, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The terms of all commissioners of juries now holding office shall terminate on the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to carry into effect, in the State of New Jersey, the provisions of an act of Congress to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the act entitled 'An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' approved July second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and all acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture, and to give the assent of the Legislature thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to change and amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties and municipalities to acquire land for airport purposes and to use land heretofore acquired for other purposes and thereafter to lease same,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,

As amended,

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

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns, it adjourn to meet next Thursday, January 24th, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet on Saturday, January 26th, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn it adjourn to meet next Monday evening, January 28th, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Barbour, Cassini, Greenberg, Leap, Letzgus, Muir, Purdy, Roder—8.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened—

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

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Barbour, Cassini, Greenberg, Leap, Letzgus, Muir, Purdy, Roder—8.

Mr. Marini, on leave, introduced

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees or boroughs in this State,"

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and Assembly Bill No. 69 be advanced to second reading without reference and without printing.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees of boroughs in this State,"

Was taken up and read a second time by its title.

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and Assembly Bill No. 69 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Barison, of Hudson county, requested permission under the House rules to excuse the Democratic members of the House present from voting on Assembly Bill No. 69.

The Speaker put the question and their being no objection, the Clerk was directed to excuse the following members from voting on Assembly Bill No. 69 :

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Vanderbach, all of Hudson county, and Rittenhouse, of Hunterdon county.

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees of boroughs in this State,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Marini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Jones, Kuser, Litwin—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

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

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#### THURSDAY, January 24th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, January 26th, at 12 o'clock noon.

SATURDAY, January 26th, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., January 28th, 1929.

MONDAY, January 28th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. William F. Lawlor, St. Mary's Church, Bayonne, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—53.

Absent—

Messrs. Letzgas, McMurray, Peters, Purdy, Roder, Stelle, Stewart—7.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

SOUTH JERSEY PORT COMMISSION

January 28th, 1929.

*Hon. Guy George Gabrielson, Speaker of the General Assembly,  
State House, Trenton, N. J.*

MR. SPEAKER:

The South Jersey Port Commission, in compliance with Chapter 336, Laws of 1926, herewith presents to the General Assembly its report for the calendar year 1928.

Yours respectfully,

SOUTH JERSEY PORT COMMISSION,

(Signed) UPTON S. JEFFERYS,  
*Secretary.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and the report filed.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

PORT RARITAN DISTRICT,  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.

January 28th, 1929.

*Hon. Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk, House of Assembly, Trenton, N. J.*

MY DEAR SIR:

I herewith beg to hand you two copies of the annual report of the Port Raritan District Commission for the calendar year of 1928.

Yours very truly,

C. S. ATKINSON,  
*Secretary.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and the report spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

#### REPORT

*To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey:*

Under date of January 17, 1928, the Port Raritan District Commission presented a report of its activities from its organization on June 23, 1926, and at this time it respectfully presents its report for the year which has just passed.

During 1928 the commission has been successful in making a considerable amount of progress in the development of the Port Raritan District. Before going into detail as to the progress made in the various projects of the commission it is our wish to again call them to your attention as they were originally set out in our report of January 17, 1928.

These projects are as follows:

1. Reclamation of large area of low lands at South Amboy.
2. Development of adequate terminal and warehouse facilities at Perth Amboy.
3. Reclamation of low lands at Perth Amboy.

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4. Removal of Raritan Arsenal and its development as an industrial terminal.

5. Deepening and straightening South River for the purpose of aiding the commerce now using the river, and as a connection to the proposed New Jersey Ship Canal.

6. Deepening of the Raritan River from Washington Canal to New Brunswick and the New Brunswick Municipal Dock.

7. Deepening of the Raritan River from the main division channel in Raritan Bay to the deep pool above the New York and Long Branch Railroad Bridge at Perth Amboy.

8. Deepening of Woodbridge River.

As to project number 1, reclamation of low lands at South Amboy, while no physical work has been begun towards its accomplishment, yet a firm foundation has and is being laid towards the creation of a demand for such an improvement. It is expected that this project will in a short time become not only economically possible but necessary as well. Many inquiries have been received by the commission from private concerns interested in securing industrial locations on deep water with adequate railroad and trucking facilities for which this tract of land, when improved and reclaimed as suggested in our previous report, is eminently fitted.

The resident engineer of the commission, Samuel J. Mason, has spent some time in continuing an engineering investigation of terminal sites and other matters conducive to the development of the Perth Amboy district. An investigation of freight rates has also been made under his supervision.

Nothing further has been accomplished relative to the Perth Amboy reclamation project and in the opinion of the commission nothing further is necessary to be done about this project at the present time.

As to project 4, removal of explosives from Raritan Arsenal and its development as industrial terminal, representatives of the commission have appeared at several hearings at Washington and as a result of the work of the commission and other bodies interested in the safety of the central portion of New Jersey assisted by Congressman Harold G. Hoffman and New Jersey's other representatives in Congress, there has been appropriated a considerable amount of money which will be adequate to remove a large part of the dangerous explosives now stored at the arsenal. This commission is informed that such removal has been actually started.

It is still our firm belief, however, that the true and proper use for Raritan Arsenal is as a commercial terminal and warehousing center. As such it would still be readily available in the event that in the future it becomes necessary to again use this site as a war arsenal. Its use in the meantime as a commercial enterprise would probably lead to the arsenal being in better shape at such time as it might be needed for war purposes than if kept by the government, as any private interests which might take over a proposition as large as this one in order to make it a financial success, would necessarily have to keep it modern in every respect and in good repair, with adequate railway sidings and connections to trunk lines as well as maintaining docks and roads in usable condition.

By act approved March 7, 1927, the Port Raritan District Commission was authorized "to straighten South River, in the County of Middlesex, by construction and dredging of new channels and by such other work as may be necessary to accomplish the said purposes." There was also authorized to be appropriated for this purpose the sum of \$200,000.00 when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill. The Legislature of 1928 provided the sum of \$75,000.00 as a start towards the carrying out of the provisions of this act. The entire amount appropriated will be expended by January 22, 1929, and at this time when there will have been removed from South River approximately 300,000 cubic yards of material and the channel improved for about 5,000 feet.

The commission was particularly gratified at the bids received for this work—the contract having been awarded at a figure of eighteen cents per cubic yard of excavation.

There is needed \$125,000.00, which is the balance of the authorized appropriation, to complete the work in the upper part of South River. As the work can be done cheaper and more satisfactorily if the entire amount is made available, it is requested that there be included in the annual appropriation bill to be passed at this session of the Legislature the sum of \$125,000.00.

The great economic benefit which will come to the central portion of New Jersey by reason of this improvement is already making itself felt, and the commission believes that this project, when completed, will prove itself worth many times its actual cost.

One of the largest and most important rivers of the State of New Jersey is the Raritan River, which is navigable from Raritan Bay to New Brunswick.

For more than one hundred years the Raritan River has been an important artery of commerce. Articles of all descriptions originating or destined for all parts of the world have passed over it. With the building of the Delaware and Raritan Canal from New Brunswick to Bordentown its importance as a waterway was again emphasized. Gradually, however, due to the attitude of the present lessee of the canal and the control exercised by this lessee on freight rates on the canal, commerce over the canal has been considerably diminished. The Raritan River, however, still continues to be important and in the past few years there has been a rapid increase in tonnage carried on this waterway.

Some years ago there was formed a steam packet company known as the Middlesex Transportation Company for the purpose of carrying goods from New Brunswick and the central portion of New Jersey to New York by water. This company has operated successfully ever since its formation and in the past year there was delivered to it a new boat of twice the capacity of the steamers formerly operated by it. This new boat is too large to go through the Delaware and Raritan Canal and has as its New Brunswick terminal the New Brunswick Municipal Dock which has been erected just below the first lock of the Delaware and Raritan Canal and at the head of navigation of the Raritan River. This dock shows conclusively the firm opinion which exists in the minds of the City Commission of New Brunswick as to the need of water transportation. There is being expended in the building of this dock and the warehouse facilities accompanying it approximately \$300,000.00. Contracts already made between the city and private companies make this municipal dock a paying proposition.

The Port Raritan Commission realizing that commerce on the Raritan River warrants an improved channel secured a provision for a survey of this river and there was submitted to Congress at its opening in December, 1928, by the Secretary of War, the report of the Chief of Engineers recommending that the present channel dimensions in the Raritan River be changed, and that a channel ten feet deep where bottom is mud and eleven feet deep where the bottom is rock be dredged. The requested improvement was for a channel fifteen feet deep, but the commission feels that this change in project which when completed and old project finished will cost about \$280,000 00, is nevertheless a step forward in the right direction and that in a few years the government will realize that the economic need exists for a wider and deeper

channel, and that at that time we will be able to show by the increased commerce which will undoubtedly result from this improved channel that the improvement originally requested is economically justified.

The favorable report made to Congress for a twenty-five foot channel from main division channel in Raritan Bay to the deep pool above the New York and Long Branch Railroad Bridge at Perth Amboy was referred to the committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House of Representatives. At a hearing held before this committee facts showing the need for this improvement were presented by the engineer and counsel of this commission. It was approved by the committee and incorporated in the Rivers and Harbors bill, which is now pending. There is no doubt but that this improvement, which will be at a cost of approximately \$173,000.00 will be in the bill when passed. It is also hoped by the commission that prompt action can be secured from the Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House of Representatives for the inclusion in this bill of the change mentioned above in the channel in the Raritan River from Washington Canal to New Brunswick.

Woodbridge River, although smaller than either the Raritan or South Rivers, is important because of the large amount of commerce which is carried on it, and the commission is attempting to secure a change in project in this waterway. A favorable report was recently made by the district engineer which report, however, was not concurred in by the division engineer and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors to whom the matter was referred, also refused to approve the project, but gave the commission and other interested the opportunity to appear before them at a hearing which was held at Washington on December 4, 1928. The Port Raritan District Commission was represented by several of its members and by its counsel. No decision has as yet been rendered by the Board.

Another very important work has been placed upon the Commission by the 1928 Legislature in Chapter 22 of the Laws of 1928, a copy of which statute appears in the appendix to this report. This act authorized the Port Raritan District Commission "to cause an investigation to be made of the pollution of the Raritan River, with a view to ascertaining whether waters of the said Raritan River are being polluted in such manner as to cause or threaten injury to any of the inhabitants of this State, either in health, comfort or property, and if such investigation discloses that the said waters are being so polluted, to prepare a

comprehensive plan for the purification of the said Raritan River." There is authorized to be appropriated the sum of \$15,000.00 when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill.

As mentioned in our last report Dr. Willem Rudolfs, Chief of Department of Water Supply and Sewage Disposal, Rutgers University, was retained by the commission to make a preliminary investigation of the pollution in the river. After studying the facts presented in the first reports rendered by him, the above bill was introduced. A very comprehensive report was later submitted by him to the commission which report, because of its technical nature and the number of graphs and diagrams which it contains, has not been printed but mimeographed copies are available for those interested. The report has aroused the Port Raritan District Commission and those residents of the central portion of New Jersey who are familiar with it to the need of taking definite steps towards the removal of pollution in the Raritan. The report as presented by Dr. Rudolfs clearly shows the extent of the pollution, and the need of finding an immediate remedy.

The commission was, however, unable to proceed any further in its investigation of pollution because of limited funds, and it is respectfully requested that as the Port Raritan Commission is familiar with the subject of pollution in the Raritan River and has taken the lead in the matter, that there be appropriated the sum authorized by Chapter 22, P. L. 1928, in order that the survey already made may be amplified and actual plans made for the removal of pollution and the consequent threat of injury to the inhabitants of this State in health, comfort and property.

Your attention is again called to the great need for a ship canal across the State of New Jersey. This need is increasing, not diminishing. The intercoastal waterways system is practically completed with the exception of this very important link across our State.

The commission believes that a large amount of its success in the projects which it has undertaken has been due to the intelligent co-operation which has been received from your honorable body and various committees with which the commission has come in contact. The State Board of Commerce and Navigation, Port of New York Authority, Budget Commission and other public and civic bodies have also aided to a considerable degree, as well as New Jersey's senators and representatives in Congress.

In conclusion the Port Raritan District Commission wishes to emphasize the importance, not only of the waterways lying within

its territory, but of all waterways in the State of New Jersey. It believes that the great development in the Port of New York and the congestion now existing in that part can only be solved by the providing of adequate water facilities in territories adjacent to New York. There is no reason why New Jersey, with its fine coast line and its natural geographical advantages should not be the place to be benefited by the desire for more room and adequate transportation facilities.

Respectfully submitted,

PORT RARITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION,

By RUSSELL E. WATSON,

*Chairman.*

## APPENDIX

### CHAPTER 22

(P. L. 1928, Page 36)

An Act authorizing the Port Raritan District Commission to investigate the pollution of the Raritan River and to prepare a plan for the purification of the Raritan River and making an appropriation therefor.

BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

1. The Port Raritan District Commission is hereby authorized to cause an investigation to be made of the pollution of the Raritan River, with a view to ascertaining whether waters of the said Raritan River are being polluted in such manner as to cause or threaten injury to any of the inhabitants of this State, either in health, comfort or property, and if such investigation discloses that the said waters are being so polluted, to prepare a comprehensive plan for the purification of the said Raritan River.

2. The sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill, for the carrying out of this act.

3. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 6, 1928.

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

WHEREAS, The House learns with profound regret that on January 25, 1929, the Hon. Charles W. Letzgus, a member from Camden County, was summoned by death; and

WHEREAS, It is the desire of his fellow members to give expression to their sorrow and pay due honor to his memory; therefore be it

*Resolved,* That as a member of the General Assembly for four consecutive terms he was attentive to and conscientious in the discharge of his duties, intelligently understanding the desires and needs of his constituents and with broad vision, zeal and fidelity serving them; in his relations with his fellow legislators he was courteous and affable and by noble personal traits winning their respect and friendship; his record as legislator, public official and member of the New Jersey bar was an honorable one and a heritage to be cherished by his family; be it further

*Resolved,* That the House of Assembly hereby records its profound sorrow at the passing of the Hon. Charles W. Letzgun and extends to the bereaved family its sincere sympathy; and be it further

*Resolved,* That these resolutions be entered in full upon the Minutes of the House and an engrossed copy thereof, signed by the Speaker and attested by the Clerk, be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

The Speaker announced Messrs. Compton, Wise, Smock, Leap and Barison, and ex-officio the Speaker and Majority Leader were appointed to represent the House of Assembly at the funeral services of the Hon. Charles W. Letzgun.

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

*Resolved,* That when the House adjourns it be to meet Thursday, January 31st, at 12 o'clock noon, and when it then adjourn it be to meet Saturday, February 2, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet Monday, February 4th, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker announced that upon the House reconvening Mr. Leap would assume the Chair.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar,

Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Letzgus, McMurray, Peters, Purdy, Roder, Stelle, Stewart—7.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 28th, 1929.

*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. 69, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees of boroughs in this State,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bill No. 69, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees of boroughs in this State,"

Mr. Marini moved that Assembly Bill No. 69 be delivered to the Governor's office forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman on Committee on Passed Bills, reports having delivered to the Governor, this date, Assembly Bill No. 69.

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

*Resolved,* That 750 copies of the South Jersey Port Commission's Annual Report for the year 1928 be printed.

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

THURSDAY, January 31st, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday February 2d, at twelve o'clock noon.

SATURDAY, February 2d, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., February 4th, 1929.

MONDAY, February 4th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Albert A. Gordainer, of the First Baptist Church, Roselle, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Letzgus, Purdy, Roder—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That 750 copies of the South Jersey Port Commission's Annual Report for the year 1928 be printed.

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

*Resolved*, That the Speaker of the House is hereby authorized to appoint and to certify to the Secretary of State any or all names as he may see fit to so certify as clerks to committees who are to serve without compensation, that the said certification is to cover any or all such names of clerks who have already been directed to serve for special committees in the House of Assembly.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,

Atlantic City Trust Building, Atlantic City, N. J.  
February 4, 1929.

*Hon. Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk of the House of Assembly,  
State House, Trenton, N. J.:*

DEAR MR. BRODESSER—The keynote of the legislative dinner on Saturday was "No new laws in 1929."

Before we all lose sight of this in the rush of other things, may the Chamber of Commerce ask your consideration of the enclosed resolutions, which were passed unanimously at a well attended meeting, and at which the airport question had been made the special order of business.

We respectfully request your vote against the Siracusa Bill A-31, releasing municipal lands for airports.

Cordially,

S. P. LEEDS,  
*President.*

Copy of resolution first originating in and approved unanimously by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Atlantic City at a meeting on Friday, November 23d, 1928. This resolution was afterwards fully considered at a general membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held on December 13th, 1928. The discussion of airport matters had previously been announced as the topic for the evening. There was a large attendance and a full discussion. Following this the resolution was unanimously adopted by the Chamber of Commerce.

WHEREAS, The city of Atlantic City now owns and is in the process of developing a suitable landing field conveniently located for use as an airport and desires to encourage aerial transportation to and from Atlantic City by providing adequate landing and incidental facilities; and

WHEREAS, The era of aviation is developing through many individuals and corporations; and

WHEREAS, It has always been the policy of Atlantic City to cordially welcome all comers to Atlantic City, no matter by what means of transportation they arrive; and

WHEREAS, It has been proposed that the airport should be leased to a private corporation for a period of ten years, which action we believe would curtail such freedom on the part of the aviation public, generally; and

WHEREAS, Such a lease would limit and interfere with the further development of the athletic facilities on the airport; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the Chamber of Commerce of Atlantic City expresses its belief *that the city should itself complete the development of the airport and undertake its operation; and be it further*

*Resolved*, That we especially disapprove and protest against any leasing or granting of exclusive privilege on or after the airport to any individuals or corporations; and be it further

*Resolved*, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the mayor and city commission and to our State Senator and Assemblymen with the request that they further the purpose of these resolutions.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and filed and that the resolution be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Letzgus, Purdy, Roder—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar,

Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Letzgus, Purdy, Roder—3.

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

*Be it resolved*, That the Honorable Ogden H. Hammond, former member of this House and the present Ambassador to Spain, serving under President Coolidge, be accorded the privilege of the floor of the House.

The Speaker invited and requested Ambassador Hammond to occupy a seat on the rostrum.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by their title, ordered printed, and referred to committee, as follows:

By Mr. Young:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "Joint resolution empowering the Governor to appoint a farm relief committee to investigate the public market needs of New Jersey agriculture and report its findings with recommendations to the Legislature and to provide an appropriation to defray the expenses thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the relief of M. Louise W. Hicks,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Weber :

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act concerning suits against the State of New Jersey or any commission, board, department or other agency of the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Weber :

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to provide for the settlement of any dispute arising between any commission, board, or any other agency of the State of New Jersey and a contractor having completed or engaged in the completion of any public work, under and by virtue of any contract awarded by any such commission, board or other agency,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act relating to the publication of official advertising in townships of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mrs. Summers :

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of any employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. Summers :

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein :

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal juris-

diction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the second class to provide for the payment of a pension upon the death of the mayor of any such cities during his term of office,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to further 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," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hanson:

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning wards and providing for change of lines and boundaries of wards or for an increase or decrease in the number thereof in municipalities in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 87, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 89, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred seventeen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of

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crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over five thousand,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Newcomb:

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," as said title was amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the business of dealing with dead human bodies, including their preparation, preservation and disposal and the business of funeral directing, embalming and undertaking and to license those engaged in the business of funeral directing, undertaking, embalming and the preparation and preservation and disposal of dead human bodies and to punish persons violating the provision thereof,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Rittenhouse :

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Powers :

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Powers :

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agency of the State Government in this act enumerated,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 104, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,' which amendatory act was approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation," approved February ninth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An act creating the office of State Director of Advertising and defining its powers and duties,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' which said supplement was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than twenty thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Young:

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Young:

Assembly Bill No. 112, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a department of conservation and development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Young:

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance' (Revision of 1902), chapter 92, ap-

proved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two," which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Miss Carty:

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 116, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,'"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "An act concerning public parks and places,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin :

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Litwin :

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898),

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approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Jones:

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Jones:

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees and their dependents,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of county clerk's employees in counties of the first class of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Muir:

Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Muir :

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court attendants in counties of the second class of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,"

Referred to the Committee on Social Welfare.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Barbour :

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition and preservation of the Dey House Washington Headquarters, located at Preakness, in the township of Wayne, county of Passaic, to commemorate the sesqui-centennial of the occupancy of said headquarters by General George Washington in the American Revolutionary War; to appoint a commission with power to acquire and preserve the said headquarters; and to appropriate moneys to pay for the acquisition and preservation of the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act to amend an act entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from United States service," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act for the relief of Gertrude Clayton,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act for the relief of Laura V. McGee,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr Kalamen :

Assembly Bill No. 143, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning the obligations of street railway companies and traction companies in connection with the paving, repaving and repair of streets, roads and highways and prescribing the powers of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners in relation thereto,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Rittenhouse :

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr Pierson :

Assembly Bill No 145, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of naturopathy and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "An act placing interpreters of the Italian language employed in the city police courts in cities of the second class under the supervision of the Civil Service Commission,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled "An act con-

cerning district courts," (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," "

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and its supplements and amendments thereto, to be known as Article XXXII, to authorize the adoption, rental or purchase and use of 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 machines,

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mr. Edgar :

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of volunteer fire companies,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Leap (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 154, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the fees of sheriffs in the several counties of this State,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bethke :

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mrs. Summers :

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kalamen :

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to clerks of counties and of county courts' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Carty :

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform

the law relating thereto,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900) approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Bethke :

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act for the relief of Jennie McDermott,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code and providing penalties for violations,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Mercolino :

Assembly Bill No. 162, 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.' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mercolino :

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend the title and amend the body of an act entitled 'An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of clerks of district courts in cities of the first class, after thirty years' continuous service in such public office or position, and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, or after serving twenty-five years and after attaining the age of sixty years, such clerk is incapacitated, and defining the manner of payment of said pension,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Muir :

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' as heretofore amended and supplemented, approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 51,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 20 and 36,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 64,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 15, 16 and 17,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Joint Resolutions Nos. 2 and 3,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 41,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 59,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 45,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 51, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 36, entitled "A further 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. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting notice of lis

pendens" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendment was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting notice of lis pendens' (Revision of 1902),"

Assembly Bill No. 17, 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 administrator or administrators with the will annexed or by any administrator or administrators de bonis non with the will annexed, or any substituted administrator or administrators, or by the survivor or survivors, or successor or successors of them, him or her, and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessment to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for educational purposes, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the study of the rural roads of our State in connection with appropriations of State funds made for their aid,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the purpose of studying the election laws, codifying and revising the same, and making an appropriation for the expenses of such commission,"

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Third Judicial District of the County of Essex,"

Assembly Bill No. 59, 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. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 4, 1929. }

*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. 68, entitled "An act providing for and authorizing the pensioning of former associate justices of the Supreme Court of this State, and fixing their compensation,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Barison asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 68, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act providing for and authorizing the pensioning of former associate justices of the Supreme Court of this State, and fixing their compensation,"

Was read for the first time by its title and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Barison moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 68 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act providing for and authorizing the pensioning of former associate justices of the Supreme Court of this State, and fixing their compensation,"

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

Mr. Barison moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 68 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 68, entitled "An act providing for and authorizing the pensioning of former associate justices of the Supreme Court of this State and fixing their compensation,"

Was taken up, and, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the peaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and advised it that the House had passed the same, without amendment:

Senate Bill No. 68.

Mr. Smock, of Ocean county, arose to a question of personal privilege and offered the following resolution, which was read by the Clerk:

RESOLUTION FOR THE IMPEACHMENT OF ARTHUR GORMAN GALLAGHER, ESQ., A JUDGE OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF THE COUNTY OF OCEAN.

WHEREAS, Arthur R. Smock, a member of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, hereby presents the annexed charges against Arthur Gorman Gallagher, the judge of the Ocean County Court of Common Pleas, alleges that the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher is guilty of the following charges:

1. The said Arthur Gorman Gallagher, judge as aforesaid, has violated the law of the State of New Jersey while acting as a judge of the Court of Common Pleas in that

(a) He assisted in causing the casting of illegal votes at the general election held on November 6th, 1928

(b) He failed, refused and neglected to hold court at the court house on Election Day, November 6th, 1928, as required by law.

(c) On said Election Day he held court in various parts of the county and not at the court house, contrary to the requirements of the law.

(d) He refused and neglected to perform his duty as judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Ocean County from the 26th day of July, 1928, until November 7th, 1928.

(e) He released prisoners from the common jail without a hearing or determination of the merits of the cause and without legal authority or justification.

(f) He appeared in court and conducted a cause before a jury in the Ocean county courts, whereas he is forbidden, by law, to conduct a cause before a jury in the county in which he sits as judge.

2 He has conducted himself while judge of the county courts in an arbitrary and tyrannical manner:

(a) He has ordered litigants in his court to leave the county and forbidden them to return.

(b) He has refused to allow the sheriff's clerk to enter his court through whim and prejudice.

(c) He has ordered the sheriff to pay illegal jury fees.

(d) He has directed election boards to assist in the receiving of illegal ballots and has threatened them and intimidated them for their refusal to do so.

(e) He has otherwise conducted himself arbitrarily, tyrannically and illegally.

3. He has otherwise conducted himself in a manner unbecoming a judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

Therefore, be it

*Resolved*, By the members of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that these charges be examined into forthwith by this House and that a report thereon be made, to the end that, if the charges so made are true, articles of impeachment against the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher shall be presented by the General Assembly to the Senate of the State of New Jersey to the end that such proceedings thereon may be had as are agreeable to the customs, statutes and Constitution of the State of New Jersey in like matters.

*To the Members of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

GENTLEMEN—In support of the resolution I have just offered in this matter for the impeachment of Arthur Gorman Gallagher, judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Ocean County, I offer the following facts:

(a) On Election Day, November 6th, 1928, said Arthur Gorman Gallagher held court in Lakehurst, N. J., and then and there allowed and permitted the casting of votes by the sailors in the service of the United States Navy, located at the Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, New Jersey. These men were without residence, according to the Constitution and laws passed pursuant thereto; some of them were minors and all of them, concerning whom complaint is made, were in the naval or marine service of the United States and came directly within the excepted part of Article II, Section 1, of the Constitution, concerning the right of suffrage. When these men demanded ballots and were refused by the election board at the proper polling places the said judge threatened, coerced and intimidated the election board by threatening to put them in prison unless they received the votes. The said judge, without any authority in law, but intending to violate the law himself in aiding the casting of the illegal votes, caused to be prepared appropriate affidavits which he conceived would be required to assist him in the casting of these illegal votes, and these affidavits were used by the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher in the furtherance of his unlawful scheme to receive the votes of persons in the naval and marine service of the United States, contrary to the Constitution and the law.

He further assisted in the casting of an illegal ballot, knowing it to be illegal, in the case of the Rev. Mr. Ham. This gentleman is pastor of the Baptist Church, in Toms River, New Jersey. He did not become a resident of the State of New Jersey and of Ocean county until the beginning of the year 1928. He applied to the judge for an order registering him as a voter and disclosed to the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher that he had been a resident of the State of New Jersey for less than a year; but the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher, with this certain knowledge before him, expressed himself as having the power to make an exception in the case of a minister and ordered his vote to be received and the said Rev. Mr. Ham, pursuant thereto, cast his ballot.

(b) In support of the second specification of charges, the election laws of this State require the common pleas judge to sit in the court house at the county seat on Election Day for the purpose of performing his judicial duties. Nevertheless, Arthur Gorman Gallagher, on Election Day, November 6th, 1928, held court in the court house at Toms River for only an hour or two and thereafter moved from hamlet to hamlet throughout the county, holding court in different places, which is contrary to the requirements of the law and the holding of court in the different

places of the county, not in the county seat, was wholly unauthorized.

(c) I have already related that he failed to hold court throughout the day in the court house at Toms River as required by the statutes, but on that same day he migrated around the county, holding court first in one hamlet and then in another, including Manahawkin, Lakehurst, Lakewood, Toms River and perhaps other places in the county, all of which was contrary to the law, and voters who had business before the court were unable to have their needs attended to because the court was traveling throughout the county.

(d) On or about the 26th day of July, 1928, in the midst of the session of court, the prosecutor of the pleas moved for the imposition of a sentence; the said Arthur Gorman Gallagher, then presiding as judge over the said court, announced publicly that he would not impose sentence in that case or any other case, nor receive any pleas, nor hold any court until after election, so that from the 26th day of July, 1928, until the 7th day of November, 1928, the county of Ocean was without a judge willing and ready to perform his duties, so that the whole machinery of the court was stopped.

The fall term of court opened the third Tuesday in September, 1928. The grand jury was impaneled, a large number of witnesses were in attendance and the public press reports that there were practically one hundred indictments found; but Arthur Gorman Gallagher, whose duty it was to be present and receive the indictments to be returned by the grand jury, did not appear, he being at the American Legion Convention, thus fulfilling his announced intentions to not hold court until after the November election.

The week of October 12th, 1928, there was such an accumulation of prisoners to receive sentence, due to said Gallagher's refusal to perform his duties, that Supreme Court Justice Lloyd undertook the imposition of sentences of prisoners brought before him on November 13th, 1928.

(e) He has arrogated to himself the right to discharge prisoners from jail who have been committed thereto by the different justices of the peace throughout the county for violation of offenses over which the said justices of the peace have jurisdiction, without any application for appeal or application for review or any proceedings whatsoever, but his said actions in releasing and discharging the said prisoners being purely from whim and caprice.

I have before me a copy of a discharge given by the said Gallagher in the case of the State of New Jersey against one Joseph Gavin; it reads as follows:

*“To Hon Joseph L. Holman, Sheriff of Ocean County; or the Warden of the Gaol of the County of Ocean:*

HONORABLE SIR—It appearing that there is now in your custody one Joseph Gavin, there duly confined for a violation of the law, and it further appearing that the said Joseph Gavin has served a part of the sentence under which he is now confined, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the necessity of further confinement of the said Joseph Gavin, has passed. You are hereby authorized to release from further custody the said Joseph Gavin, and this shall be your sufficient warrant in law for so doing.

ARTHUR GORMAN GALLAGHER, *Judge,*  
*Court of Common Pleas and General Delivery*  
*of the Gaol of the County of Ocean.*

Order entered December 31, 1928.”

It will be observed from the order signed by the said Gallagher that he admitted that Gavin had been duly committed to jail, that he had served a part only of the sentence for which he was confined and that the necessity of further confinement has passed and he then ordered the sheriff to release the said Gavin from custody, all of which I am constrained to believe, finds its justification only in whim and caprice and is wholly unsupported by law.

I shall be able to prove that there are other cases of a similar character in which the said Gallagher had arrogated to himself the right to over-rule, set aside and annul the decisions of justices of the peace, although, by law, they have been vested with full authority

(f)) I charge that he has appeared in court and conducted a case before a jury in the Ocean county courts during his term as office of judge contrary to the provisions of an act of the Legislature passed in 1907 and found on page 165; the same law is found in the second volume of the Compiled Statutes of New Jersey (1910), on page 1730, in section 108. This occurred on June 1, 1928

2 The said Arthur Gorman Gallagher has conducted himself while judge of the Court of Common Pleas in the county of Ocean in an arbitrary and tyrannical manner.

(a) I charge that he has ordered litigants to leave the county of Ocean and has forbidden their return to the county, although these litigants had their families established in the county and some of them had lived in the county all their lives.

In the case of one Alex Manolt, Jr., the said Gallagher imposed a prison sentence of four months in the common jail at Toms River for the crime of adultery and as a part of his judgment he directed that at the conclusion of his term of imprisonment the said Manolt should leave the county of Ocean; to use the exact language of the said Gallagher:

“The sentence that I shall impose upon you is imposed also with the additional term attached thereto, that upon the completion of your servitude you shall forthwith leave the county of Ocean and shall not return except by permission of the court, and that if you do return without the said permission of the court I hereby instruct each and every officer of the county of Ocean to immediately arrest you and bring you before me to receive a penalty for the contempt that you will be perpetrating in violation of my order ”

Manolt was born and raised in the county of Ocean, has lived here his entire life and his father and mother are residents of the county. I charge that a man who would make such an order is not a fit person to sit in judgment upon his fellowmen.

In the case of one Eugene Saunders; Saunders does not have such a reputation for upright life that much can be said for him. He came before the court on a charge of violating the prohibition law; sentence was suspended, but he was ordered to leave the county within five days. This occurred about December, 1927; but Saunders, it appears, had a family in Ocean county and some time in January, 1929, he returned to Ocean county to visit his family. Judge Gallagher received notice of it and he brought him before the court. In passing judgment on him the said Gallagher said, “Saunders, I wish I could take an axe and wield it around your neck. The Newark Call won't like it if I send you to Monmouth county. They criticized me for sending you to Burlington county and now they will have something else to say ”

In the case of one William E. McIlheny, who was indicted and convicted for carnal abuse, Judge Gallagher in imposing sentence said, “I wish I could send you to the gallows and I could spring the trap.”

(b) The sheriff of Ocean county has in his employ a clerk by the name of John Burdge, who has served as a clerk in the sheriff's office for about four years. Formerly he was a news-

paper writer. A newspaper article criticizing Judge Gallagher appeared in some of the newspapers. Gallagher charged that Burdge had written them and as a consequence Judge Gallagher directed the sheriff that he must not again permit the said Burdge to come into his courtroom.

When another newspaper writer reported the extravagant language of the judge delivered from the bench he threatened to commit the reporter to jail for contempt of court.

(c) The fee for jurors is definitely fixed by statute as \$3 00 per day each and that has always been construed to mean a legal day of 24 hours; but Judge Gallagher, in order to curry favor with the jury, ordered the sheriff of Ocean county to pay the jury three times the usual daily fee on the grounds that they were not supposed to work more than eight hours, evidently attempting to conduct his court as though they were on a union scale of wages and hours.

3. I charge that Judge Gallagher has been guilty of conduct unbecoming a judge.

Of course this depends a great deal upon the way in which one's fellowmen look upon the judge. I quote herewith some of the articles appearing in the local papers concerning the judge's conduct.

From the *Toms River Sun* of August 10th, 1928:

"The bodies of the late Judges Van Sycle, Martin, Carmichael and Jeffrey must have turned in their graves the past week to witness the manner in which the dignity of the Ocean county court is being dragged in the dust by Judge Arthur Gorman Gallagher in his tour of Ocean county with his political 'medicine show.'

"Judge Gallagher's favorite method of addressing the voters of the various municipalities he inflicts with his presence is to remove his coat, vest, collar and tie, and then, snapping his suspenders, announce that he is one of the plain citizens of the county. In his speeches or wandering remarks—for he does not make a connected address—he calls upon God to witness that no Ocean county office holder has ever been born who cannot be supplanted. He follows this up with a choice collection of cuss words, which he evidently believes will help put over his point. \* \* \*

"Never before in the history of jurisprudence in Ocean county has a judge of the court made such a ridiculous spectacle of himself as did Judge Gallagher at Toms River Friday night, and at other points in the county on other nights. His general appear-

ance and actions gave his hearers the right to wonder if the judge had not been affected by the heat—or something. \* \* \*

“But the sad part of it is, the ring master of the medicine show is not lending any dignity or prestige to the courts of the county. This ridiculous conduct on the part of the judge of the court, taken with his recent utterances that ‘there will be no more criminal cases heard or sentences imposed until after election,’ does not place Ocean county in a very enviable position.”

The *Camden Courier*, speaking editorially, said:

“Although the reports appear too detailed for an error to have occurred, we hope that the newspapers, which quote Judge Arthur Gorman Gallagher as announcing that no prisoners will be sentenced in his court until after Election Day have in some way misunderstood him \* \* \*

“An announcement that no sentences would be imposed in his court during the next three months therefore caused even more than ordinary astonishment.

“The construction to be placed upon the announcement by the judge’s political foes can be easily foreseen ”

From the *Toms River Sun*, July 27th, 1928:

“NO SENTENCES UNTIL AFTER NOVEMBER ELECTION—GALLAGHER

“Sentences in the Ocean County Common Pleas Court have been dispensed with until after election, it was announced by Judge Arthur Gorman Gallagher at the court session Wednesday morning

“A number of sentences were due for that day, among which were the five men taken last Saturday in liquor raids conducted by the prosecutor’s office. All five of the violators waived indictment on possession of liquor and were arraigned for sentence this morning.

“The judge’s statement came at this time

“He has heretofore insisted that he desired the calendar cleared of cases before the next term of court and has been sitting more than forty days this term, getting cases and sentences out of the way, and the prosecutor and court attaches expected this practice would continue until all cases were cleared up.”

The *Newark Call* in an August issue said:

“Recently Judge Gallagher announced that he would impose no more sentences until after the November election. Just what this means has been the subject of much surmise and discussion

in Ocean county. Even among Democrats, however, there seems to be an uneasy feeling that for a man holding a judicial position Gallagher is showing an undue amount of activity in partisan politics."

*Toms River Sun*, October 12th, 1928:

"GRAND JURY COOLS HEELS, FOR JUDGE GALLAGHER IS AWAY

"Rumor Has it That Hague 'Yanked' Him From the County

"While an Ocean county grand jury sat around cooling its heels waiting for a county judge to appear to receive the indictments the grand jury had found, report was made to that body that the judge was in Louisiana. It was rumored he was on a political speaking tour at the behest of Frank Hague.

"When the grand jury was ready to hand up its indictments there was no judge to receive the indictments; no judge to issue bench warrants; no judge to receive pleas when the warrants had been served.

"Nearly one hundred indictments have been found by the grand jury and the sheriff's office is waiting to serve papers on those indicted; but there was no papers, for the judge is 'way down South in the land of cotton'.

"Prosecutor Davis is anticipating the trial of criminal cases on October 17, but he doesn't know whether he will have a judge to hear cases on that date, and the attorneys for the defendants are not sure their cases will be tried that day."

*Asbury Park Press*, July 20, 1928:

"OCEAN JUDGE IS BITTER AT STORY; MAY BAR WRITER

"Gallagher and Burdge, Who Fought Former's Appointment, at Odds Over Charge of Jury Discord

"Reporter Denies He is Author of the Article

"Toms River, July 20.—As a result of a news story appearing in a number of State papers on Wednesday night, an open breach today appeared between Judge Arthur G. Gallagher, of Lakewood, and John L. Burdge, former secretary of the Democratic County Executive Committee.

"The story told of alleged differences between Judge Gallagher and the present jury panel. Judge Gallagher took exceptions to the story and wired one newspaper a telegram demanding to know the name of the reporter who furnished the story. The newspaper did not divulge its correspondent's name, but told its correspondent to interview Judge Gallagher.

“Judge Gallagher is said to have communicated with Sheriff Joseph L. Holman, of Ocean county, and told him that Burdge, who is chief clerk in the sheriff’s Toms River office, had sent out the story. The judge, it is reported, informed the sheriff that he did not want Burdge to appear in his courtroom again, and if he did enter and disobey the order he would hold him in contempt of court.”

The *Newark News* of July 27th, 1928, says:

“JUDGE GALLAGHER FOR SMITH

“Ocean county, though laved by the cooling waters of the Atlantic, is all heated up. Or two distinguished citizens and officeholders of that shire are. They are County Judge Arthur G. Gallagher and Sheriff’s Clerk John L. Burdge, and you’d be surprised at what mean things they are saying about each other.

“It seems that Judge Gallagher and Mr. Burdge, while both Democrats, are not unanimous in their liking for Governor Smith. The judge is for him; Burdge is not. The learned jurist is devoting his leisure hours to forming Al-Smith-for-President clubs about the county, while Mr. Burdge is equally diligent in organizing anti-Smith groups. Yet not so long ago the latter was secretary to the Democratic County Committee.

“Each is entitled to his opinion—of Governor Smith and of each other. Mr. Burdge has been forbidden to enter Judge Gallagher’s court room; Mr. Burdge meditates, his friends say, an invasion of those sacred precincts to discover what may happen. The learned court’s backers think that if he does Judge Gallagher will commit him for contempt. It is all very stimulating, even though the weather is warm for such exchanges.

“The judicious may grieve—as usual—at observing a county judge abandoning that cool detachment, that impartial attitude, that disinterest in mere politics, sometimes associated with adornments to the State bench. From Judge Gallagher’s performances it seems once again that Governor Smith has as much to fear from some of his so-called friends as from his open enemies.”

*The Courier*, a newspaper published at Toms River, N. J., one of the conservative weeklies of the State, had the following to say about Judge Gallagher:

“THE JUDGE’S DUTY

“There has been so much said about judges in politics of late that I listened with more than usual interest recently to a political speech by Judge Gallagher. In his efforts to persuade Republi-

cans that they ought to vote the Democratic ticket this fall he said that prohibition is not enforced and blamed the Republican party. He also said that his hearers knew and he knew where intoxicants could be obtained within a short distance of where he stood. \* \* \*

"But such a statement should be considered from a broader standpoint than partisan politics, when made by a judge. If the judge knows, as he said he did, where the law is being broken, it is surely his duty to inform the prosecutor and sheriff.

"These officers by frequent arrests and frequent raids have shown that they will act if information is given them.

"The duty of the judge in such a case seems plain—if he knows the law is being broken, it is his bounden duty to uphold the law—and he is the presiding judge of the county courts."

Respectfully submitted,

A. R. SMOCK,

*Member General Assembly, Ocean County.*

Mr. Knight moved that the resolution be spread in full upon the minutes and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Jones sent the following communication and preliminary report to the desk, which was read by the Clerk:

#### PRELIMINARY REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SURVEY COMMISSION

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

The work of the Commission appointed at the Legislature of 1928 to study and investigate the matters pertaining to public education in the State and to recommend means for its support has been diligently pursued by your Commission, with the assistance of competent advisers and experts. The work is progressing satisfactorily and as rapidly as an undertaking of this importance and magnitude would warrant.

It will be impossible to complete our work for final report at this session of the Legislature, and your Commission asks the indulgence of the Legislature for further study and investigation, that the recommendations to be made may be justified by more proofs and study than could possibly be given to them before the adjournment of the Legislature.

There is one feature of our study that has revealed an unwarranted exercise of authority on the part of the Comptroller. Deductions from the main stem railroad and canal property tax for the benefit of the State Highway Fund, the Highway Exten-

sion Fund, the Soldiers' Bonus Fund and the State Institution Construction Fund have been made by the Comptroller of the Treasury in each of the years from the railroad tax fund, in some cases without authority of law and in still others after the law authorizing such deductions has been repealed, thereby depriving the school districts of the funds that should properly be left for distribution to their account.

It is likewise found that the taxes and income that go to support all the several above mentioned funds are ample for the obligations of these funds and it is apparent that there is no longer need for taking further moneys from the State railroad tax fund in support thereof. Consequently, your Commission recommends that no further distribution of moneys to any of these funds be made from the railroad tax and to the extent that such moneys have been heretofore deducted from said railroad tax fund without authority of law, that such fund surrender to the railroad tax school fund such amounts.

In support of these recommendations we submit a bill repealing the recapture of railroad tax moneys for the benefit of the State Highway Fund, and also an act empowering and directing the Comptroller to make no further deductions from the railroad tax school fund for the benefit of any of these funds, and likewise authorizing and directing the repayment to a special railroad tax school fund for apportionment to the counties for redistribution to school districts in the manner that such distribution is authorized by law. It is the opinion of your Commission that this will somewhat relieve the burdens of the school districts by preserving more of the railroad tax school moneys for distribution to school districts.

There is also submitted an amendment of Joint Resolution No. 5, which extends the time for report of the Commission to the next Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,  
THE EDUCATIONAL SURVEY COMMISSION,  
By ARTHUR N. PIERSON,  
*Chairman.*

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

*Resolved,* That 3000 copies of the supplement to the Budget Message be printed for distribution to schools, libraries, etc.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted,  
Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday next, at 12 o'clock noon, February 6th, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet next Friday, at 12 o'clock noon, February 8th, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet next Monday evening at 8 o'clock P. M., February 11th, 1929.

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

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WEDNESDAY, February 6th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Spair and Bethke.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Friday at twelve o'clock noon, February 8th, 1929.

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FRIDAY, February 8th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., February 11th, 1929.

MONDAY, February 11th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. C. C. Weathers, of the Ebenezer Baptist Church, New Brunswick, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Letzgus, Kuser, Purdy—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and resolution was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,  
A. MINER WELLMAN, CLERK,  
ALBANY, January 31st, 1929.

*Clerk of the House of Representatives, House of Representatives,  
Trenton, N. J.:*

Dear Sir—By direction of the Senate I transmit herewith a copy of a concurrent resolution of the Senate and Assembly which was adopted January 28th.

Yours very truly,

A. MINER WELLMAN,  
*Clerk of the Senate.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, IN SENATE,  
ALBANY, January 28th, 1929.

By Mr. Knight:

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey and the State of New York, in recognition of the demand and necessity for relief from traffic congestion in the construction of a vehicular tunnel and completed two bridges, and now have two other bridges under construction; and

WHEREAS, It is apparent that interstate traffic between these States is increasing with great rapidity, and it is probable that in the near future existing and projected facilities will be insufficient; and

WHEREAS, The joint action of the two States is necessary in any undertaking to relieve congestion in interstate traffic between those States;

*Resolved (if the Assembly concur)*, That the Temporary President of the Senate, the Speaker of the Assembly, one member of the Senate and one member of the Assembly, together with the Governor of the State of New York, or his representatives, be constituted a committee to confer with a committee, when and if selected subject of the necessity of taking immediate steps to provide for future construction of such transportation facilities; further

*Resolved (if the Assembly concur)*, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor of the State of New York, and the Governor and Senate and House of Representatives of the State of New Jersey.

By order of the Senate,

A. MINER WELLMAN,  
Clerk.

In Assembly, January 28th, 1929, concurred in without amendment,

By order of the Assembly,

FRED W. HAMMOND,  
Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication and resolution be received, spread in full upon the minutes and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 4th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Be it resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That both Houses of the Legislature meet in joint session on Tuesday, February 12th, 1929, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing a State Comptroller, a Director of Railroads, and Commissioners of Deeds, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the joint meeting.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and Mr. Knight moved that the House of Assembly concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

*To the Legislature of New Jersey, in Trenton Assembled:*

CHRISTIAN GREETING—This, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Burlington County, a delegated body, assembled in Trinity M. E. Church, Bordentown, N. J., February 6, 1929, hereby respectfully and prayfully request our servants in the Legislature to enact a law in the interest of sobriety, economy, safety of life and property; and in the interest too of law enforcement and observance, that no person shall be licensed or employed to manage or drive public conveyances as buses, jitneys or other such conveyances for travel or traffic in the State of New Jersey, unless such person sign a pledge solemnly to abstain from all intoxicating liquors as a beverage; and should such person break this pledge the said person shall be promptly and permanently retired from the position.

Signed,

CAROLINE ENGLE BLAIR,  
*President,*

CAROLINA S. E. WELLS,  
*Recording Secretary.*

The foregoing passed unanimously.

Mr. Newcomb moved that the communication be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring),

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Creator of us all in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst Colonel Anthony R. Kuser, father of Dryden Kuser, present Assemblyman from Somerset County, and

WHEREAS, The said Colonel Anthony R. Kuser had served the State of New Jersey in various capacities of public trust and responsibility with credit and distinction, yet his outstanding service to the people of our beloved State, one that will endear his name to the future generations, was his beneficent gift of 10,000-acres tract in Sussex County, known as High Point Park. To this he has recently added a memorial to the memory of our boys who so gallantly distinguished themselves in the recent World War. In view of his life of earnest devotion to the welfare of the people of New Jersey and his magnificent gift to the State, now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That this House of Assembly (the Senate concurring) do hereby extend to our fellow member, Assemblyman Dryden Kuser, and the family of the deceased, our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of bereavement and commend his memory to the citizens of New Jersey, both to the present and the future, and be it

*Further resolved*, That a copy of this resolution be spread in full upon the minutes of the Senate and the House of Assembly and a copy signed by the President of the Senate and attested to by the Secretary of the Senate and by the Speaker of the House and attested to by the Clerk of the House, and that the same be forwarded to Assemblyman Dryden Kuser and the members of the family of the late Colonel Anthony R. Kuser.

Mr. Blunt, on behalf of Mr. Kuser, offered the report of the commission appointed pursuant to a joint resolution adopted by the Legislature of 1928, which was authorized and directed "to examine the existing relations of the State with Rutgers University and to recommend to the present Legislature or to the succeeding Legislature such reorganization and means of adequate support as may be deemed to be to the best interest of the State."

Mr. Knight moved that the report be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of Mr. Anthony F. Minisi as Secretary to the Speaker he has appointed Mr. George W. Grimm, Jr., of Essex County, as Secretary to the Speaker, and has appointed Mr. Anthony Miele, of Essex County, as Assistant Secretary to the Speaker in the place of Mr. George W. Grimm, Jr.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 11th, 1929. }

*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 "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district of this State,"

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities' (Revision of 1924),"

And,

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district 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. 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities' (Revision of 1924),"

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. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act against usury,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported Assembly Bill No. 57 by committee substitute as follows :

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November, both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violation thereof,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Mr. Morrison moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 57.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act against usury,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of a special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November; both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violation thereof,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—

Messrs. Kuser, Letzgas, Purdy—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson,

Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, Kuser, Letzgus, Purdy—4.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }  
SENATE CHAMBER, }  
February 11th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring):*

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Creator of us all, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst Colonel Anthony R. Kuser, father of Dryden Kuser, present Assemblyman from Somerset County; and

WHEREAS, The said Colonel Anthony R. Kuser had served the State of New Jersey in various capacities of public trust and responsibility with credit and distinction, yet his outstanding service to the people of our beloved State, one that will endear his name to the future generations, was his beneficent gift of ten thousand acre tract in Sussex County, known as High Point Park. To this he has recently added a memorial to the memory of our boys who so gallantly distinguished themselves in the recent World War. In view of his life of earnest devotion to the welfare of the people of New Jersey and his magnificent gift to the State; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved,* That this House of Assembly (the Senate concurring) do hereby extend to our fellow member, Assemblyman Dryden Kuser, and the family of the deceased, our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of bereavement and commend his memory to the citizens of New Jersey, both to the present and the future, and be it further

*Resolved,* That a copy of this resolution be spread in full upon the minutes of the Senate and the House of Assembly and a copy signed by the President of the Senate and attested to by the Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker of the House, and attested to by the Clerk of the House, and that the same be forwarded to Assemblyman Dryden Kuser and the members of the family of the late Colonel Anthony R. Kuser.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 11th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

RESOLUTION memorializing Congress to appropriate sufficient funds to train twenty-one thousand reserve officers annually.

WHEREAS, The platforms of the two great political parties of this nation advocate the maintenance of an adequate system of national defense; and

WHEREAS, The people of New Jersey have ever been in the front rank when the safety of this nation has been endangered; and

WHEREAS, The organized reserves will, in case of a national emergency, constitute by far the largest component of the army of the United States and should therefore receive proper training and equipment; and

WHEREAS, The Reserve Officers' Association of the United States, a patriotic body of citizens of whom the great majority have had active service in the army of the United States during the late war, have requested the Congress to appropriate sufficient funds to train at least twenty-one thousand reserve officers each year for a period of fourteen days on an active duty status; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Congress of the United States be and it hereby is requested to appropriate sufficient funds to train not less than twenty-one thousand reserve officers each year for a period of fourteen days on an active duty status; be it further

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby instructed to forward certified copies of this resolution, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate and the Speaker and Clerk of the House, to the following: The President of the United States, the United States Senate, the House of Representatives, the Senators and members of Congress from the State of New Jersey.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Mr. Barison moved that Mr. Knight's motion be amended and that the Senate concurrent resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 11th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

A concurrent resolution creating a commission to meet with a like commission, selected on behalf of the State of New York, to confer on the subject of the necessity of taking action to provide for the further construction of bridges and tunnels in order to relieve congestion in interstate traffic between the States of New York and New Jersey.

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey and the State of New York, in recognition of the demands and necessity for relief from traffic congestion in the metropolitan area, have heretofore jointly united in the construction of a vehicular tunnel, and have completed two bridges, and now have two additional bridges under construction; and

WHEREAS, It is apparent that interstate traffic between these States is increasing, and it is probable that in the near future existing and projected facilities may be insufficient; and

WHEREAS, The joint action of the two States is necessary in any undertaking to relieve congestion in interstate traffic between the States, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring)

1 A commission consisting of the President of the Senate, and one Senator to be named by the President of the Senate; the Speaker of the House of Assembly, and one member of the Assembly, to be named by the Speaker thereof, together with a representative of the Governor of the State of New Jersey, is hereby constituted a commission, to meet with a like commission, selected on behalf of the State of New York, in order to confer upon the subject of the necessity of taking action, in order to provide, if necessary, for the further construction of such transportation facilities.

2. *Be it resolved*, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Governor of the State of New Jersey, and to the Governor, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New York.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate concurrent resolution favorably and without amendment, as follows:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	February 11th, 1929.	

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

RESOLUTION memorializing Congress to appropriate sufficient funds to train twenty-one thousand reserve officers annually.

WHEREAS, The platforms of the two great political parties of this nation advocate the maintenance of an adequate system of national defense; and

WHEREAS, The people of New Jersey have ever been in the front rank when the safety of this nation has been endangered; and

WHEREAS, The organized reserves will, in case of a national emergency, constitute by far the largest component of the army of the United States and should therefore receive proper training and equipment; and

WHEREAS, The Reserve Officers' Association of the United States, a patriotic body of citizens of whom the great majority have had active service in the army of the United States during the late war, have requested the Congress to appropriate sufficient funds to train at least twenty-one thousand reserve officers each year for a period of fourteen days on an active duty status; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate and the State of New Jersey* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Congress of the United States be and it hereby is requested to appropriate sufficient funds to train not less than twenty-one thousand reserve officers each

year for a period of fourteen days on an active duty status; be it further

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby instructed to forward certified copies of this resolution, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate and the Speaker and Clerk of the House, to the following: The President of the United States, the United States Senate, the House of Representatives, the Senators and members of Congress from the State of New Jersey.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 15, 16, 20, 26, 31, 32, 36, 51, 59 and A. J. R. 2, A. J. R. 3,

Correctly printed.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read

*Resolved*, That one thousand extra copies of Assembly Bill No. 35 be printed for use in the Assembly.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, announces a public hearing on Assembly Bill No. 116, on Tuesday, February 19th, 1929, at 10 A. M., in the Assembly Chamber.

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

Assembly Bill No. 102, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agency of the State Government in this act enumerated,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a

population of not less than twenty thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 2, 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,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to provide for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions and regulations and subject to certain restrictions, limitations and liabilities creating an old age assistance commission of the State of New Jersey, and old age assistance board in each of the respective counties of this State; defining their powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of said act,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Stewart, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend 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, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

With the following Committee Amendments.

The following committee amendments to Assembly Bill No 19 were read and upon motion of Mr. Gopsill the committee amendments were adopted:

In the title, after the word "act" strike out the following words: "amending sections one and three of the amendment found in (Chapter 13," and insert in lieu thereof the words "to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine."

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

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various municipalities

thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of sergeants-at-arms and court criers in counties of the first class in this State,"

Mr. Knight moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 34 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 87, 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. Leap, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred seventeen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment

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

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over five thousand,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate made under

any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 118, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

With the following committee amendments:

Page 2, line 20, strike "or the State Commissioner of Public Roads"; line 21, "such" and add words "vacancy from any cause"; line 22, strike "dismissal", "immediately", "a new".

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 118.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

° Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid

taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' "

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Newcomb, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 133, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

With the following committee amendments:

In line one add a comma after the word "deed" and add the following immediately thereafter: "mortgage or assignment of mortgage".

In line two add a comma after the word "deed" and add the following: "mortgage or assignment of mortgage".

In line three add a comma after the word "deed" and add the following: "mortgage or assignment of mortgage".

In line five add a comma after the word "deed" and add the following: "mortgage or assignment of mortgage".

Strike out line one in paragraph two.

Mr. Litwin moved that the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 133 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees and their dependents,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 125, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district of this State,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities' (Revision of 1924),"

With the following Assembly committee amendments:

On page 2, line 20, after the word "term", insert the following: "*provided, however,* that in counties of the first class the board of chosen freeholders, or such a committee or committees thereof, as such board may designate, may exercise all the functions herein conferred on such board of managers."

Mr. Leap moved that the Assembly committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 10 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 15, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting notice of lis pendens" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendment was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting notice of lis pendens' (Revision of 1902),"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 20, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise—34

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Wettstein, Young—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. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight

hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Leap, Lorenz, Newcomb, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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 31, entitled "An act to change and amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties and municipalities to acquire land for airport purposes and to use land heretofore acquired for other purposes and thereafter to lease same,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Haines, Jones, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Newcomb, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 102, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agency of the State Government in this act enumerated,"

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than twenty thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No 2, 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 58, entitled "An act to provide for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions and regulations and subject to certain restrictions, limitations and liabilities creating an old age assistance commission of the State of New Jersey, and old age assistance board in each of the respective counties of this State; defining their powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of said act,"

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend 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, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), ap-

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,"

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset,"

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities' (Revision of 1924),"

With Assembly Committee amendments,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district of this State,"

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by the title, were ordered printed and referred to Committee as follows:

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, boroughs, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class in this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,' which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mrs. Summers:

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mrs. Summers:

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to promote the safety of railroad employees and the traveling public,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in the territory within any incorporated campmeeting association in this State,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act relating to the purity of the waters of the Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Newcomb:

Assembly Bill No. 173, entitled "An act providing for a lien for hospitals, physicians and nurses for service rendered in the treatment of injury, accident or sickness for which the patient receives compensation,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Newcomb:

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wettstein:

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "An act authorizing the creation of a board of censors, to review motion picture films, silent and spoken, and theatrical performances, prescribing the duties, powers and salaries of such board, and providing penalties for the violation of this act,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stein :

Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,'"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage, and for alimony and the maintenance of children' (Revision of 1907),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wettstein :

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act regulating the sale, offering for sale, or transporting for sale, of any packages, either open or closed, or of any bulk load, arrangement, or display of fruits or vegetables and providing penalties for the violation thereof and for the method of recovering such penalties,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stein :

Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto cabs, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act providing for pension for any employee in district courts of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 182, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Barbour :

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise :

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violation and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McMurray :

Assembly Bill No 185, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Murray :

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to validate sales of land by the several municipalities of this State in certain cases,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations

By Miss Carty :

Assembly Bill No 187, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders in any of the first-class counties of this State to acquire lands and

erect and maintain thereon buildings to be used as maternity hospitals,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. McDermott :

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any county in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McDermott :

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any municipality in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary

By Mr. McDermott :

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the distribution and sale of articles and commodities in package form, and providing penalties for the violation thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. McDermott :

Assembly Bill No. 191, entitled "An act fixing standard weights for bread sold or offered for sale in this State and providing penalties for violations,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Young :

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act relating to the compensation of judges of the Court of Common Pleas in certain counties of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels,

or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' "

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a State board of barbers for the licensing of persons to carry on such practices, to insure better education of such practitioners, to provide rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of the occupation of barbering for the protection of the public health, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck:

Assembly Bill No. 197, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck:

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of undersheriffs in counties of the first class of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Blunt:

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 200, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903),"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said

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amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Otto :

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Newcomb :

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Wise :

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and

powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "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,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mrs. Summers:

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," as amended by chapter one hundred and five, laws of one thousand nine hundred and

nineteen; chapter two hundred and seventy-two, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and chapter one hundred and twenty-eight, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Morrison :

Assembly Bill No 213, entitled "An act further to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operators in factories, workshops, mills and all places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lorenz :

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit courts' (Revi-

sion of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act restricting employment to persons having legal residence in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act appointing a commission to purchase the Old Tavern House in the borough of Haddonfield, making an appropriation for the payment of the same and providing for the care and management thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck:

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to promote the safety of travelers and employees upon railroads by compelling carriers by railroad to properly man their trains,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

By Mr. Greenberg:

Assembly Bill No. 220, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Greenberg:

Assembly Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to prevent the vending, burning or exploding of toy pistols, firecrackers, squibs and other explosives,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Peters :

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 223, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision of 1870),"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Tuesday, February 12th, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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

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TUESDAY, February 12th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. DeWitt C. Cobb, M. E. Church, of Wildwood, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto,

Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Kuser, Letzgas, Parentini, Purdy, Roder—8.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

WHEREAS, The hour of the day having arrived which has been fixed for a joint session as provided for by the Senate and the House of Assembly by concurrent resolution; be it

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House is hereby directed to forthwith notify the President of the Senate that the House of Assembly awaits the presence of the Senate in the Assembly Chamber.

Asesmbly Bill No. 36, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 51, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to license and

regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—41.

In the negative was—

Mr. Young—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. 59, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Gopsill, Hollinshed, Marini, Weber—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 following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

In view of my appointment as judge of the District Court for the Second Judicial District of the county of Essex, I hereby resign as Secretary to the Speaker of the House of Assembly, for the session of 1929.

ANTHONY F. MINISI.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and spread in full upon the Minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House do now arise for the purpose of going into joint session.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House reconvene.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened—

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Kuser, Letzgs, Parentini, Purdy, Roder—8.

The Speaker announced that owing to the death of the Hon. Charles Letzgs, the following vacancies have occurred on House standing and special committees, and appointments to fill such vacancies are as follows:

Chairman of Committee on Elections—Mr. Kautz, of Essex County.

Member of Stationery Committee—Mr. Smock, of Ocean County.

Member of Unfinished Business Committee—Mr. Leap, of Salem County.

Member of Highways Committee—Mr. Huelsenbeck, of Essex County.

Chairman of Committee on State Prisons—Mr. Muir, of Union County.

Member of Committee on State Prisons—Mr. Lorenz, of Essex County.

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

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House is hereby authorized and directed to certify to the State Comptroller the name of George W. Grimm, Jr., of Essex County, as Secretary to the Speaker of the House, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Anthony F. Minisi; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the said Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay over to the said George W. Grimm, Jr., the balance of the salary due for the position as Secretary to the Speaker as fixed by law.

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

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House is hereby directed and authorized to certify to the State Comptroller the name of Anthony Miele, of Essex County, as Assistant Secretary to the Speaker of the House to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of George W. Grimm, Jr., as Secretary to the Speaker, and be it further

*Resolved*, That the said Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay over to the said Anthony Miele the balance of the salary at the end of the session as fixed by law.

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mortgage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to

further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the study of the rural roads of our State in connection with appropriations of State funds made for their aid,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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 Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the purpose of studying the

election laws, codifying and revising the same, and making an appropriation for the expenses of such commission,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

February 12th, 1929. }

*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. 132, entitled "An act to authorize the representation of the State of New Jersey in the inaugural ceremonies of the Honorable Herbert Hoover as President of the United States on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was then taken up, and Mr. Knight moved under suspension of the rules that Senate Bill No. 132 be taken up without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to authorize the representation of the State of New Jersey in the inaugural ceremonies

of the Honorable Herbert Hoover as President of the United States on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Knight moved under suspension of the rules that Senate Bill No. 132 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to authorize the representation of the State of New Jersey in the inaugural ceremonies of the Honorable Herbert Hoover as President of the United States on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof,"

Was read a second time by its title and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved under suspension of the rules that Senate Bill No. 132 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to authorize the representation of the State of New Jersey in the inaugural ceremonies of the Honorable Herbert Hoover as President of the United States on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 88, 124, 134 and 138,

As correctly printed.

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

Assembly Bill No. 62,

With the following committee amendments:

On page one, line one, at the beginning of said bill, insert the following:

“In addition to the methods now prescribed by law”.

On page one, strike out all of paragraph two, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“This act shall take effect immediately.”

In the last line of section one, after the word “municipality” add the following: “*Provided*, that in no case shall the governing body of any municipality decrease the salaries of the members of the police or fire departments of such municipality where said salaries had been fixed by a referendum adopted by a vote of the people, without first submitting said proposed decrease of salaries to a further referendum of the people.”

Mr. Siracusa moved that committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 62 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled “An act to further 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,” approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘A supplement to an act entitled “An act for the punishment of crimes” (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thou-

sand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mortgage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 81, entitled "An act to further 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," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 12th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal, inter-county and interstate projects, to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions and to provide for the financing of such a commission,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission on State audit and accounting system for the State and the several departments, boards and commissions receiving State moneys or public funds of any kind,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "Joint resolution to continue the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 12 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of eight citizens of the following classifications and number; two economists, one of whom shall be from the faculty of Princeton University and one from the faculty of Rutgers State University, one farmer, one banker, one manufacturer, one member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, to be appointed by the Governor; one senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate; one assemblyman, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission to be known as the tangible personal property tax commission for the purpose of studying the question of the tax on tangible personal property now imposed on industry, agriculture and trade in New Jersey to the end that farmers, manufacturers and merchants of New Jersey may compete on the same basis with the farmers, manufacturers and merchants of other States where the personal property tax has been repealed,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and making an appropriation therefor,"

And

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), ap-

proved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer inter-municipal, inter-county and interstate projects, to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions and to provide for the financing of such a commission,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission on State audit and accounting system for the State and the several departments, boards and commissions receiving State moneys or public funds of any kind,"

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "Joint resolution to continue the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 12 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of eight citizens of the following classifications and number; two economists, one of whom shall be from the faculty of Princeton University and one from the faculty of Rutgers State University, one farmer, one banker, one manufacturer, one member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, to be appointed by the Governor; one senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate; one assemblyman, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission to be known as the tangible personal property tax commission for the purpose of studying the question of the tax on tangible personal property now imposed on industry, agriculture and trade in New Jersey to the end that farmers, manufacturers and merchants of New Jersey may compete on the same basis with the farmers, manufacturers and merchants of other States where the personal property tax has been repealed,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (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 Ways and Means.

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—45.

In the negative—

Mr. Leap—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. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wise, Young—46.

In the negative—

Miss Jones—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. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bethke, Hollinshed, Young—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the privilege of the floor be extended to the Hon. Thomas M. Muir, for the purpose of making a Lincoln Day oration.

Which motion was adopted

Mr. Knight moved that a vote of thanks be tendered to the Hon. Thomas M. Muir for his eulogy on Abraham Lincoln.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the House arise in silent tribute to the memory of Abraham Lincoln for one minute.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution which created a Joint Interstate Traffic Commission and which was passed by both Houses on February 11th, 1929, the Speaker announced the appointment of Mr. Russell S. Wise, Assemblyman from Passaic County, as a member of said Commission.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same without amendment:

Senate Bill No. 132.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 15, 16, 20, 26, 31, 36, 51, 59 and Assembly Joint Resolutions No. 2 and 3.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet next Thursday, February 14th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon; and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet again next Saturday, February 16th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon; and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet next Monday, February 18th, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Which motion was adopted.

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THURSDAY, February 14th, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, February 16th, 1929, at 12 o'clock Noon.

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SATURDAY, February 16th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., February 18th, 1929.

MONDAY, February 18th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Lee J. Beynon of the Calvary Baptist Church, Clifton, New Jersey.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—59.

Absent—

Mr. Letzgus—1.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

#### STATE OF NEW JERSEY

NEW JERSEY INTERSTATE BRIDGE AND TUNNEL COMMISSION

Administration Building,  
Canal and Varick Streets,  
New York City,  
February 18th, 1929.

To the Honorable Senate and General Assembly, of the State of  
New Jersey,  
State House,  
Trenton, New Jersey.

*Gentlemen:*

I transmit herewith the annual report for the year 1928 of the New Jersey Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission, setting

forth the progress in the construction and operation of the vehicular tunnel under the Hudson River, now known as the Holland Tunnel, which this commission, representing the State of New Jersey, is building in conjunction with the New York State Bridge and Tunnel Commission, representing the State of New York.

Respectfully yours,

EDW. BARRADALE,  
*Secretary.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication and report be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

February 18th, 1929.

Hon. Guy Gabrielson,  
Speaker of the Assembly.

*Dear Sir:*

The Delaware River Bridge Joint Commission has the honor to present herewith its annual report for 1928 together with a report of the audit of accounts.

CHARLES R. BACON,  
*Assistant Secretary.*

JOSEPH K. COSTELLO,  
*General Manager.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication and report be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 23

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 3

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 23, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), ap-

proved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a fund for the retirement upon pension of certain employees of the boards of education in school districts in first class counties in this State,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsil, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—59.

Absent—

Mr. Letzgus—1.

Mr. McDermott, of Hudson County, arose to the question of personal privilege and offered the following resolution, which was read by the clerk:

Resolution for the impeachment of Joseph A. Dear, Esq., a judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals.

WHEREAS, Joseph P. McDermott, a member of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, hereby presents the annexed charges against Joseph A. Dear, a judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals, which charges consist of:

- (a) Perjury and obtaining of money under false pretenses;
- (b) Conduct unbecoming a judicial officer of this State by unlawfully using and commercializing his high office for private and personal gain and actions tending to degrade the judiciary

and lessen the respect of the people for our courts; which charges, because of their serious nature, warrant action on the part of this body; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, By the members of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, that an examination into these charges be forthwith made by this House and that a report thereon be made, to the end that, if the charges so made are true, articles of impeachment against the said Joseph A. Dear shall be presented by the members of the General Assembly to the Senate of the State of New Jersey so that proceedings thereon may be had in accordance with the customs, statutes, and Constitution of the State of New Jersey in matters of this kind.

JOSEPH P. McDERMOTT.

To the Members of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey.

*Gentlemen*

I hereby prefer the following charges against Joseph A. Dear, Esq., judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals:

1. The records in the office of the State Comptroller disclose that Joseph A. Dear, Esq., as a judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals, charged for and received compensation from the State of New Jersey, at the rate of forty dollars (\$40) per day for the following Sundays, to wit:

In 1926—December 5th and December 26th.

In 1927—February 20th and February 27th; March 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th; April 3d; May 29th; June 5th, 12th, 19th; November 13th, 20th and 27th; December 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th.

In 1928—March 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th and April 1st.

Not only has Joseph A. Dear, Esq., charged at the rate of forty dollars (\$40), per day, for work declared to be performed on Sunday, but it will be noted in December of the year 1927, he made a charge of forty dollars (\$40), per day, for December 25th, which was not only Sunday but Christmas Day, and as to these Sundays for which the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., made claim for and received compensation, I do charge that on one Sunday in May, and upon three Sundays in June, 1927, he did spend these days on the golf links at the Arcola Golf Club, of which he is a member. In having sworn to vouchers filed with the said Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, claiming compensation for the said Sundays above enumerated, which days were not spent in the service of the State, the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., was guilty of the crime of perjury and obtaining money under false pretenses from the State of New Jersey.

2. The records of the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey also disclose the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., claimed compensation at the rate of forty dollars (\$40), per day, and was paid for twenty-two days in June 1927; twenty days in September, 1927; twenty-eight days in December, 1927; and twenty-eight days in March, 1928. The said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., was the only member of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals who made claim and was paid for so great a number of days. Included in these amounts is double compensation or eighty dollars (\$80), per day, for two days in December.

With regard to the twenty-eight-day claim in March, 1928, the newspaper published by the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., to wit, the "Jersey Journal," of which he is a part owner, printed an article in the society column in its issue of February 24, 1928, as follows:

"Mrs. Joseph A. Dear and Miss Helen Dear of Ridge-wood, formerly of this city, will start Monday on a motor trip to Pass Christian, Mississippi, on the Gulf of Mexico. They will make the trip by motor and will spend a week enroute. While in the South Miss Dear will visit former school mates in New Orleans. On their arrival at Pass Christian they will be joined by Judge Dear. The return trip will be made the last of March."

It appears from this newspaper article that the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., was to join his family for the return trip in March of 1928. Yet the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., did make a claim for and received compensation for twenty-eight days in March, 1928, at which time, according to the news item of his own paper, he was spending his vacation with his family. I, therefore, **charge that he is guilty of the crime of perjury in presenting his sworn claim and obtaining money under false pretenses from the State of New Jersey.**

3. The said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., is, also, the editor-in-chief of a book known as "The Book of New Jersey." In order to obtain subscribers, and in soliciting subscriptions for the said book, the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., has been using the stationery entitled "New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals," and he has also been sending out agents with letters of introduction to prospective subscribers with the request that they become patrons of this publication, which letters of introduction were also type-written upon stationery with the caption, "New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals," upon it. Lawyers, business men and office-holders have been approached by the agents of the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., and not only urged to subscribe, but they have been

threatened with adverse publicity if they failed so to do. It has been the practice of the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., to call up a great number of lawyers announcing over the telephone, "This is Judge Dear of the Court of Errors and Appeals speaking," and then inform said person that it is important that he subscribe to the publication known as "The Book of New Jersey," and that Judge Dear is greatly interested in that publication. He endeavors to arrange an appointment so that his solicitor may call upon the prospective subscriber and then explains it would please him if the said person to whom he is speaking would become a subscriber. Many persons who refuse to become subscribers to this publication, of which the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., is editor-in-chief, have been told that the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., will take care of them in his newspaper.

One of the principal solicitors for this "Book of New Jersey," which is being published by the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., is one Andrew S. Brown, who is an ex-convict, having served two years in the Federal Prison at Atlanta, Ga., for blackmail. The police records of the said Andrew S. Brown disclose that he is one of the most notorious swindlers and blackmailers in the United States. The said Andrew S. Brown obtained many subscribers through these said letters of introduction given him by the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., on stationery with the caption, "New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals," printed upon it.

I charge that the said Joseph A. Dear, Esq., is using the prestige of his office as a judge of the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals and using the stationery upon which is printed, "New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals," for the purpose of obtaining subscriptions for the publication in which he is interested and of which he is the editor-in-chief, and such use of his office is conduct unbecoming a judicial officer and especially a judge of our highest court, to wit, the New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals.

Yours very truly,

JOSEPH P. McDERMOTT.

Mr. Knight moved that the resolution offered by Mr. McDermott be spread in full upon the minutes and be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 18th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

WHEREAS, The State House Commission has arranged for the purchase of a new desk and chair for the use of the incoming Comptroller of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, The present desk and chair have been used by the present Comptroller during the twelve years that he has occupied this office; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, By the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that the State House Commission be and it is hereby authorized to present to the Honorable Newton A. K. Bugbee, the present Comptroller, the desk and chair used by him as the Comptroller of the Treasury.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House of Assembly concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

*To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly:*

The commission created pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor," in accordance with said act and the amendatory legislation, presents herewith this report as required by law.

(Signed) J. G. BUCH,  
*Chairman.*

Mr Muir moved that the communication and report be received, and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

REPORT OF THE NEW JERSEY STATE TEMPORARY COMMISSION  
FOR INQUIRY RELATING TO THE DISTRIBUTION AND  
CONDITION OF CRIPPLED CHILDREN

(In conformity with Chapter 188, Laws of New Jersey, 1926, and Chapter 276, Laws of New Jersey, 1927, and Chapter 56, Laws of New Jersey, 1928)

*To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey:*

The Temporary Commission created under Chapters 188, Laws of 1926, and 276, Laws of 1927, and continued under Chapter 56, Laws of 1928, to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, and the existing facilities and legal provisions for promoting the care, treatment, education and general welfare of such children, and to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, herewith respectfully submits its report.

THE COMMISSION PERSONNEL

The commission as organized in 1927 was continued in 1928, all the officers being re-elected.

The present organization of the commission follows:

Joseph G. Buch, Chairman, Trenton, representing the New Jersey State Elks' Association.

Morgan F. Larson, Vice-Chairman, Perth Amboy, representing the New Jersey Senate.

Albert Schurr, Treasurer, Newark, representing the Shriners of New Jersey.

John E. Gill, Secretary, Trenton, representing the Kiwanis Clubs of New Jersey.

William C. Cope, Newark, representing the Rotary Clubs of New Jersey.

Thomas W. Muir, Plainfield, representing the House of Assembly of New Jersey.

David C. Bowen, Asbury Park, representing the State Department of Health.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The commission is gratified to report that the interest evinced in the care of crippled children, during the 1927 Survey, by many individuals and groups, has been substantiated during 1928 by co-operation in the laying of a permanent foundation—co-operation in the real sense of the word—of many groups working to-

gether to develop their respective parts of a comprehensive program for the care of crippled children.

It is especially appreciative of the efforts and interest of former Governor, A. Harry Moore; present Governor, Morgan F. Larson; the State Department of Education, the New Jersey Rehabilitation Commission, The Department of Institutions and Agencies, the State Department of Health, the New Jersey State Elks' Crippled Kiddies Committee, and the Local Lodges of Elks.

#### INTRODUCTION

A report presented within the first year after legislation, involving the interest of over 10,000 crippled children of the State, must necessarily record progress largely in terms of organization, application of legislation, and allocation of functions. Later reports should show progress in terms of individuals and groups of children whose crippled condition has been prevented, cured, remedied, or adjusted to life and work.

The light thrown upon the problem of crippled children by the survey of 1927, revealed a situation which was too large to be handled only as a central State problem. The cost of treating, educating, institutionalizing and training such large members of children would be too great a burden on the taxpayers of the State. Nor would such a solution be desirable.

Existing State and local departments were found to have basic powers which by slight extensions of services could be made to meet certain of the needs of crippled children. This is particularly true of the educational needs. Certain private groups, long active in the care of crippled children, notably the New Jersey State Elks' Association, and subordinate lodges, have an important and permanent part in the progress, especially in bringing to all crippled children, the opportunities developed for them, and in creating other opportunities. The families of a small proportion of crippled children, where resources and understanding care are adequate, may be safely entrusted with responsibilities.

The effective working out of the problem of crippled children in New Jersey is therefore a four-fold responsibility, and the proper functioning and responsibilities of each group must be taken into consideration. To find where these responsibilities may best be placed without duplication and by making adequate use of public and private resources throughout the State, is the big work of the Crippled Children's Commission; an undertaking which will take time, administrative vision, effective action, and co-operation for its solution,

## RECAPITULATION OF COMMISSION ACTIVITIES FOR 1927-28

The New Jersey Crippled Children's Commission in 1927 conducted a State-wide survey locating over 10,000 crippled children, between the ages of birth and eighteen, or about 90 per cent of the estimated total.

These children, evenly distributed over the State, were found to have certain definite needs: medical re-examination and treatment at the present time was indicated in many cases although a large number had at some time received attention; others were growing up without education, because there were no local school facilities adapted to their accommodation; vocational guidance and training leading to eventual self support was a real need of one-fourth of the children; the necessity for the earlier finding of these children was shown by many cases, which if treated in earlier life might have been entirely cured or greatly remedied, thus removing the crippling handicap.

## PROGRESS IN 1928 SINCE LAST REPORT

*Legislation Enacted*

To meet the needs thus disclosed, legislation was prepared and enacted, amending the Rehabilitation, Education, County Appropriation, and Vital Statistics Laws, to provide in

The Education Law—for special classes, home-teaching, transportation, annual registration of cripples, etc., and to change the allocation of funds so that the local school district and State would share in the cost.

The Rehabilitation Act—for the extension of the provision of physical and vocational rehabilitation to children, through a change in the age limitations, and the representation on the commission of two additional members especially interested in crippled children.

The Vital Statistics Law—for the reporting to the Rehabilitation Commission of all congenital cripples at birth.

The County Appropriation Law—To permit the County Boards of Freeholders to appropriate \$30,000 or any part thereof, annually, for the care, treatment, etc., within or without the county, of crippled children residing in each county.

## COMMISSION ACTIVITIES FOR 1928

After the legislation had been enacted the Crippled Children's Commission found a definite work before it, in translating the opportunities opened up by legislation into an active program. Acting through the different departments and groups to which executive and co-operative responsibilities had been entrusted the commission initiated a program and carried on the activities which follow :

*Co-operation with the Rehabilitation Commission*

Co-operating with the Rehabilitation Commission the Crippled Children's Commission, as a preliminary step of the comprehensive program made a local statistical analysis of the cases referred in the 1927 survey, so that the local problem could be presented to each district of the State.

*Co-operation with Lodges of Elks*

The chairman of the commission met with the fifty-five local lodges of Elks throughout the State and secured the promise of each to engage a nurse or welfare worker to definitely check each case and to secure the names of additional cripples in each community. Over 10,000 survey cases together with those reported following the closing of the records were prepared on duplicate lists and sent to the local lodges of Elks for intensive investigation and checking.

A preliminary activity sheet was prepared, designed to ascertain definitely the following facts :

Children—in need of examination or re-examination  
of school age and not attending  
in need of vocational guidance and training  
mentally deficient and crippled to such an extent  
that they require special institutional care  
classed as hopelessly helpless but not mentally de-  
ficient and requiring special attention.

After this preliminary information has been secured we contemplate

First. Establishing and conducting clinics in co-operation with local medical resources throughout the State, for the purpose of enabling all cripples in need thereof to be examined so as to ascertain definitely whether they may or may

not be helped. This will enable us to say that in the State of New Jersey every crippled boy and girl has had the opportunity of examination and diagnosis. If in need of an operation, hospital care, after care, treatment or convalescent care, this will be provided.

Second. Presenting to the respective superintendents in each jurisdiction, the names of children of school age not attending with the thought in mind of having them receive the advantages of the laws enacted in 1928, relative to providing adequate facilities for their education; such as special classes, home-teaching, or instruction in hospitals or convalescent homes.

Third. For all those in need of vocational guidance and training, conducting vocational clinics throughout the State having in attendance at these clinics; Orthopedic surgeons, General physicians, psychologists and vocational guidance experts, with a view to determining the requirements of each cripple. After this has been definitely disclosed we will endeavor to provide the necessary guidance and training for all cripples so that they may be trained along lines befitting their ability and condition in life.

Fourth. Presenting the names of mentally deficient cripples who are in apparent need of institutional care to the Commissioner of Institutions and Agencies so that these may be adequately cared for.

Fifth. If there are sufficient number in the hopelessly, helpless class, not mentally deficient, and in need of special care, training and attention, we will endeavor to provide this for them.

This intensive preliminary investigation is now in progress throughout the State, and it is anticipated and hoped that the reports in connection with the preliminary activity sheets will be in hand by March first or shortly thereafter.

The value of this method of approach is shown in the appended table of the Mercer County Study, now almost completed. Two hundred and twenty-three children have been found to require medical re-examination. Seventy-one of school age are not attending. Vocational guidance and training has been disclosed as a definite need for 132. Thirty-seven new cases have been found.

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Cases on hand at beginning of survey . . . . .	825
Investigated . . . . .	814
New cases located (not on lists) . . . . .	37
Referred to adult division . . . . .	187
Deceased . . . . .	12
Requesting re-examination through Elks . . . . .	165
To be re-examined by private physicians . . . . .	58
Never examined . . . . .	3
Of school age and attending school . . . . .	344
Of school age and not attending school . . . . .	71
In need of vocational guidance and training . . . . .	132

While through that part of the program just described we are discovering the needs of crippled children throughout the State, at the same time measures for meeting these needs are being studied and created.

#### *Co-operation with State Education Department*

In co-operation with the State Department of Education, educational opportunities provided by legislation are being developed. In order to acquaint the local boards with their powers in establishing special classes, home-teaching, etc., the Commissioner of Education notified the superintendents through letters, and published notices in the School Bulletin. As a result a beginning has been made in establishing such special facilities.

Through the vocational division, the public vocational resources of the State have been assembled with a view to discovering how they may be adapted to the needs of crippled children. Through the legal division a plan for permanent annual registration is being developed.

#### *Co-operation with State Freeholders' Association*

In conjunction with the State Freeholders' Association, the commission has formulated plans for putting into effect the county appropriation law. The commission met with this association on several occasions and assisted in developing a uniform reporting and investigating system for use of all counties. Provision in the 1929 budget for this appropriation has been made by a majority of the counties, Mercer County, for instance, recently appropriating \$20,000.

Contributory activities carried on by the commission during 1928 are as follows:

*Vital Statistics Law.*

In co-operation with the State Medical Society, a uniform method and blank for the reporting of congenital cripples is being developed.

Through the midwives under the supervision of the Bureau of Hygiene of the State Department of Health many cases are being reported. As an important factor in the prevention of future cripples, this measure has already demonstrated its value as most of the cases so far reported, are of the type which may be completely cured by timely treatment, but if neglected remain crippled for life.

*Publication of Legislation*

The commission compiled and published the "Laws Relating to the Care and Education of Crippled Children," enacted 1928. A summary of the legislation for office use was also prepared.

*Transmission of Names of Other Defectives*

Immediately following the survey early in 1928 the commission prepared lists of other groups of defectives: deaf, blind, epileptic, feeble-minded, and adult cripples, of whom over 4,000 had been reported in conjunction with the survey, and transmitted these to the respective commissions and State departments established for their care.

The value of this action has already been demonstrated in the following results of the investigations which are not yet completed.

Twenty-three blind children have been placed under care, 8 epileptics have been admitted to the institution for the epileptics, 29 feeble-minded have been placed in institutions, while 39 additional are on waiting lists, and 12 children were admitted to the New Jersey School for the Deaf.

## COMMISSION PLANS FOR PRESENT AND IMMEDIATE FUTURE

It will be seen from the foregoing description of the activities of the commission and associated units that a comprehensive plan for the care of the crippled child in New Jersey is developing, the commission planning and initiating in conjunction with other departments and groups, and co-ordinating the whole, each section then carrying out its individual function.

*Finding Needs and Facilities*

While on the one hand the needs of the children are being revealed throughout the State by the investigations of nurses and investigators in the service of the New Jersey State Elks'

Association, and subordinate lodges, and later to be more individually brought out in the clinic analyses; on the other hand and simultaneously, the facilities which exist to meet the needs disclosed are also being studied. Thus, by the time we know the particular kind of help each child requires, we shall also know just where this assistance can be secured. The plan for discovering the child and his needs has been outlined in the preceding section. Plans for discovering and creating facilities are still in a formative stage, but a beginning has already been made, as previously mentioned, in the listing of public vocational resources by the vocational division of the Department of Education and also in the study of hospital facilities now in process by the Rehabilitation Commission.

### *Study of Resources*

In the complete study of resources it will be necessary, eventually, to survey and record for ready reference the following types of service, both public and private, available in New Jersey and adjacent localities:

Medical Care	Vocational Guidance
Education	Avocational Opportunities
Vocational Training	Employment

Considering each of these subjects in further detail it will be necessary to have on hand specific information as follows:

### *Medical Care*

Hospitals—Public and Private, Facilities for operating, therapeutic service, preventive care, clinic follow-up, specialties, appliances.

Convalescent Homes.

Orthopedic physicians and their specialties.

Other physicians caring for special kinds of cripples, their specialties

Nursing service in homes.

Follow-up service.

Corrective physical training in public and private schools.

### *Education*

Home teaching.

Special public school classes and facilities.

Nursery and kindergarten classes for young spastic cases.

Transportation facilities.

Special educational opportunities, such as scholarships, etc.

*Vocational Training*

Existing classes and schools, public and private, which can be made applicable to needs of cripples.

*Vocational Guidance*

Departments existing in local departments of education which can be extended.

Opportunities for psychological and neuro-motor analysis.

*Avocational Opportunities*

Opportunities for gifted children to study such subjects as art and music, which may later have vocational value for them.

*Employment*

Listing of industries, commercial and other oppourtunies of the State, with job analyses of occupations adapted to different types of cripples.

Workshop and home industries for homebound cases

## REASONS FOR CONTINUATION OF COMMISSION

The New Jersey Crippled Children's Commission after careful consideration has come to the conclusion that by continuing its existence it can hasten the fulfillment of a unified program for the care of crippled children. The method adopted will continue in an experimental stage until it is firmly established, and although the various responsibilities for the care of crippled children are all placed in certain departments and groups, it should, however, be borne in mind:

1. That the success of the program depends to a large extent on the right placing of these responsibilities so that all parts of the plan may develop together.
2. Other needs may be disclosed by investigation which are not provided for in present plans.

Therefore, as indicated in this report, the Crippled Children's Commission has five different services to render:

1. Reviewing of legislation in operation with a view to revision and amendments should such be required
- 2 To co-ordinate in plans and action the departments and groups, public and private, carrying on the work. This

service will be required until the work is firmly centered in the Rehabilitation Commission, and until that commission is able to adjust itself to the larger numbers and different nature of the crippled children's problem.

3. The commission is representative of the public, and of special groups interested in crippled children. This representation will become increasingly important and useful, especially in developing employment and vocational resources.

4. Reporting on progress of work—It is important to record and present progress in the care of crippled children uniformly and completely, thus giving a picture of the whole. The Crippled Children's Commission being related to and following up all the separate units is able to do this. A unified report is necessary in pointing the way to prevention measures and disclosing the need for opportunities.

5. Research is required, as mentioned in the last section, for finding opportunities and facilities. In this, the commission can render material assistance.

With these factors in mind the commission offers the following recommendations:

#### COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

That the temporary commission be continued on the same basis as in previous years and that an appropriation of \$5,000 be made for carrying out the provisions of the act, the substance of which is given on page two.

#### CONCLUSION

In submitting this report the commission is encouraged over the advances made during 1928 in the care of New Jersey's crippled children, and hopes that still greater progress may be recorded for 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH G. BUCH,  
*Chairman,*

JOHN E. GILL,  
*Secretary,*

MORGAN F. LARSON,  
*Vice-Chairman,*

ALBERT SCHURR,  
*Treasurer,*

WILLIAM C. COPE,  
DAVID G. BOWEN,  
THOMAS W. MUIR.

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

*Resolved*, That one thousand copies of the report of the commission created pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188 of the Laws of 1926 and legislation amendatory thereof, commonly known as the "Crippled Children's Commission," be printed for distribution for the use of the members of the Assembly.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 68, 83, 185 and 186,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 55,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 223,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 171,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 210,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 70,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 137,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 21,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 169,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 212,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 103, 104 and 130,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 72, 73 and 179,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 4,

With the following committee amendments:

On page one, line three, strike out the words "defendant in said judgment" and substitute therefor the words "judgment creditor."

On page one, line four, after the word "bond", in said line, insert a comma and add the following: "which shall be recorded and indexed in a book kept for that purpose with the clerk of the court."

On page one, line four, strike out the word "plaintiff" and substitute therefor the words "judgment creditor."

On page one, line fifteen, after the word "bond", in said line, strike out the period, insert a comma and add the following: "for which said clerk shall receive the sum as now provided by law for the recording of bonds in his office."

Mr. Siracusa moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly No. 4.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 38,

With the following committee amendment:

On page three, section nine, line two, strike out the word "civil".

Mr. Siracusa moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 38.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 198 and 218,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 184,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 206,

With the following committee amendments:

After the enacting clause and before section one insert the following:

Article one, section twelve, of the act of which this act is an amendment, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows.

12. Local Authorities. Every county, municipality or other local board or body having authority to adopt local police regulations under the constitution and laws of this State, including every county board of chosen freeholders with relation to county roads.

Amend page two, paragraph two, by striking out all of the lines from one to eleven, inclusive, and insert in lieu the following:

3. Section six of Article XVI, of the act of which this act is amendatory be and the same is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

6. No safety zones or platforms, commonly called "safety aisles"; traffic signal devices, guideposts, or other structures of any kind whatsoever shall be hereafter erected, constructed, operated or maintained in, over, or upon any State highway of this State without the permission of the State Highway Commission first having been obtained. The board of chosen free-

holders, or other body having the control of any public county road or highway, in any county of this State, is hereby authorized to adopt from time to time by resolution of such board of chosen freeholders or other body, such rules and regulations relating to county highways or roads as is authorized to be adopted by ordinances by towns, boroughs, townships, cities or other municipalities by the provisions of section one of the article of which this is an amendment.

Amend page two, after paragraph two, and before section four, by inserting the following:

Section two of Article XVII, of the act of which this is an amendment, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Mr Wise moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly No. 206,

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Joint Resolution No. 5,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 18th, 1929. }

*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. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by the title, were ordered printed and referred to Committee as follows:

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Joint Resolution No 9, entitled "A joint resolution relative to the dumping and disposal of garbage at sea by the

city of New York, and directing the institution of proceedings on behalf of the State of New Jersey to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Knight:

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property of this State for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, development, extending and equipping State charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions and appurtenances thereto,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 226, 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 supplemental act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Kalamen:

Assembly Bill No. 227, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels, providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 228, entitled "An act regulating the sale or exposure for sale of ice cream, ices and kindred frozen products, providing for the sale of such products by avoirdupois weight, and providing penalties for the violation thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employe in the course

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of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act concerning a legislative record,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Barbour :

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act concerning the control of water in brooks and streams in counties by counties, cities, townships and villages,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to authorize the State House Commission to contract for and cause to be installed an electrical and mechanical system for registration of votes of members of the General Assembly,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act providing for the appointment in cities having between fifty-five thousand and two hundred thousand inhabitants, within counties other than counties of the first class, of officials and employees of the district court, other than the judge,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, planting, care and control of trees and shrubbery upon the public highways in the counties of the State,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Referred to Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Kautz:

Assembly Bill No. 238, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries' (Revision of 1877),"

Referred to the Committee on Stationery.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption

of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act relating to allowances of costs and counsel fees to an attorney, solicitor, counsel or proctor, where he is an interested party,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court interpreters in counties of the first class in this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Purdy :

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Miss Jones:

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "An act concerning legislative counsel and agents; regulating the employment thereof, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act annexing to Jackson township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act annexing to Lakewood township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provision of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Newcomb:

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of game refuges by the board of fish and game commissioners, and for the protection of the game in such refuges,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Blunt:

Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Altman:

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning intoxicating liquor used or to be used for beverage purposes," approved March seven-teenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of clerks to recorders in towns,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and which supplement was approved February eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, which further amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mrs. Peters:

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal superintendents of public works of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Bethke (By Request) :

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the borough of Hopewell,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Blunt :

Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine."

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of midwifery in the State of New Jersey," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mrs. Peters :

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to enable any corporation heretofore or hereafter constituted or organized for the purpose of the enforcement of laws enacted for the protection of dumb animals, or constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of dumb animals, whether incorporated by any special act of the Legislature of this State or under the laws of this State, to amend its charter and providing the procedure therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Weber :

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April eighth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled "An act to establish a uniformity of fees and charges for the indexing, filing and recording of documents or papers in the office of the register of deeds

and mortgages and in the county clerk's office in counties of this State where there are no registers of deeds and mortgages" (Revision of 1928),

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary

By Mr. Weber :

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act to amend and to supplement an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wills," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,' which supplement was approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was adopted.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
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Absent—None.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 207,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 18th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commit-

tee appointed under Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the preliminary report of the said joint committee,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefor, and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof,"

And

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint committee appointed under Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the preliminary report of the said joint committee,"

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefor, and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof,"

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. 2, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and

duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

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

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 43, 45, 87, 91, 119, 120, 126, 158,

As correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 68, entitled "An act concerning municipalities having boards of aldermen,"

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning wards and providing for change of lines and boundaries of wards or for an increase or decrease in the number thereof in municipalities in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to validate sales of land by the several municipalities of this State in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal treasurers of municipalities incorporated under 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. 223, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in the territory within any incorporated campmeeting association in this State,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "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 70, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act to amend an act entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from United States service," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to make a married woman solely responsible for her torts,"

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 104, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,' which amendatory act was approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act concerning suits against the State of New Jersey or any commission, board, department or other agency of the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to provide for the settlement of any dispute arising between any commission, board, or any other agency of the State of New Jersey and a contractor having completed or engaged in the completion of any public work, under and by virtue of any contract awarded by any such commission, board or other agency,"

Assembly Bill No. 179, entitled "An act regulating the sale, offering for sale, or transporting for sale, of any packages, either open or closed, or of any bulk load, arrangement, or display of fruits or vegetables and providing penalties for the violation thereof and for the method of recovering such penalties,"

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877),"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of undersheriffs in counties of the first class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 218, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act appointing a commission to purchase the Old Tavern House in the borough of Haddonfield, making an appropriation for the payment of the same and providing for the care and management thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing

and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violation and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz,

Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 43, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act against usury,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach Weber, Wettstein, Young—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Blunt, Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Litwin, Lorenz, Stelle, Stein, Wise—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. 45, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker),

Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 87, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred seventeen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Haines, Jones, Kautz, Lorenz, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

Mr. Litwin moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 126 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion lie on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 158, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—45.

In the negative was—

Mr. Young—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. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships reported

Assembly Bill No. 199,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 88, 124, 134, 138.

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission on State audit and accounting system for the State and the several departments, boards and commissions receiving State moneys or public funds of any kind,"

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

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourn, it adjourn to meet Tuesday, February 19th, 1929, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

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

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FEBRUARY 19th, 1929.

House met at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Henry Sluyter, of the Second Reformed Church, Paterson, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Greenberg, Hand, Kautz, Letzgas, McDermott, Newcomb, Otto, Roder, Spair—9.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray,

ray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Greenberg, McDermott, Roder.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 61, 64, 90, 92, 93, 110, 127, 128, 156, 100, 125, 23, 94, 130, C. S. for 34,

As correctly printed.

The Speaker announced the following members of the House would serve as the House Inaugural Committee at the inaugural ceremonies of Herbert Hoover on March 4, 1929: Messrs. Knight, of Camden County; Barison, of Hudson County; Compton, of Union County; Siracusa, of Atlantic County; Morrison, of Middlesex County; Gopsill, of Monmouth County, Huelsenbeck, of Essex County, and Gabrielson, of Essex County, pursuant to a resolution adopted by both Houses, on February 12th.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, entitled "Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission on State audit and accounting system for the State and the several departments, boards and commissions receiving State moneys or public funds of any kind,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 61, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Wise asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 26, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 26 was passed, be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Lorenz, Marini, Mc-Murray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Stelle,

Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Wise moved, under suspension of the rules, that Assembly Bill No. 26 be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was carried.

Mr. Wise offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 26:

On page two, line thirty-four, strike out the word "March" and insert in lieu thereof the word "April".

Mr. Wise moved that the amendment proposed to Assembly Bill No. 26 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, moved that Assembly Bill No. 26, as amended, be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,

As amended.

Was taken up under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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 repassed the same, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Bethke asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 155, Which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Bethke moved that Assembly Bill No. 155 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 23, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Kalamen, Kuser, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns, it be to meet on Thursday, February 21st, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn, it be to meet Saturday, February 23d, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourn it be to meet Monday, February 25th, at 8 o'clock P. M.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by their titles, were ordered printed and referred to Committees, as follows:

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis hospitals in counties of the second class,"

Referred to the Committee on Social Welfare.

By Mrs. Summers:

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled "An act concerning salaries in certain second class counties and certain second class cities of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

By Mr. Hand:

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,' which amending act was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Compton :

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen," which amendment was itself approved April seventh, nineteen hundred and nineteen,' which amendment was approved March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 270, 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 thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Blunt :

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in

this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Altman:

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act concerning receivers or collectors of taxes, and other persons charged with the collection of taxes in municipalities of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' constituting chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No. 274, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act concerning auto buses commonly called jitneys, and their operation in cities," approved March seventeenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen,' approved March twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians, on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 279, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Bethke:

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Referred to Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act authorizing the sale of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers located in the town of Kearny in the county of Hudson,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck:

Assembly Bill No. 282, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the second class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bethke:

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Referred to Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Kuser:

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for the issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. McDermott:

Assembly Bill No. 285, entitled "An act in relation to uniforms, badges, caps, wearing apparel and insignia of railroad employees,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in all other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchise, rights, and in any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the commission heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 4 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, entitled 'Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate, to be named by the President thereof, two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker of the House, and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive plan of traffic rules and regulations, and to devise a uniform scheme of administration for the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and the State traffic act,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission consisting of three Senators to be named by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the subject of pensions paid by the State and the several counties and municipalities thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Rittenhouse:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President thereof, and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of revising an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 144,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 121 and 129,

Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 2 and 6,

Senate Bill No. 2,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 79, 159, 193, 194 and 224,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 142,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 215,

With the following committee amendment which was read by the Clerk:

Line sixteen, strike out the words "such justice" and insert instead: "the Supreme Court Justice holding the Circuit".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 215.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "An act concerning public parks and places,"

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of county clerk's employees in counties of the first class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Assembly Bill No. 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 194, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall con-

nect," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision of 1870),"

Assembly Bill No. 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit courts' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint committee appointed under Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the preliminary report of the said joint committee,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefor, and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 2, 43, 45, 87, 91 and 158.

Mr. McWilliams sent to the desk the report on the proposed South Philadelphia bridge over the Delaware River and the report of New Jersey Commission No. 2.

Mr. McWilliams moved that the report be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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THURSDAY, February 21st, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Saturday at twelve o'clock noon, February 23d, 1929.

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SATURDAY, February 23d, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Spair and Bethke.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., February 25th, 1929.

TUESDAY, February 25th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Maurice Thorner, of the Temple Beth El, Jersey City, N. J.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, Powers, Roder, Stewart—4.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

### STATE OF NEW JERSEY

#### COMMISSION ON REVISION AND CONSOLIDATION OF PUBLIC STATUTES

EDWARD L. KATZENBACH, *Chairman*, Trenton, N. J.

M. T. ROSENBERG, Jersey City, N. J.

FREDERIC J. FAULKS, Newark, N. J.

FRANK TRANSUE, *Secretary*, Trenton, N. J.

February 25th, 1929.

HON. FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,

Clerk of the House of Assembly, State House, Trenton N. J.

*Dear Sir:*

I hereby transmit to the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey a report of the Commission on Revision and Consolidation of Public Statutes, covering the period between

February 7th, 1928, and February 21st, 1929. This report is made in pursuance with Chapter 73 of the Laws of 1925.

Very truly yours,

FRANK TRANSUE,  
*Secretary.*

February 21st, 1929.

*To the Members of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

The Commission for the Revision and Consolidation of the Public Statutes respectfully presents the following report:

The report of the commission presented in 1928, and data submitted therewith, set forth the general scope of the work of revision, discussed in detail the matter to be revised, mentioned the problems that confronted the commission in its work and set forth the manner in which the problems had been met and the work had been performed up to that time.

As a result of the material which the commission submitted, with its report, to the Legislature of 1928, a total of four hundred and five (405) statutes were repealed by that Legislature. These statutes consisted of acts which were entirely obsolete, having been repealed by implication or superseded by later legislation. Since that time different revisers in dealing with legislation in particular topics have recommended the repeal of many more statutes which are obsolete, impliedly repealed or have been held unconstitutional by the courts. In many instances a further examination is necessary to make certain that no law is thus recommended for repeal which may be in force. It is believed that at the next session of the Legislature a further very substantial number of such statutes can be submitted for repeal. This work of clearing away dead underbrush is, of course, important and tends materially to clarify the statute law of the State.

The following is a general outline of the work which has been done during the year 1928:

The recompilation of all the legislation for purposes of revision has now been completed and is in the files ready for the use of revisers.

In connection with the preparation of the compilation made for purposes of revision there has been prepared an outline of each new topic, a table of contents or analysis of each new topic and a short statement or scope note defining the class of material contained in each topic. These outlines, analyses and scope notes were made for the use of revisers and in order to make them available to all revisers it was necessary to have them printed.

This material makes a book of eight hundred eighty-four (884) pages, which is designated as "Hand Book of Compilation of New Jersey Statutes."

The "Hand Book," and the 1928 supplement thereto, contain, in addition to the material mentioned in the preceding paragraph, a table of every live section of the statutes contained in the Compiled Statutes of 1910, the Supplement of 1924, and the Pamphlet Laws of 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, thus furnishing a ready reference to all provisions of the statutes now in effect, grouping together all similar provisions of the statutes in so far as is possible by the bringing together of complete acts, and making this information available to all revisers.

The 1928 supplement to the "Hand Book," which was prepared after the "Hand Book" was printed, classifies all of the legislation subsequent to 1927 to the adopted scheme of classification.

For the purpose of bringing together main titles which from similarity of subject-matter should be revised by the same reviser or group of revisers, a tentative general arrangement of main titles has been prepared under twenty-seven grand divisions, each one of which is being or is to be handled by a single reviser, or several revisers who may easily confer with each other. This general arrangement of main titles is published in the "Hand Book."

The act under which the commission is performing its duties requires "that no changes shall be made in the phraseology or distribution of the sections of any statute that has been made the subject of a judicial decision by which the construction thereof as established by such decision shall or can be impaired or affected." This provision requires that there shall be made available to the revisers a complete list of all cases which have been cited, construed or applied any section within the topic which they are revising. To accomplish this purpose a form of card was prepared upon which is entered the statutes cited, construed or applied, together with the title of the case, the date of the decision, and the volume and page of the reports where the decision is printed. On this card is then added the key number of the section, being the number by which the section is designated in the compilation for purposes of revision. The reports of the courts have been searched, beginning with the point where the case notes in the supplement of 1924 ended, and cards have been prepared for each statute cited, construed or applied. These cards are now being classified according to the classification of the material for purposes of revision, and as soon as completed each reviser will be furnished with a complete list of all citations of cases affecting the legislation in his topic since the year 1924.

There has been preserved in the copy furnished to revisers all case notes and citations appearing in the compilation of 1910, as well as the supplement of 1924.

A check or audit is being made of all legislation contained in the Revised Statutes of 1877, together with all statutes enacted since that time, to ascertain what statutes have been actually repealed and what statutes remain in force. This check was carried back beyond the Statutes of 1877 to the Revision of 1847 so far as affects legislation contained in the Revision of 1877 which had been carried forward from the Revision of 1847. As soon as this check is completed a report will be prepared as to the material contained in each of the main titles, showing all statutes which have been omitted from the compilations, but which have not in fact been repealed, as well as all statutes which have been included in the compilations, but which have in fact been repealed prior to the inclusion therein. It is expected that the table upon which this report will be based will also show the exact period of time when any statute heretofore in effect in this State was enacted, amended, supplemented or repealed. No such table is available at this time, and outside of the use which can and must be made of this table in the revision work it will remain a valuable addition to the books on statute law of this State. The information contained therein cannot be had at the present time without an exhaustive search of all the books.

Various main topics have been assigned for revision during this year and much revision work has been accomplished. The main topics so assigned include the following:

- Agriculture and Domestic Animals;
- Cemeteries and Burial Grounds;
- Civil Rights;
- Commerce, Navigation, Interstate Tunnels, Bridges, etc.;
- Conservation and Development and State and Interstate Parks;
- Corporations Generally;
- Corporations and Associations Not for Profit;
- Corporations, Associations and Institutions for Finance and Insurance;
- Corporations, Associations and Institutions—Religious, Educational, Charitable, etc.;
- Drainage and Flowage of Lands;
- Eminent Domain;
- Explosives;
- Frauds and Perjuries—Statutes of, and Fraudulent Conveyances;
- Health and Vital Statistics;

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Holidays;  
Immigration;  
Infants, Incompetents, Decedents, Trustees and Other  
Fiduciaries;  
Institutions and Agencies—Penal, Charitable and Cor-  
rectional;  
Interest and Usury;  
Labor and Workmen's Compensation;  
Legal Advertisements;  
Municipalities and Counties;  
Negotiable Instruments;  
Oaths and Affidavits;  
Occupations—Statutes Regulating Pursuit of;  
Partnership and Joint Debtors;  
Poor;  
Property;  
Standards, Weights, Measures and Containers;  
Trade-Names, Trade-Marks and Unfair Competition;  
Warehousemen and Warehouse Receipts;  
Waters and Water Supply.

Revision on the topic of "Municipalities and Counties," which includes all legislation relating to the various municipalities and counties, has been under way during the whole year and for some time prior thereto.

When the material was assigned to different revisers it became necessary that some uniform plan of dealing with various problems of revision be outlined and placed in the hands of the revisers. This was done by the preparation of a set of general rules and suggestions designated as "Instructions to Revising Editors" and a copy of these instructions is placed in the hands of each reviser at the time of beginning his work.

The work of revision is being done under the direct supervision of the commission. The commission has designated one of the men in the Trenton office, who has had previous experience in revision work, to supervise the work of all revisers and to deal directly with the revisers. All questions of general policy in the revision are submitted directly to the commission at its meetings. A record is made of the decisions of the commission and all revision is done in accordance with such decisions.

As the work of the revisers is received each commissioner is furnished with a verbatim copy thereof for his personal examination. The commission then meets to consider points of difference and to determine upon the final form of the revised material.

This material is likewise checked by the editorial staff in the Trenton office, and when finally completed constitutes the work of the reviser, supervised as above outlined, and finally checked and verified by the editorial staff and the commission.

It will be seen from the foregoing that all the material is now in shape for actual revision and that such part as is not now in the hands of revisers can be assigned at any time. The commission has assigned for revision all topics which it was possible to assign within the funds at its disposal for the payment of revisers, and the members of the commission themselves have taken topics for revision.

As the work has progressed the stupendous size and the difficulties of the task have become more apparent, but the whole program of revision is being carried forward with all practicable speed consistent with accuracy and will be completed as soon as it is possible to do so.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC J. FAULKES,  
M. T. ROSENBERG,  
EDWARD L. KATZENBACH.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication and report be received and be spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
OF PENNSYLVANIA AND NEW JERSEY

Administration Building, Bridge Plaza

CAMDEN, N. J.

February 16th, 1929.

HON. GUY GABRIELSON,

Speaker, House of Assembly, Trenton, N. J.

*Dear Sir:*

The Delaware River Bridge Joint Commission has the honor to present the attached report of its activities for the year 1928 to the Legislature of New Jersey.

Additional copies have been forwarded to each member of your honorable body.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH K. COSTELLO,  
*General Manager.*

CHARLES R. BACON,  
*Assistant Secretary.*

AUDIT REPORT  
DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

December 31, 1928

*February First, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-Nine*

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION

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February 1, 1929.

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION,  
Administration Building,  
Camden, New Jersey.

GENTLEMEN—We have completed the annual audit of the accounting records of the

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

for the year ended December 31, 1928, and herein present our report embodying comments, balance sheets, statements of earnings and expenses growing out of the operation of the bridge for the year just concluded, the accumulation of earnings to date and other data.

The bridge has been open to traffic and in operation since July 1, 1926. For the two and one-half years elapsed since that date, net earnings have amounted to \$5,490,291.54. A total amount of \$5,489,801.54 has been refunded to the three participants in the project—the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the State of New Jersey and the city of Philadelphia, in accordance with the terms of the tolls agreement of 1926.

Net earnings for this period exceeded the amount originally anticipated by \$2,158,088.66. Comparison of the actual with the estimated revenue is more clearly presented in a tabulation appearing on a later page of this report.

The tolls agreement of 1926 between the Pennsylvania Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the New Jersey Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission of the State of New Jersey under the terms of which the bridge is operated requires that a supplement thereto, to be known as schedule C, should be executed upon the completion of the construction of the bridge. In accordance with this provision, authority was given us to establish schedule C. This was done as of June 30, 1928, interest during the period of construction being calculated at the rates and in the manner set forth in our report on the subject dated October 1, 1928. Due to unsettled real estate claims which of necessity were included in this computation at an approximate estimate, the figures contained in said schedule C are subject to future revision.

The operating balance sheet, schedule B of this report, sets forth the cost of the bridge including the interest accrued to December 31, 1928, interest accruing between June 30, 1928,

and December 31, 1928, having been added to that set forth in our report as of June 30, 1928, to which reference is made above.

It is worthy of note that in the case of the State of New Jersey, the total amount reimbursed has been sufficient to defray all interest accrued to date and to also reduce the principal by \$103,690.19. With respect to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the city of Philadelphia, refunds from earnings have been made to the extent of liquidating to within \$197,839.67 and \$193,984.43, respectively, all interest accruals to date. The next semiannual distribution of earnings will be sufficient to effect the payment of all back as well as current interest up to that date with an excess sum to apply against the principal with respect to each of the three participants.

The accounting records generally were found in excellent condition. The pages which follow deal with the scope of the audit, further explanations of the figures and statements contained in this report, suggestions for the further improvement of the system and other matters of interest to which attention is invited.

Respectfully submitted,

MAIN & COMPANY,  
*Certified Public Accountants.*

#### GENERAL SCOPE OF AUDIT

This examination embraced both the bridge construction records and the bridge operating records. It included a detailed audit of all income including the interest allowed by banks on deposits; and all disbursements. Confirmations by the various banks of the balances before the distribution of December 31, 1928, were obtained. The minutes were examined for authorizations of disbursements, changes in personnel and increases in salaries. Neither this audit nor any of our previous ones included an examination and check of the deeds and documents supporting the acquisition of real estate for bridge purposes. We feel, however, that an audit covering this phase of the bridge records should be completed in order to ascertain that all necessary papers have been obtained and are intact.

## APPROPRIATION BALANCE SHEET—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Schedule A of this report represents the appropriation balance sheet. It shows the cost of the bridge, exclusive of interest, to date; the remaining available appropriations; the construction cash balance and the sources from which derived. Of the available appropriations in the total sum of \$966,351.95, an amount of \$360,013.86 is reserved for the settlement of the remaining Pennsylvania real estate claims still pending. Where further analysis is relevant, the items of this balance sheet are amplified by detailed schedules.

The cost of the bridge to date as set forth on the appropriation balance sheet amounted to \$36,496,012.62. This amount also appears on the operating balance sheet, schedule B, as the principal amount of the liability to be amortized through the collection of tolls.

## OPERATING BALANCE SHEET

The operating balance sheet is shown in schedule B. It sets forth the cost of the bridge, plus interest accrued to December 31, 1928, at 4 per cent. per annum from the dates of contributions by each of the respective contributors. Including interest, the cost of the bridge to date is shown as \$42,273,948.07. Against this amount the net earnings to date, in the sum of \$5,490,291.54 have been applied, leaving a balance of \$36,784,146.53 to be refunded and applied toward the cost of the bridge with interest from future earnings.

With respect to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the city of Philadelphia, refunds to date have not been quite sufficient to meet the accrued interest accumulations; but in the case of the State of New Jersey, all accrued interest has been met and \$103,690.19 applied on the principal.

## INCOME

The earnings and expenses for the year just concluded as well as the cumulative revenue and expenses for the two and one-half years that the bridge has been in operation are set forth on schedules B-1 and B-2 of this report. The cumulative net earnings amounted to \$5,490,291.54, of which all with the exception of \$490.00 petty cash balance, has been returned to the participants.

Actual net earnings have exceeded the original estimates by \$2,158,088 66. This excess, together with the annual percentage of increase is set forth in the following summary:

	<i>July 1 to Dec. 31, 1926 6 Months</i>	<i>Jan 1 to Dec. 31, 1927 12 Months</i>	<i>Jan 1 to Dec. 31, 1928 12 Months</i>	<i>July 1, 1926 Dec. 31, 1928 30 Months</i>
Actual Tolls Receipts . . . . .	\$1,103,046.45	\$2,409,337.43	\$2,804,066 05	\$6,316,449 93
Actual Expenses	158,352.64	346,610 80	378,397 83	883,361.27
Actual Net Receipts . . . . .	\$944,693.81	\$2,062,726 63	\$2,425,668 22	\$5,433,088 66
Actual Ratio of Increase in Net Receipts . . . . .		(27.9%)	(17.6%)	
Estimated Tolls Receipts . . . . .	\$756,250 00	\$1,681,250.00	\$1,837,500.00	\$4,275,000 00
Estimated Expenses . . . . .	200,000.00	400,000.00	400,000 00	1,000,000 00
Estimated Net Receipts . . . . .	\$556,250.00	\$1,281,250.00	\$1,437,500.00	\$3,275,000 00
Estimated Ratio of Increase . . . . .		(15.2%)	(12.2%)	
Excess of Actual over Estimated	\$388,443.81	\$781,476.63	\$988,168.22	\$2,158,088 66

The excess of the actual over the estimated net earnings has been equivalent to 66 per cent. of the estimated total to date. This indicates the contributors to the cost of the bridge will be reimbursed in full much sooner than was originally anticipated.

#### TOLLS

Recommendations contained in our report of a year ago relative to the procedure of handling the tolls register records were carried out with the result that improvement was noted in the chain of records supporting the collection of tolls and the records were more amenable to complete audit. We were able to trace the readings of the registers and account therefor in cash deposited to within a very small amount for the entire year. However, there were some discrepancies noted, between the readings reported by Money Meters, Inc., when returning the registers to the bridge and the readings at which these same registers were entered on the records when placed in service, for which we could not account. There were quite a number of instances showing a difference of one number. Cases in which the difference was more than one are listed below:

<i>Meter Number</i>	<i>Meter Reading Per Letter from Factory</i>	<i>Meter Reading Per Teller's Register Record</i>	<i>DIFFERENCE</i>	
			<i>Numbers</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
7581	89505	89507	2	.50
7578	18746	18749	3	.75
7584	36470	36407	63	15.75
9900	38660	38687	27	6.75
9901	320	345	25	6.25
9902	33885	33894	9	2.25
9903	26200	26230	30	7.50
9906	34230	34232	2	.50
9909	17410	17412	2	.50

There were also a few differences for which we could not account between the readings reported by the bridge to the factory when returning registers for repairs and the readings of the same registers last entered in the records. These differences in only two cases exceeded one number and the money value involved only amounted to \$3.75.

In addition to the factory reporting by letter the readings of the registers when returning them to the bridge, it also should acknowledge the receipt of the registers citing the reading of each when received. If this were done, as recommended in our last report, a complete external check of the register readings while out of service could be accomplished.

Register number 9929, according to a notation in the register reading record, was treated from 78364 to 78795, or 431 tolls, by the teller's department. Such an exhaustive test would appear to be unusual. We recommend that the tests should be made only by officials selected by the general manager, who are not directly connected with the tolls department.

#### INTEREST ALLOWED BY BANKS

Total interest allowed by the several depositories, during the year 1928 amounted to \$18,809.73, as compared to \$15,886.22 for the preceding year. We calculated the interest and compared the result with the amount allowed by the bank in each instance. In all but two cases, the differences were such as might be caused by differences in dates due to funds in transit. The two exceptions should be subject to further inquiry. They are as follows:

	<i>Interest Allowed by Bank</i>	<i>Our Calculation</i>	<i>Difference</i>
Burlington County Trust Co. ...	\$992.81	\$1,073 55	\$80.74
Franklin Trust Company .....	1,093.20	1,154 94	61 74
Totals .....	<u>\$2,086 01</u>	<u>\$2,228.49</u>	<u>\$142.48</u>

## EXPENSES

Total expenses for the year amounted to \$378,397.83, and for the two and one-half years \$883,361.27, of which \$677,779.40 represented salaries. The operating books being maintained on a cash basis, unpaid bills at the end of the year in the amount of \$3,621.46 are not included in the above figures or in the statements accompanying this report.

The expenditures of the Joint Commission were, with the exception of a few of those pertaining to settlements of real estate claims, in connection with the construction records, evidenced by vouchers approved by the general manager. Approval of the expenditures by the Joint Commission were also recorded in the minutes.

It has not been the practice for the commission to take advantage of cash discounts offered by various vendors for prompt payment of invoices. We believe several hundred dollars per annum could be saved if cash discount terms were complied with and the deductions availed of.

A more appropriate and amplified classification of expense accounts, that is designed to furnish a more complete analysis of the expenses than has hitherto been practicable with the classification in use, is suggested. This classification, which should entail but little more bookkeeping than has previously been done, is recommended for use beginning with January 1, 1929. The classification suggested follows:

*Tolls Collection Department*

- Salaries
- Equipment
- Uniforms
- Other Supplies
- Repairs to Equipment
- Rental of Registers
- Insurance
- Miscellaneous Expense

*Police Department*

- Salaries
- Equipment
- Uniforms
- Vehicular Expense
- Other Supplies
- Insurance
- Miscellaneous Expense

*Administration*

Salaries  
 Office Equipment  
 Printing, Postage and Office Supplies  
 Communications  
 Expenses of Commissioners  
 Insurance  
 Fuel  
 Miscellaneous Expense

*Maintenance Department*

Salaries  
 Equipment  
 Electric Current  
 Other Supplies  
 Repairs to Bridge Structure and Buildings  
 Repairs to Equipment  
 Paving Renewals  
 Painting  
 Vehicular Expense  
 Insurance  
 Miscellaneous Expense

*Cleaning Department*

Salaries  
 Equipment  
 Vehicular Expense  
 Other Supplies  
 Insurance  
 Snow Removal  
 Miscellaneous Expense

## INSURANCE

A list of the insurance carried and in force at December 31, 1928 is given in schedule C.

Depository surety bonds for all the banks in which funds of the Joint Commission were on deposit, with the exception of the Burlington County Trust Company, were inspected by us. The bond in behalf of the latter bank expired on November 17, 1928 and up to the time of the examination, January 5, 1929, no renewal certificate had been received. It was also observed that in two instances the deposits at the end of the year materially exceeded the amounts of the bonds. These cases, which are pointed out for such steps as are deemed desirable, are as follows:

	<i>Amount of Bond</i>	<i>Balance on Deposit December 31, 1928</i>
Northern Trust Company .....	\$25,000.00	\$50,488.81
Broadway Merchants Trust Co. ....	\$100,000.00	\$325,840.96

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION  
DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

SCHEDULE A

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION  
APPROPRIATION BALANCE SHEET—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION  
December 31, 1928

<i>Assets</i>		
Cash (Schedule A-1) .....		\$71,562.96
<i>Appropriation Available</i>		
City of Philadelphia .....	\$472,148.50	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....	472,148.56	
State of New Jersey .....	22,054.89	
	<hr/>	\$966,351.95
<i>Cost of Bridge</i>		
Real Estate:		
Pennsylvania .....	\$7,437,754.15	
New Jersey .....	3,437,080.34	
	<hr/>	\$10,874,834.49
Construction (Schedule A-2) .....	23,517,973.24	
Engineering (Schedule A-3) .....	1,650,266.53	
Administration (Schedule A-4) .....	399,570.04	
Tolls Preliminary Expenditures .....	53,368.32	
	<hr/>	\$36,496,012.62
Total Assets .....		\$37,533,927.53
<i>Liabilities and Investment</i>		
<i>Appropriation Advances—Unadjusted Items</i>		
City of Philadelphia (Schedule A-5) .....	\$3,265.81	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Schedule A-6) .....	25,486.56	
	<hr/>	\$28,752.37
<i>Interest Received on Bank Deposits</i>		
City of Philadelphia .....	\$4,102.64	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....	9,484.38	
State of New Jersey .....	6,854.51	
	<hr/>	\$20,441.53
<i>Miscellaneous Income (Schedule A-7)</i>		
City of Philadelphia .....	\$4,908.71	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....	4,908.71	
State of New Jersey .....	12,551.64	
	<hr/>	\$22,369.06
Sub-Total .....		\$71,562.96

*Appropriations Unexpended*

## Appropriations Unapplied:

City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$292,141.55	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania . . . . .	292,141.64	
State of New Jersey . . . . .	22,054.90	
		<u>\$606,338.09</u>

*Appropriation Reserved for Pennsylvania  
Real Estate Settlements Pending*

City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$180,006.93	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania . . . . .	180,006.93	
		<u>\$360,013.86</u>

\$966,351.95

*Bridge Investment*

City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$10,312,513.50	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania . . . . .	10,312,513.44	
State of New Jersey . . . . .	15,870,985.68	
		<u>\$36,496,012.62</u>

Total Liabilities and Appropriation Investment ... \$37,533,927.53

## SCHEDULE A-1

## DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

January 1, 1928 to December 31, 1928

Cash Balance, January 1, 1928 ..... \$16,385.16

*Receipts*

## From Appropriations

City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$43,247.24	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania . . . . .	250,000.00	
State of New Jersey . . . . .	3,435.49	
		<u>\$296,682.73</u>

## Miscellaneous Income and Refunds

Interest on Bank Balances . . . . .	1,098.94	
Proceeds from Sales of Final Report . . . . .	362.00	
Refund of Attorney's Commission re: Property Settlements . . . . .	57.80	
		<u>1,518.74</u>

Total Receipts ..... \$298,201.47

Total Cash ..... \$314,586.63

*Disbursements*

Construction . . . . .	\$270.59
Retained on Contracts . . . . .	1,208.24
Pennsylvania Real Estate . . . . .	239,986.14
Engineering . . . . .	432.00
Administration . . . . .	1,126.70
	<u>243,023.67</u>

Total Disbursements ..... \$243,023.67

Cash Balance, December 31, 1928 ..... \$71,562.96

## DEPOSITORIES

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Corn Exchange National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	\$68,748.91
First Camden National Bank and Trust Company, Camden, New Jersey .....	2,814.05
Total .....	<u>\$71,562.96</u>

## SCHEDULE A-2

## DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

## CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

December 31, 1928

<i>Contract No.</i>	<i>Date of Contract</i>	<i>Contractor</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	8-31-21	Penna. Drilling Company	Test Borings	\$15,975.87
2	12-21-21	Holbrook, Cabot and Rollins Corporation and Keystone State Construction Co.	River Piers	1,641,878.95
3	1-13-21	Charles D. Heavey	Demolition of Buildings on site of Philadelphia Anchorage	8,499.99
4	6-22-22	Holbrook, Cabot and Rollins Corporation and Keystone State Construction Co.	Philadelphia Anchorage	916,841.05
5	6- 2-22	Holbrook, Cabot and Rollins Corporation and Keystone State Construction Co.	Camden Anchorage	1,217,811.58
6	12- 1-22	Bethlehem Steel Company	Two Steel Towers on River Piers	1,440,571.02
7	7-20-23	American Bridge Company	Anchorage Cable Bents	357,247.80
8	9-21-25	Keystone State Construction Company	Two Cables	2,566,175.41
9-A	1-18-24	Sorrentino and Company	Demolition of Buildings, Philadelphia, Pa., between Front and Second Streets	11,300.00
9-B	1-18-24	Sorrentino and Company	Demolition of Buildings, Philadelphia, Pa., between Second and Third Streets	59,900.00
9-C	12-21-23	J J. McHugh	Demolition of Buildings, Philadelphia, Pa., between Third and Fourth Streets	9,363.00
9-D	1-18-24	Sorrentino and Company	Demolition of Buildings, Philadelphia, Pa., between Fourth and Fifth Streets	18,900.00
9-E	12-12-23	Jump House Wrecking Company	Demolition of Buildings, Philadelphia, Pa., between Fifth and Sixth Streets	*
10-A	1-18-24	Charles D Heavey	Demolition of Buildings, Camden, N. J., between Delaware Avenue and Second Street	47,000.00

10-B	1-18-24	George A. Klinges	Demolition of Buildings, Camden, N. J., between Second and Fourth Streets	7,800.00
10-C	12-21-23	Charles D. Heavey	Demolition of Buildings, Camden, N. J., between Fourth and Sixth Streets	3,400.00
10-D	12-21-23	Jump House Wrecking Company	Demolition of Buildings, Camden, N. J., between Sixth and Seventh Streets	*
11	2-25-24	Frederick Snare Corporation	Philadelphia Approach	217,997.75
12	2-25-24	H. G. Ley and Company	Camden Approach	310,766.44
13	3-21-24	Keystone State Construction Company	Cable-Bands, Suspenders and Hand Ropes	397,317.40
14	3-21-24	American Bridge Company	Superstructure of Bridge	2,864,231.82
15	6-30-24	Keystone State Construction Company	Completion of Anchorages	2,991,835.15
16	6- 6-24	Lombardi, Inc	Laying Sewers Philadelphia Approach	165,319.75
17	7-21-24	American Bridge Company	Structural Metal Work Philadelphia Approach	1,428,411.85
18	7-21-24	American Bridge Company	Structural Metal Work Camden Approach	1,702,731.89
19	9-19-24	Mazzola and Marano	Philadelphia Bridge Approach	418,363.67
20	12-19-24	O'Neill and Company	Camden Approach from Third Street to East of Fifth Street	408,207.49
21-A	4-17-25	Rivet Grip Steel Company	Furnishing Steel Trusses for Roadway Base	145,009.68
21-B	6-29-25	Francis J. Boas	Concrete Slabs and Paving of the Roadways and Footwalks	785,262.09
22	6-19-25	Acchione and Canuso	Philadelphia Approach Fifth to Sixth Streets and Work on Adjacent Streets	965,326.31
22-B	3- 5-26	Richards-Kelly Company	Excavation of Excess Material Philadelphia Approach Fifth to Sixth Streets	19,813.50
23	7-17-25	Mazzola and Marano	Paving, etc, under Philadelphia Approach	516,342.25
23-B	5-20-27	Union Paving Company	Demolition of Field Office Pier 11½	5,837.00
24	3- 5-26	Ford and Kendig	Miscellaneous Metal Work	630,071.54
24-B	5-21-26	George B. Clopp	Additional Pipe Railings and Screens	13,691.27
25	3- 5-26	W Pangborne and Company	Electrical Equipment	239,514.87
26	3- 5-26	Keystone State Construction Company	Wrapping the Cables	139,000.00
27	3- 5-26	O'Neill and Company	Grading, Paving and Other Work for Camden Approach, Fifth to Seventh Street	167,081.00
28	3-19-26	O'Neill and Company	Completion of Camden Approach	268,225.23
28-B	8-19-26	O'Neill and Company	Fifth Street Underpass at Camden Approach	**4,678.62

\* Money paid to Joint Commission; treated as Miscellaneous Income.

\*\* Represents 50 Per Cent of Contract; 50 Per Cent Refunded by City of Camden.

## SCHEDULE A-2—Continued

<i>Contract No.</i>	<i>Date of Contract</i>	<i>Contractor</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Total</i>
29-A	5- 7-26	Mazzola and Marano .....	Equipment for Operating Bridge .....	25,409.27
29-B	5-21-26	Bulman Brothers .....	Plumbing and Gas Heating for Toll Houses and Booths .....	7,984.00
29-C	9-30-26	Mazzola and Marano .....	Alterations to Fourth Street Abutment, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	19,483.89
29-D	10-15-26	John Borden and Brother .....	Plumbing Equipment for Fourth Street Abutment, Philadelphia Approach .....	2,363.52
29-E	10-15-26	McClintock and Company .....	Heating Equipment for Fourth Street Abutment .....	2,693.00
29-F	10-15-26	W. V. Pangborne and Company .....	Electrical Equipment—Fourth Street Abutment .....	3,831.00
29-G	11-19-26	Ford and Kendig .....	Equipment for Operation of Signal Lights .....	47,139.12
30	6-21-26	David Salkind .....	Painting Bridge .....	78,996.80
31-A	7-16-26	David Lutz and Company .....	Construction of Administration Building .....	134,707.64
31-B	7-16-26	Mazzola and Marano .....	Plumbing and Draining Equipment for Administration Building .....	6,152.97
31-C	7-16-26	Mazzola and Marano .....	Heating Equipment—Administration Building .....	6,200.00
31-D	7-16-26	Strang Electric Company .....	Electrical Equipment—Administration Building .....	7,425.52
None		Friel-McLeister, Inc. ....	Remodeling Field Office .....	8,440.00
None		Charles D. Heavey .....	Demolition of Buildings—234 N. Fifth Street .....	599.00
		Preliminary Work and Miscellaneous Construction .....		38,846.27
		Total Cost of Construction .....		<u>\$23,517,973.24</u>

## SCHEDULE A-3

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
ENGINEERING EXPENSES—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Accumulated to December 31, 1928

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Salaries and Expense—Board of Engineers . . .	\$332,844.00
Engineering Department Salaries . . . . .	644,096.03
Field Office Salaries . . . . .	410,075.69
Engineering Furniture and Equipment . . . . .	16,910.17
Engineering Office Rent . . . . .	70,696.78
Blue Prints, Engravings, Photos, Etc. . . . .	35,001.48
Engineering Department Insurance . . . . .	4,671.62
Advertising . . . . .	8,262.38
Field Expense . . . . .	26,388.70
General Traveling Expense . . . . .	24,132.00
Miscellaneous Engineering Supplies and Expense	63,813.88
Material Tests . . . . .	13,373.80
Total . . . . .	<u>\$1,650,266.53</u>

## SCHEDULE A-4

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

Accumulated to December 31, 1928

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Salaries of Officers . . . . .	\$90,501.79
Administrative Office Salaries . . . . .	30,019.05
Commissioners' Expenses . . . . .	3,601.23
Administrative Furniture and Equipment . . . . .	10,836.40
Administrative Office Rent . . . . .	36,672.22
Administrative Office Supplies and Expense . . . . .	28,604.73
Telephone and Telegrams . . . . .	11,582.10
Postage . . . . .	9,796.14
Administrative Insurance . . . . .	2,846.60
Administrative Traveling Expense . . . . .	1,782.04
Subscriptions . . . . .	352.97
General Legal Expense . . . . .	134,074.89
Legal Expense—State of New Jersey re: Tolls . . .	12,634.25
Miscellaneous Administrative Supplies and Expense	26,265.63
Total . . . . .	<u>\$399,570.04</u>

## SCHEDULE A-5

## DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

## UNADJUSTED ITEMS, CITY OF PHILADELPHIA—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

December 31, 1928

<i>Description</i>	<i>Amounts Paid by Joint Commission</i>	<i>Amounts Received from and Credits Due City of Philadelphia</i>	<i>Amounts Owing by City of Philadelphia</i>	<i>Amounts Paid in Advance by City of Philadelphia</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
208 North Randolph Street .....	\$1,931.13	\$1,900 00	\$31.13		Settlement Charges to be Collected
321-27 New Street and 324-28 Vine Street and 249 North 4th Street ..	5,926.50	5,875.00	51.50		Settlement Charges to be Collected
142-44 North 4th Street .....	41,353.12	41,250.00	103 12		Settlement Charges to be Collected
240-42-44 North 5th Street and 505 Summer Street .....	30,177 37	30,000 00	177 37		Settlement Charges to be Collected
116 Summer Street .....		1,308.00		\$1,308 00	Settlement Pending
206 North 5th Street .. .	4,060 26	4,160 26		100 00	Excess Collected
333 New Street .....		650.00		650 00	Settlement Pending
335 New Street .....		550 00		550 00	Settlement Pending
121 Race Street .....	1,764 38	1,375.00	389.38		Balance to be Collected
Petty Cash .....		.01		.01	Error
308-10-12-14 Florist Street and 313-15-17 Race Street .....		35.75		35.75	Excess Collected
516 Vine Street and 513 Summer Street .....		343.79		343.79	Excess Collected

135 Florist Street.....		31.00		31.00	Excess Collected
Ford and Kendig .....		1,092.60		1,092.60	Credit Due
Schedule No. 77 .....		.01		.01	Error
316-21-22 Florist Street and 308-10 New Street .....	50.00		50.50		Not Collected
Guilbert and Lewis—Stenographic Service .....	28.70		28.70		Not Collected
Guilbert and Lewis—Stenographic Service .....	13 65		13 65		Not Collected
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Total .....	\$85,305 61	\$88,571.42	\$845 35	\$4,111.16	
Deduct .....		85,305.61		845.35	
Net amount prepaid by City of Philadelphia .....		<hr/>		<hr/>	
		\$3,265.81		\$3,265.81	

BRIDGE OPERATION  
DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

SCHEDULE B

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

BALANCE SHEET—BRIDGE OPERATION

December 31, 1928

	<i>Assets</i>		
<i>Cost of Bridge</i> (Schedule A)	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest</i>	<i>Total</i>
City of Philadelphia .....	\$10,312,513.50	\$1,566,434.82	\$11,878,948.32
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....	10,312,513.44	1,570,290.06	11,882,803.50
State of New Jersey .....	15,870,985.68	2,641,210.57	18,512,196.25
Total Cost of Bridge .....	36,496,012.62	5,777,935.45	42,273,948.07
<i>Cash Balance</i> (Schedules B-1 and B-3) .....			42,273,948.07
			490.00
Total Assets .....			\$42,274,438.07
	<i>Applied Surplus and Liabilities</i>		
<i>Net Earnings</i> (Schedule B-1)	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest</i>	<i>Total</i>
Refunded and Applied to Date:			
City of Philadelphia .....		\$1,372,450.39	\$1,372,450.39
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....		1,372,450.39	1,372,450.39
State of New Jersey .....	\$103,690.19	2,641,210.57	2,744,900.76
Total Refunded .....	\$103,690.19	5,386,111.35	5,489,801.54
Undistributed Cash Balance .....			490.00
Total Earnings .....			\$5,490,291.54

*Balance to be Refunded and Applied from Future Earnings*

City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$10,312,513 50	\$193,984.43	\$10,506,497.93	
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania . . . . .	10,312,513 44	197,839 67	10,510,353 11	
State of New Jersey . . . . .	15,767,295 49	.. .. .	15,767,295 49	
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Total to be Refunded . . . . .	\$36,392,322.43	\$391,824 10	\$36,784,146 53	\$36,784,146 53
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Total Earnings and Liabilities . . . . .	\$36,496,012 62	\$5,777,935 45	\$42,273,948.07	\$42,274,438.07

## SCHEDULE A-6

## DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

UNADJUSTED ITEMS, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA—  
BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

December 31, 1928

Total Amount Advanced by Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ...	\$10,338,000.00
Total Accountings Filed and Credited Per Records of Auditor General .....	\$10,329,164.17
Deduct:	
Duplicate Accounting and Credits:	
Duplicate Accounting credited on Requisition of April 30, 1926, and not Adjusted by the Depart- ment of the Auditor General ..	\$42,640.59
Duplicate Accounting on Requisi- tion Filed April 14, 1926 ..	388.09
Commonwealth's share of Refunds and Credits for 1926 .....	277.68
Commonwealth's share of Refunds and Credits for 1927 .....	139.23
Credit Due on Account of Re- distribution of Voucher No. 18389:	
Amount Accounted for \$610.87	
Corrected Distribution. 305.44	
	305.43
Penny Difference Unadjusted .....	.04
Total Credits Due .....	43,751.06
Net Accountings .....	10,285,413.11
Balance to be Accounted for .....	\$52,586.89

## Deduct:

Commonwealth's Share of Disbursements Not Yet Submitted on Accounting Requisitions:

<i>Date Paid</i>	<i>Voucher Number</i>	<i>Name</i>	
Oct 1925	20069	Francis J. Boas .....	\$24,614.09
June 1926	20129	Charles E. Hires Company ..	4.25
Aug. 1926	17302	F. W. Hoffman Company ...	244.95
Sept. 1926	17460	C. R. Hoskins Company....	1.46
Sept. 1926	17466	National Fire Protection Co.	4.37
Oct. 1926	17615	Acchione and Canuso Pav- ing Co. . . . .	98.02
Nov. 1926	17853	Petty Cash . . . . .	124.87
Jan. 1927	18092	Evening Bulletin . . . . .	9.50
Feb. 1927	18235	John W. Gilles . . . . .	45.00
Mar. 1927	18360	John W. Gilles . . . . .	31.50
Mar. 1927	18639	J. Lee Patton . . . . .	.25
Aug. 1928		Guilbert & Lewis . . . . .	64.85
		316-21-22 Florist Street and	

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<i>Date Paid</i>	<i>Voucher Number</i>	<i>Name</i>	
Oct. 1928	18767	308-10 New Street .....	50.50
Nov. 1928	18768	121 Race Street .....	1,764.37
Nov. 1928	18769	- Guilbert & Lewis .....	13.65
Dec. 1928	18765	Guilbert & Lewis .....	28.70
Total Disbursements to be Accounted for .....			<u>\$27,100.33</u>
Net Amount Paid in Advance by Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .....			<u>\$25,486 56</u>

SCHEDULE A-7

DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME—BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

December 31, 1928

APPLICATION

<i>Description</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>City of Philadelphia</i>	<i>Commonwealth of Pennsylvania</i>	<i>Stat of New Jersey</i>
Real Estate Taxes Reimbursed .....	\$881 30	.....	.....	\$881.30
Rentals from Real Estate .....	2,113 03	\$388 92	\$388 92	1,335 19
Attorney's Commission Reimbursed .....	3,305 17	1,652.33	1,652 34	50
Reimbursement for Lost Article .....	5.13	1 28	1 28	2 57
Sale of Scrap .....	20.70	5.17	5.17	10.36
Sales of Surplus Granite ..	300 00	75 00	75 00	150 00
Sales of Final Report .....	942 02	235.51	235.50	471 01
Demolition of Buildings Between Fifth and Sixth Streets, Philadelphia, Penna.—Contract No 9-E ..	5,101.00	2,550 50	2,550 50	.....
Demolition of Buildings Between Sixth and Seventh Streets, Camden, N. J.—Contract No 10-D ..	2,812.00	.....	.....	2,812 00
Transfer of Funds from Delaware River Bridge and Tunnel Commission ..	6,888 71	.....	.....	6,888.71
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b><u>\$22,369.06</u></b>	<b><u>\$4,908 71</u></b>	<b><u>\$4,908 71</u></b>	<b><u>\$12,551.64</u></b>

SCHEDULE B-1  
DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
EARNINGS AND EXPENSES—BRIDGE OPERATION

FOR PERIODS INDICATED

	<i>July 1 to Dec. 31, 1926 6 Months</i>	<i>Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1927 12 Months</i>	<i>Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1928 12 Months</i>	<i>July 1, 1926; Dec. 31, 1928 30 Months</i>
Earnings—				
Bridge Tolls .....	\$1,103,105.50	\$2,409,465.19	\$2,804,194.63	\$6,316,765.32
Less: Counterfeit and Mutilated Coins .....	59.05	127.76	128.58	315.39
Net Tolls Collected .....	<u>\$1,103,046.45</u>	<u>\$2,409,337.43</u>	<u>\$2,804,066.05</u>	<u>\$6,316,449.93</u>
Interest on Bank Deposits .....	7,051.93	15,886.22	18,809.73	41,747.88
Rental Income .....	.....	10,555.00	4,900.00	15,455.00
Total Earnings .....	<u>\$1,110,098.38</u>	<u>\$2,435,778.65</u>	<u>\$2,827,775.78</u>	<u>\$6,373,652.81</u>
Expenses (Schedule B-2)—				
Collection of Tolls .....	\$47,862.98	\$78,595.56	\$80,457.29	\$206,915.83
Police Department .....	62,458.97	114,576.42	115,464.83	292,500.22
Operation and Maintenance of Bridge .....	32,809.95	114,520.46	118,678.67	266,009.08
Administration .....	15,220.74	38,918.36	63,797.04	117,936.14
Total Expenses .....	<u>\$158,352.64</u>	<u>\$346,610.80</u>	<u>\$378,397.83</u>	<u>\$883,361.27</u>
Net Earnings .....	\$951,745.74	\$2,089,167.85	\$2,449,377.95	\$5,490,291.54
Cash Balance Beginning .....	.....	5,062.91	308.87	.....
Amount Available for Distribution ...	<u>\$951,745.74</u>	<u>\$2,094,230.76</u>	<u>\$2,449,686.82</u>	<u>\$5,490,291.54</u>

## SCHEDULE B-1—(Cont.)

	<i>July 1 to Dec. 31, 1926 6 Months</i>	<i>Jan 1 to Dec 31, 1927 12 Months</i>	<i>Jan 1 to Dec 31, 1928 12 Months</i>	<i>July 1, 1926; Dec. 31, 1928 30 Months</i>
Distribution—				
City of Philadelphia . . . . .	\$236,670.71	\$523,480 47	\$612,299.21	\$1,372,450.39
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania .. . . .	236,670.71	523,480 47	612,299 21	1,372,450 39
State of New Jersey .. . . .	473,341.41	1,046,960 95	1,224,598 40	2,744,900.76
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Total Distribution . . . . .	\$946,682 83	\$2,093,921.89	\$2,449,196 82	\$5,489,801 54
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Cash Balance, ending (Schedule B-3)..	<u>\$5,062.91</u>	<u>\$308 87</u>	<u>\$490 00</u>	<u>\$490 00</u>

## SCHEDULE B-2

### DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

#### EXPENSES—BRIDGE OPERATION FOR PERIODS INDICATED

	<i>July 1 to Dec. 31, 1926 6 Months</i>	<i>Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1927 12 Months</i>	<i>Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1928 12 Months</i>	<i>July 1, 1926, to Dec. 31, 1928 30 Months</i>
Collection of Tolls—				
Salaries .....	\$39,796.60	\$72,641.82	\$74,549.16	\$186,987.58
Equipment and Supplies .....	5,500.98	1,805.56	3,223.73	10,530.27
Miscellaneous Expense .....	2,565.40	4,148.18	2,684.40	9,397.98
Total .....	\$47,862.98	\$78,595.56	\$80,457.29	\$206,915.83
Police Department—				
Salaries .....	\$51,413.31	\$103,432.41	\$104,451.42	\$259,297.14
Equipment and Supplies .....	7,757.92	5,086.63	5,049.67	17,894.22
Miscellaneous Expense .....	3,287.74	6,057.38	5,963.74	15,308.86
Total .....	\$62,458.97	\$114,576.42	\$115,464.83	\$292,500.22
Operation and Maintenance—				
Salaries .....	\$11,209.90	\$56,403.48	\$67,086.55	\$134,699.93
Equipment and Supplies .....	5,570.60	25,673.97	12,432.92	43,677.49
Electric Current .....	10,866.87	20,684.61	20,758.10	52,309.58
Snow Removal .....	1,767.80	5,601.50	7,072.77	14,442.07
Repairs to Bridge Structure .....	1,222.17	1,766.32	3,247.52	6,236.01
Janitor .....	.....	1,056.10	1,076.04	2,132.14
Painting .....	.....	572.22	759.38	1,331.60
Fuel and Water .....	204.05	555.82	2,738.71	3,498.58

## SCHEDULE B-2—(Cont.)

	<i>July 1 to Dec. 31, 1926 6 Months</i>	<i>Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1927 12 Months</i>	<i>Jan 1 to Dec. 31, 1928 12 Months</i>	<i>July 1, 1926, to Dec. 31, 1928 30 Months</i>
Engineering and Inspection .....	.....	283.02	299 47	582 49
Paving Repairs .....	.....	.....	1,905 87	1,905 87
Miscellaneous Expense .....	1,968.56	1,923.42	1,301 34	5,193.32
Total .....	<u>\$32,809.95</u>	<u>\$114,520 46</u>	<u>\$118,678 67</u>	<u>\$266,009 08</u>
Administration—				
Salaries .....	\$12,012.40	\$32,825.09	\$51,957 26	\$96,794 75
Equipment and Supplies .....	1,162.19	1,781.16	3,053 74	5,997.09
Miscellaneous Expense .....	2,046.15	4,312.11	8,786.04	15,144 30
Total .....	<u>\$15,220.74</u>	<u>\$38,918 36</u>	<u>\$63,797 04</u>	<u>\$117,936 14</u>
Total of all Expenses .....	<u>\$158,352 64</u>	<u>\$346,610 80</u>	<u>\$378,397 83</u>	<u>\$883,361 27</u>
Recapitulation—				
Total Salaries .....	\$114,432 21	\$265,302 80	\$298,044.39	\$677,779 40
Total Other Expenses .....	43,920 43	81,308 00	80,353.44	205,581 87
Total all Expenses .....	<u>\$158,352 64</u>	<u>\$346,610 80</u>	<u>\$378,397 83</u>	<u>\$883,361 27</u>

## SCHEDULE B-3

### DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION

#### BANK DEPOSITS—BRIDGE OPERATION

January 1 to December 31, 1928

<i>Banks</i>	<i>Balance Jan. 1, 1928</i>	<i>Net Deposits</i>	<i>Interest Earned</i>	<i>Net Deposits and Interest</i>	<i>City of Phila.</i>	<i>Distribution Year, 1928</i>		<i>Balance Dec. 31, 1928</i>
						<i>Common- wealth of Penn.</i>	<i>State of New Jersey</i>	
Corn Exchange National Bank and Trust Company, Phila- delphia, Pa. ....	.....	\$177,000.00	\$1,211.80	\$178,211.80	\$178,211.80	.....	.....	.....
Manayunk-Quaker City National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	.....	177,000.00	1,187.77	178,187.77	100,726.56	\$77,461.21	.....	.....
Jefferson Title and Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. . . .	.....	150,000.00	1,855.97	151,855.97	139,127.64	12,728.33	.....	.....
Northern Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	.....	142,500.00	890.36	143,390.36	40,189.77	103,200.59	.....	.....
Franklin Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	.....	166,500.00	1,093.20	167,593.20	.....	167,593.20	.....	.....
Kensington Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	.....	50,500.00	510.25	51,010.25	.....	25,742.22	\$25,268.03	.....
Northwestern Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	.....	100,000.00	812.53	100,812.53	.....	71,294.64	29,517.89	.....
Girard Avenue Title and Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. . . .	.....	93,000.00	690.71	93,690.71	.....	235.58	93,455.13	.....
Glassboro Title and Trust Company, Glassboro, N. J. . . .	.....	65,000.00	751.65	65,751.65	.....	.....	65,751.65	.....

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## SCHEDULE B-3—(Cont.)

<i>Banks</i>	<i>Balance Jan 1, 1928</i>	<i>Net Deposits</i>	<i>Interest Earned</i>	<i>Net Deposits and Interest</i>	<i>Distribution Year, 1928</i>			<i>Balance 31, 1928 Dec.</i>		
					<i>City of Phila</i>	<i>Common- wealth of Penn.</i>	<i>State of New Jersey</i>			
First National Bank of Glassboro, Glassboro, N. J. ....		125,000.00	942.48	125,942.48	.....	.....	125,942.48	.....		
Burlington County Trust Company, Moorestown, N. J. ...		150,000.00	992.81	150,992.81	.....	.....	150,992.81	.....		
Moorestown Trust Company, Moorestown, N. J. ....		100,000.00	874.43	100,874.43	.....	.....	100,874.43	.....		
Pitman Title and Trust Company, Pitman, N. J. ....		73,500.00	244.48	73,744.48	.....	.....	73,744.48	.....		
Merchantville Trust Company, Merchantville, N. J. ....		52,000.00	388.86	52,388.86	.....	.....	52,388.86	.....		
First Camden National Bank and Trust Company, Camden, N. J. ....		197,000.00	1,547.55	198,547.55	.....	.....	198,547.55	.....		
Broadway Merchants' Trust Camden, N. J.										
Inactive Account .....		586,105.68	4,559.17	590,664.85	} 154,043.44	154,043.44	286,577.97	.....		
Undeposited Cash .....		4,000.00		4,000.00			.....	.....	.....	.....
Active Account .....		21,281.41	255.71	21,537.12			.....	.....	21,537.12	.....
Pety Cash Account ...	\$308.87	181.13	.....	490.00	.....	.....	.....	490.00		
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$308.87</b>	<b>\$2,430,568.22</b>	<b>\$18,809.73</b>	<b>490.00</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>\$490.00</b>		

SCHEDULE C  
 DELAWARE RIVER BRIDGE JOINT COMMISSION  
 INSURANCE IN FORCE  
 December 31, 1928

<i>Date of Policy</i>	<i>Policy No.</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Covers</i>	<i>Expiration Date</i>	<i>Amount of Insurance</i>
Fire Insurance—					
May 31, 1927	2949442	Pennsylvania Fire Ins. Co. ....	Administration Building .....	May 31, 1932	\$100,000 00
May 31, 1927	2949443	Pennsylvania Fire Ins. Co. ....	Furniture and Fixtures in Admin- istration Building .....	May 31, 1932	5,000.00
Compensation In- surance—					
Aug. 20, 1928	US170920	Maryland Casualty Company ..	Workmen's Compensation .....	Aug. 20, 1929	Covered
Indemnity Bonds—					
July 1, 1928	1035753	National Surety Company .....	All Collectors ... .. Lieutenants in Toll Depts } Cashiers and Tellers ... }	July 1, 1929	\$1,000 00 Each 10,000.00 Each
Mar. 5, 1928	2217393	National Surety Company .....	Joseph K. Costello, Secretary- Treasurer and General Manager.	Mar. 5, 1929	200,000 00*
Depository Bonds—					
July 7, 1928	Not Numbered	National Surety Company .....	Jefferson Title and Trust Co. ....	July 7, 1929	75,000 00
Apr. 17, 1928	Not Numbered	National Surety Company .....	The Manayunk-Quaker City Na- tional Bank .....	Apr. 17, 1929	100,000.00
July 2, 1928	19531	National Surety Company .....	Corn Exchange National Bank and Trust Co. ....	July 2, 1929	100,000 00
Apr. 25, 1928	19527	National Surety Company .....	Kensington Trust Company .....	Apr. 25, 1929	25,000 00
Apr. 25, 1928	19526	National Surety Company .....	Northwestern Trust Company ..	Apr. 25, 1929	25,000 00
Apr. 22, 1928	SYR-29193	American Employers' Ins. Co. ....	Pitman Title and Trust Company	Apr. 22, 1929	50,000.00
July 16, 1928	19533	National Surety Company .....	Broadway Merchants Trust Co. ..	July 16, 1929	100,000 00
July 16, 1928	SY-15697	American Employers' Ins. Co. ....	Glassboro Title and Trust Co. ....	July 16, 1929	30,000 00

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SCHEDULE C—(Cont.)

<i>Date of Policy</i>	<i>Policy No.</i>	<i>Company</i>	<i>Covers</i>	<i>Expiration Date</i>	<i>Amount of Insurance</i>
June 22, 1928	SY-15034	American Employers' Ins. Co.	Glassboro Title and Trust Co.	June 22, 1929	2,000.00
Feb. 7, 1928	SYR-29079	American Employers' Ins. Co.	Glassboro Title and Trust Co.	Feb. 7, 1929	1,000.00
Aug. 2, 1928	19536	National Surety Company	First Camden National Bank and Trust Co.	Aug. 2, 1929	200,000.00
Sept. 23, 1928	19539	National Surety Company	Northern Trust Company	Sept. 23, 1929	100,000.00
Sept. 21, 1928	19540	National Surety Company	Franklin Trust Company	Sept. 21, 1929	100,000.00
Apr. 20, 1928	611202-B	American Surety Company	Grard Ave Title and Trust Co.	Apr. 20, 1929	50,000.00
Sept. 25, 1928	2346565	Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland	First National Bank of Glassboro.	Sept. 25, 1929	75,000.00
Oct. 20, 1928	160446	Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland	Merchantville Trust Company	Oct. 20, 1929	25,000.00
Apr. 21, 1928	611221-B	American Surety Company	Moorestown Trust Company	Apr. 21, 1929	50,000.00
Nov. 17, 1927	None	Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland	Burlington County Trust Co.	Expired	100,000.00**
Automobile Insurance—					
July 2, 1928	18710	Franklin Fire Insurance Co.	1 Mack Truck 1 Reo Police Patrol 3 Ford Trucks 3 Fordson Tractors 3 Whitehead and Kales Sweepers 2 Whitehead Dump Trailers 1 Chrysler Coupe 1 Chrysler Roadster 2 Harley Davidson Motor-Cycles 1 Chrysler Sedan 1 Dodge Coupe	July 2, 1929	
			Loss by Fire and Theft on all Vehicles Listed		
			Collision Damage over \$50.00 on all Passenger Cars Listed only		

July 16, 1928	OL239256	Maryland Casualty Company	..1 Mack Truck .....	July 16, 1929
			3 Ford Trucks	
			3 Fordson Tractors	
			1 Reo Police Patrol	
			1 Chrysler Coupe	
			1 Chrysler Roadster	
			1 Chrysler Sedan	
			1 Dodge Coupe	
			2 Harley Davidson Motor-Cycles	
			1 Locomobile Tow Car	
			Loss by Property Damage and Public Liability on all cars Listed	
			Property Damage \$1,000.00	Each Accident
			Liability 20,000.00	One Person
			Liability 30,000.00	One Accident

\* Bond held by the State Treasurer of Pennsylvania.

\*\* Bond expired November 17, 1928; renewal certificate not received from bank at January 5, 1929.

Mr. Knight moved the communication and report be received and be spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, D'Elia,, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Mor-

rierson, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—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. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—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.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reports

Assembly Bills Nos. 17, 81, 95, 136, 146, 6, 7, 8, 9, 93, 103, 104,

Correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled, "An act to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Bucino, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 6, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 7, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was adopted.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Cassini, Powers, Roder, Stewart, Weber—5.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be extended to the Hon. Millard W. Rice, National Commander of the Disabled

American Veterans of the World War, for the purpose of making a short address.

Mr. Millard W. Rice was accorded the privileges of the floor and briefly addressed the Assembly.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER, }  
February 19th, 1929. }

*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. 19, entitled "An act concerning the creation and maintenance in perpetuity or for a lesser time of a trust fund or funds for the protection or benefit of some or all of the employees of any corporation of this State, or of any corporation a subsidiary thereof or affiliated therewith,"

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages' (Revision of 1910), approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 35, 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. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,"

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Senate Bill No. 50, 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,"

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, and for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mutual fire insurance companies,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act concerning the creation and maintenance in perpetuity or for a lesser time of a trust fund or funds for the protection or benefit of some or all of the employees of any corporation of this State, or of any corporation a subsidiary thereof or affiliated therewith,"

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

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages' (Revision of 1910), approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

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

Senate Bill No. 35, 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 Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 50, 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 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. 59, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, and for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mutual fire insurance companies,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second read and referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

February 25th, 1929.

*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. 60, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Senate No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

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

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 174,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 248,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 284,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 240, 253,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 269,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 5, 131,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 89, 152,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8,

With the following committee amendments:

Line one, strike out the word "five" and substitute the word "nine".

Line one, strike out the word "one" and substitute the word "three "

Line one, strike out the word "Senator" and substitute the word "Senators."

Line two, strike out the word "Assemblyman" and substitute the word "Assemblymen "

Line two, strike out the word "one" and substitute the word "three "

Line two, strike out the word "Senator" and substitute the word "Senators."

Line three, strike out the word "Assemblyman" and substitute the word "Assemblymen."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 168,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 123,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 178, 263,

Favorably, without amendment.

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Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of game refuges by the board of fish and game commissioners, and for the protection of the game in such refuges,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 284, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for the issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act relating to allowances of costs and counsel fees to an attorney, solicitor, counsel or proctor, where he is an interested party,"

Assembly Bill No. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, which further amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 269, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen," which amendment was itself approved April seventh, nineteen hundred and nineteen,' which amendment was approved March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of Commerce and Navigation of New Jersey to improve, alter, straighten and dredge the channels of the Manas-

quan river lying between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean and making due appropriation therefor."

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court attendants in counties of the second class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 89, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of volunteer fire companies,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "Joint resolution empowering the Governor to appoint a farm relief committee to investigate the public market needs of New Jersey agriculture and report its findings with recommendations to the Legislature and to provide an appropriation to defray the expenses thereof,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,' which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 178, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage, and for alimony and the maintenance of children' (Revision of 1907),"

Assembly Bill No. 263, entitled "An act concerning salaries in certain second class counties and certain second class cities of this State,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mrs. Summers asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 263, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mrs. Summers offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263, which were read by the clerk:

In title after the word "in" strike out the words "second class counties and".

In line 1, after the word "any"; strike out the words "second class counties now or hereafter having a population exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand and any".

Line 4, strike out the word "or".

Line 10, after the word "such" strike out the words "county or".

Section 2, line 3, after the word "such" strike out the words "county or".

Mrs. Summers moved that the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263 be adopted on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 86,

By committee substitute as follows:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 86.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (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 reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Blunt, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 281,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act authorizing the sale of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, located in the town of Kearny, in the county of Hudson,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—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. 9, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters,

Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Smock moved that Assembly Bill No. 110 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Otto asked unanimous consent to offer the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 95, on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Line two, strike out the word "five" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "one".

Mr. Otto moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 95.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over five thousand,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Otto, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Leap, Newcomb, Wise—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. 128, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees and their dependents,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Spair, Sterner, Vanderbach—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Kalamen, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Peters, Purdy, Wise—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 and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 104, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,' which amendatory act was approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Pierson, Pürsel, Siracusa, Stelle, Sterner, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Compton, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Stein, Summers, Wise—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of sergeants-at-arms and court criers in counties of the first class in this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Lorenz, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Siracusa, Spair, Vanderbach, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kuser, Leap, McWilliams, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Stein, Summers, Wettstein—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. Spair asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Spair moved that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7 be recommitted to the Committee on Taxation for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted

Assembly Bill No. 146, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 17, 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 administrator or administrators with the will annexed or by any administrator or administrators de bonis non with the will annexed, or any substituted administrator or administrators, or by the survivor or survivors, or successor or successors of them, him

or her, and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 81, entitled "An act to further 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," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Sircusa, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 125, entitled "A further supplement 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 and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—42.

In the negative were—

The Misses Haines and Jones—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. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 63,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 202,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 195,

With the following committee amendments:

Section 1, line 3, after "pany" add the words "other than life".

Line 4, after the word "invest" strike out the words "in an amount".

Line 5, after the word "its" strike out the words "undivided profits and"; in the same line after the word "any" strike out the word "other".

Line 6, after the word "nondivided" insert the word "paying"; in same line after the word "company" insert the words "or companies".

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 195.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 84, 85:

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported Assembly Bill No. 28,

With the following committee amendments:

On page one, line eleven, after the words "special election" in said line insert the following: "except for nomination for or election to membership in any county committee,".

Mr. Kautz moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No 28.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported Assembly Bill No. 37,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 201,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 239,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 163,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 264,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 187,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 25th, 1929. }

*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. 43, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

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. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of county detectives in counties of the first and second class," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide

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open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision, 1920), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 37, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, approved March thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of

1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend the title and amend the body of an act entitled 'An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of clerks of district courts in cities of the first class, after thirty years' continuous service in such public office or position, and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, or after serving twenty-five years and after attaining the age of sixty years, such clerk is incapacitated, and defining the manner of payment of said pension,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders in any of the first-class counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain thereon buildings to be used as maternity hospitals,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 175,

With the following committee amendments:

In section two, line seven, after the word "peace" insert the following words, "in all counties of the third class within this State".

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

As amended,

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

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 23, 61, 94 and 130.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following joint resolution to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendment:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Tuesday, February 26th, 1929, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, February 26th, 1929.

House met at 11 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Charles A. Ross, of the Presbyterian Church of Rutherford, N. J.

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

Messrs. Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—26.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson F. J., Kautz, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach—33.

There being no quorum present the Speaker declared a recess until 12 o'clock noon.

The House reconvened at 12 o'clock noon.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, Greenberg, Hanson F. J., McDermott, Muir, Otto, Powers, Roder, Siracusa, Stewart.—12.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 258,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 47 and 286,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	}
February 26th, 1929.	}

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the study of the rural roads of our State in connection with appropriations of State funds made for their aid,"

Without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the purpose of studying the election laws, codifying and revising the same, and making an appropriation for the expenses of such commission,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*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. 15, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act respecting notice of lis pendens" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which amendment was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 16, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting notice of lis pendens' (Revision of 1902),"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported the following bills as being correctly printed:

Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 21, 62, 70, 76, 79, 109, 121, 206, 169, 171, 185, 186, 223, 198, 210, 55, 132, 133, 137, 207, 198, 286, 142, 144, 199, 184, 179, 284, 269, Assembly Amendments to Senate No. 10, A. J. R. 8 and A. J. R. 1.

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to enable any corporation heretofor or hereafter constituted or organized for the purpose of the enforcement of laws enacted for the protection of dumb animals, or constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of dumb animals, whether incorporated by any special act of the Legislature of this State or under the laws of this State, to amend its charter and providing the procedure therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons' (Revision of 1898, compiled Statutes 1910, volume 2, page 1926),"

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 60 and 19,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act concerning the creation and maintenance in perpetuity or for a lesser time of a trust fund or funds for the protection or benefit of some or all of the employees of any corporation of this State, or of any corporation a subsidiary thereof or affiliated therewith,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 21, entitled "An act to make a married woman solely responsible for her torts,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kala-

men, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877),"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 156, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck,

Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Cassini asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 19, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, moved that Senate Bill No. 19 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled "An act concerning the creation and maintenance in perpetuity or for a lesser time of a trust fund or funds for the protection or benefit of some or all of the employees of any corporation of this State, or of any corporation a subsidiary thereof or affiliated therewith,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 60, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, moved that Senate Bill No. 60 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 60, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 198, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of undersheriffs in counties of the first class of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Pursel, Stein, Wise—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. Spair asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 100, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Spair moved that Assembly Bill No. 100 be recommitted to the Committee on Militia for the purpose of amendment

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (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. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse,

Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Lorenz—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. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huel-

senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 109, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Wise moved that Assembly Bill No. 206 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 169, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed,

Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lorenz—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. 171, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in the territory within any incorporated campmeeting association in this State,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck

Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative was—

Mr. Lorenz—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. 186, entitled "An act to validate sales of land by the several municipalities of this State in certain cases,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered; that the Speaker sign the 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. 223, 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 and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison,

Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 210, entitled "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,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber,, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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.

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act to amend an act entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from United States service," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser,

Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 133, 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 and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was adopted.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hanson, Litwin, McDermott, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Roder, Siracusa, Sterner, Stewart—18.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*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. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to appropriate and to provide for the payment of a portion of the State tax levied and assessed upon railroad and canal property in this State to the State Highway Fund established under the provisions of an act entitled "An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding forty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and by the act entitled "An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System, including bridges, tunnels, viaducts and rights of way as parts thereof; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding thirty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," passed at the one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven session of the Legislature,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,'

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "An act concerning the support and education of children born out of wedlock,"

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prohibit the catching of eels during certain months of the year in the seaside waters of the townships of Dennis and Upper in the County of Cape May,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (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 Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to appropriate and to provide for the payment of a portion of the State tax levied and assessed upon railroad and canal property in this State to the State Highway Fund established under the provisions of an act entitled "An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding forty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor,

and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and by the act entitled "An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System, including bridges, tunnels, viaducts and rights of way as parts thereof; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding thirty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," passed at the one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven session of the Legislature,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "An act concerning the support and education of children born out of wedlock,"

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. 112, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prohibit the catching of eels during certain months of the year in the seaside waters of the townships of Dennis and Upper in the County of Cape May,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was 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, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Be it resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That no further bills be introduced in either House, except by unanimous consent of the members of the House in which such bill is offered, after the sessions of the week commencing March 11th, 1929, excepting the appropriation bills and such bills as may be introduced on behalf of any legislative commission and a bill or bills in connection with a readjustment of the motor bus tax.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on Tuesday, February 26th, 1929, until Monday, March 11th, 1929, and that on Monday, March 11th, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M., both Houses of the Legislature reassemble.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11

and

Senate Bills Nos. 20 and 43,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 82,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported By committee substitute.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 265,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7,

Favorably, without amendment

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 108,

With the following committee amendments:

In line 7, strike out the word "productive" and insert in lieu thereof the word "agricultural".

In line 9, strike out the word "residents" and insert in lieu thereof the words "persons engaged in agricultural pursuits".

In line 10, strike out the word "persons" and insert in lieu thereof the words "persons engaged in agricultural pursuits".

In line 14, strike out the word "residents" and insert in lieu thereof the words "persons engaged in agricultural pursuits".

On page 2, section 2, line 5, strike out the word "residents of" and insert in lieu thereof the words "persons engaged in agricultural pursuits in".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 108.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 10,

With the following committee amendment:

Section 1, line 1, omit "fifty thousand" and substitute "fifteen thousand".

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 10.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 22,

With the following committee amendments:

On line 4, after the word "School" strike out the period and substitute in lieu thereof a comma and the words "between the tenth day of October and the fifteenth day of May of each year."

In paragraph three, line 1, strike out the words "first day of September" and substitute the words "tenth day of October".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 22.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission consisting of three Senators to be named by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the subject of pensions paid by the State and the several counties and municipalities thereof,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,' which amending act was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the construction, in whole or in part, of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other devices necessary and proper to protect the riparian lands and other taxable property of the State in the municipalities located in Monmouth County, and bordering on Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay from Compton's Creek to Whale Creek,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and non-resident children in this State,"

As amended,

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Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 232 and 271,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to authorize the State House Commission to contract for and cause to be installed an electrical and mechanical system for registration of votes of members of the General Assembly,"

Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages' (Revision of 1910), approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Senate No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "Joint resolution to continue the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 12 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of eight citizens of the following classifications and number; two economists, one of whom shall be from the faculty of Princeton University and one from the faculty of Rutgers State University, one farmer, one banker, one manufacturer, one member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, to be appointed by the Governor; one senator to be

appointed by the President of the Senate, one assemblyman, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission to be known as the tangible personal property tax commission for the purpose of studying the question of the tax on tangible personal property now imposed on industry, agriculture and trade in New Jersey to the end that farmers, manufacturers and merchants of New Jersey may compete on the same basis with the farmers, manufacturers and merchants of other States where the personal property tax has been repealed,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by the title, were ordered printed and referred to Committee as follows :

By Mr. Lorenz :

Assembly Bill No. 288, 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),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lorenz :

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act to amend an act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877, page 523),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Altman :

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of surgery, to license surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Purdy :

Assembly Bill No. 292, entitled "An act to create a Board of Chiropractic Examiners and to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide penalties for violation of this act and to prohibit the practice of any other mode or system under the name of chiropractic,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 295, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Marini :

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Hollinshed :

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to authorize and enable small land owners to drain and improve their lands,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College

By Mr. Rittenhouse :

Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to incorporate the township of Stockholm in the county of Sussex,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Rittenhouse :

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the limitation of actions' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin :

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "An act for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act relative to bridges now or heretofore or hereafter erected over canals in this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin :

Assembly Bill No. 303, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of the supervising examiners, senior examiner, and examiners of the Department of Banking and Insurance of this State, Building and Loan Division,"

Referred to Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Lorenz (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 304, entitled "An act concerning the regulation and licensing of persons, firms, corporations engaged in business as contracting master electricians or working as journey-

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men, in installing wiring and apparatus for electric light, heat, or power purposes and to regulate the business of master electricians and journeymen for the protection and the best interests of the public, and providing penalties for the violation of this act,"

Referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Lorenz:

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An act relating to the making and keeping of the records in the office of the clerk, register of deeds, and mortgages and surrogates of the counties of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act providing for and fixing the compensation of deputy county clerks, special deputy county clerks, undersheriffs, chief clerks or executive clerks to the sheriff, and deputy surrogates in all counties of this State, now or hereafter having a population of not less than eighty-two thousand nor more than one hundred and seventy-five thousand inhabitants,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Hanson:

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize a conveyance of certain State lands situated in the township of Ewing, Mercer County,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Hanson :

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and defining the duties thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Parentini :

Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish the office of Register of Deeds and Mortgages in certain counties of this State,' approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Newcomb :

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale or mortgaging of lands and premises in which a person mentally incapacitated may have an inchoate right of dower, and provide for the determination, release or purchase of such inchoate right of dower,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Mercolino:

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing cities, villages, towns, and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain, and operate airports or landing fields,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Jones:

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled "An act to regulate fees in all actions for penalties in summary proceedings, by statute, before recorders in cities, boroughs and townships,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 323, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hollinshed :

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College.

By Mrs. Summers :

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State, and constituting a municipal Board of Fire and Police Commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such board, and vesting in such board certain powers of management and appointment now vested in other departments or offices in such cities, and providing for

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the maintenance of such board," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' "

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to incorporate the Fifth Judicial District of the county of Bergen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 327, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act providing for hack stands in front of certain hotels,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 328, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,' "

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,' which further amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Wise :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the drainage of wet lands in northern New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr Hand :

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act concerning the office of registrar of vital statistics, in cities of this State, now or hereafter having a population of not less than fifty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants, and providing for the government of the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wettstein :

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and stamping of crates, baskets and carriers in which fruits and vegetables to be sold or offered or exposed for sale are packed, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 334, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 335, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning auto buses and their operation,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Cassini:

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 280 and 283,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 100,

With the following committee amendment:

On page one, paragraph two, line two, after the word "purpose" in said line insert the following: "when included in the annual or supplemental appropriation bill,"

Mr. Blunt moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 100.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "Joint resolution empowering the Governor to appoint a farm relief committee to investigate the public market needs of New Jersey agriculture and report its findings with recommendations to the Legislature and to provide an appropriation to defray the expenses thereof,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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. 142, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths,' approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Vanderbach—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.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefor, and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed the same.

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mort-

gage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vnderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 184, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violation and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 179, entitled "An act regulating the sale, offering for sale, or transporting for sale, of any packages, either open or closed, or of any bulk load, arrangement, or display of fruits or vegetables and providing penalties for the violation thereof and for the method of recovering such penalties,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines,

Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 284, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for the issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling,' approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Pursel, Young.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 269, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

which amendment was itself approved April seventh, nineteen hundred and nineteen,' which amendment was approved March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Compton, Hand.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 248, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of game refuges by the board of fish and game commissioners, and for the protection of the game in such refuges,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Kuser, Chirman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 40,

With the following committee amendments:

On line 14, strike out the word "nine" and insert in lieu thereof the word "twelve".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 241 and 162,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 283, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 162, 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,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court interpreters in counties of the first class in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto," which amendment was ap-

proved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*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. 130, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*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. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one," as amended by act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' and which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 199, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, moved that Senate Bill No. 199 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Mr. Barison moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The Speaker declared that the original motion was before the House.

Which motion was adopted

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, cor-

rectional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read by its title for the first time and was ordered to a second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was agreed to, and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, moved that Senate Bill No. 199 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Barison moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was lost.

The Speaker declared that the original motion was before the House.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Marini, Morrison,, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Wettstein, Wise—21.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Cassini, Hollinshed, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, Mercolino, Pursel, Vanderbach, Young—10.

Mr. Knight moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 199 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one," as amended by act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and **twenty-five**,

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. 64, entitled "An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand

nine hundred and seventeen," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' and which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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. 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was 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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
February 26th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No 3, entitled "Joint Resolution continuing and reconstituting the commission to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries and Arthur Kill in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union for the promotion in said area of commerce, manufacturing and transportation,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution continuing and reconstituting the commission to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries and Arthur Kill in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union

for the promotion in said area of commerce, manufacturing and transportation,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendment:

Senate Bills Nos. 19 and 60.

Mr. Leap, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, announced a public hearing in the Assembly conference room, on March 12th, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Assembly Bills Nos. 155 and 255.

Mr. Knight moved the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

MONDAY, March 11th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. John T. Broek, chaplain of the Dutch Reformed Church, Plainfield, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszyński, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Bethke, Hanson F. J., Roder—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Baxter sent the following report of the Commission to Study State and County Aid to General Hospitals to the desk and moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION TO STUDY STATE AND COUNTY AID TO GENERAL HOSPITALS, Authorized by Joint Resolution No. 6, Approved March 28, 1927, and Joint Resolution No. 3, Approved March 12, 1928.

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

January 30, 1929.

*To His Excellency, the Governor, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey—*

Sirs:

On March 28, 1927, His Excellency, Governor Moore, approved Joint Resolution No. 6, "providing for the appointment of a Commission to investigate and consider the need and advisa-

bility of giving State aid by annual appropriations to hospitals in which free surgical and medical services are rendered." By Joint Resolution No. 3, approved March 12, 1928, this Commission was continued and charged with the additional duty of studying county aid as well as State aid.

To carry on the necessary research work and field investigations, the Commission utilized the services of Dr. Emil Frankel, Director of Research of the Department of Institutions and Agencies. The Commission appointed Mr. W. Crane Lyon, Hospital Consultant and Secretary of the New Jersey Hospital Association, to be associated with Dr. Frankel in carrying on its work.

The Commission's inquiry covered:

(1) a study of present systems of county aid; (2) a statistical study of the individual hospitals including the amount of free and paid service rendered, the sources of income, hospital costs in general, and the extent and cost of highway and industrial accident cases; (3) a study of the hospitals' views on State and county aid.

At a public hearing in Newark, New Jersey, on June 29, 1928, more than thirty hospital superintendents and members of the boards of managers discussed the problems confronting general hospitals and gave their ideas regarding State and county aid. The detailed information used in the report was furnished by the individual hospitals to field agents on questionnaires which were later tabulated.

The information on county aid was secured through questionnaires submitted to the county boards of freeholders and was supplemented through figures furnished by the Department of Municipal Accounts.

The commission wishes to express its appreciation to all the general hospitals for their co-operation, and to the county boards of chosen freeholders, the Department of Institutions and Agencies, the Attorney-General's Office, the Department of Municipal Accounts, the Department of Labor, the Compensation Rating and Inspection Bureau of New Jersey, and the Department of Motor Vehicles.

The commission is indebted to Dr. Frankel for his able direction of the investigation work of the commission, to Mr. Lyon for his valuable assistance, and Miss Helen E. Heyer of the

Research Staff of the Department of Institutions and Agencies for her painstaking analysis of the data obtained.

Very respectfully submitted,

GEORGE O'HANLON, M.D., *Chairman*  
FLETCHER FRITTS, *Secretary*  
WILTON T. APPLGATE  
J. LEROY BAXTER  
WILLIAM J. ELLIS  
WILLIAM A. STEVENS

## I. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

### FINDINGS

The facts presented in this hospital study may be summarized as follows:

1. There are on the statute books of New Jersey sufficient laws enabling counties and municipalities to compensate adequately general hospitals for free service rendered. The Legislature in the past has promptly responded to requests for legislative action increasing the maximum limit of county or municipal aid to meet growing demands for free hospital service.

2. During 1927 local governmental aid to general hospitals amounted to \$3,394,051, of which \$1,052,115 was contributed by the counties and \$2,341,936 by local municipalities.

The financial support of general hospitals by local governmental agencies varies considerably in different counties. In four counties, the annual support amounts to between one and two dollars per person of the county population; in eleven counties, between fifteen cents and one dollar; and in six counties, to less than fifteen cents.

The majority of hospitals claim that they receive inadequate compensation from local governmental authorities for the free service rendered, and that municipal aid for general hospitals (not owned by the city) is the least adequate.

3. The prevailing methods of appropriating county funds to general hospitals show that the counties on the whole have no adequate check on the free service rendered by the individual hospitals receiving county aid nor do the appropriations bear any very definite relation either to the extent of free service or to costs.

The data submitted by the general hospitals in claiming payment for free service would seem to be insufficient to enable the boards of freeholders to judge whether the number of free days'

care reported actually represented services to patients who did not and were unable to pay the hospital charges.

4. A study of the main sources of hospitals income reveals that toward an average hospital cost of \$5.00 per day, the patients contributed sixty-six per cent., local governmental agencies thirteen per cent., and twenty-one per cent. came from voluntary contributions and miscellaneous sources.

Comparing these main sources of income of New Jersey general hospitals receiving county and municipal aid with Pennsylvania hospitals receiving State aid, it is found that New Jersey county and municipal aid forms as large a percentage in the total hospital income as does the combined income from State, county and municipal aid in Pennsylvania hospitals.

5. Though in general the local communities would seem to be generous in the support of their hospitals, many hospitals claim that they do not receive adequate support from their local communities and that the support is entirely inadequate from communities lying outside of the hospital district whose patients are receiving free hospital service.

6. Detailed information on free hospital service by twenty-five hospitals shows 534,057 free and part-pay ward days and \$546,300 receipts from paying ward patients. Assuming an average daily cost of \$4.00, the total ward service cost was \$2,185,200 resulting in a deficit of \$1,638,900.

Toward this deficit local governmental agencies contributed \$580,000, private individuals and organizations \$725,000 and interest from endowment earnings \$322,000.

On an estimated number of 1,800,000 ward patient days in all the general hospitals in New Jersey, the net deficit amounted to \$5,950,000, which is covered by: \$3,400,000 contributed by counties and municipalities, \$2,000,000 by private individuals and organizations, and \$550,000 from interest on endowment funds.

7. Two-thirds of the hospitals studied report being insufficiently compensated for industrial accident cases. To remedy this situation the hospitals recommend a uniform daily rate of \$4.00 and certain changes in the administration of the Workmen's Compensation Law, such as discontinuance of the \$50.00 limit clause for hospital service, less contention over the amount of the hospital bills rendered, and their prompt payment.

8. Nineteen hospitals whose highway accident cases were studied in detail show 1781 patients with 22,440 hospital days (5,063 private and semi-private and 17,377 ward days). Of the total hospital bill of \$106,000 the hospitals have been able to collect only 56 per cent, \$46,850 remaining unpaid; and the ma-

majority of the hospitals report that they do not expect to recover even a small portion of that amount.

The majority of the hospitals express themselves as having to render an undue amount of free service for highway and other non-industrial accident cases, not properly belonging to the hospital district.

9. To meet the situation arising out of the growing number of highway accident cases, several States have introduced compulsory automobile liability insurance features in their laws and a number of States have appointed legislative commissions to find remedies for the situation through some form of compulsory insurance.

10. Provisions existing for both chronics and convalescents in New Jersey would seem to be inadequate.

11. The majority of general hospitals in New Jersey themselves do not favor State aid, but express themselves in favor of extending the existing systems of county and municipal aid.

12. The system of State aid is in vogue in only a few States in the Union and opinion is divided in these States as to the desirability of the States appropriating money to general hospitals—peculiarly local institutions.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

1. In view of the findings resulting from this hospital survey the commission is of the opinion that it would be inadvisable for New Jersey to adopt a policy of State support to local general hospitals. The commission believes that the existing system of county and municipal aid is adequate and flexible enough to meet the growing financial needs of general hospitals.

2. It may be advisable for the hospital to compile its service statistics in such a way as to show not only the extent of free service rendered but to what extent different communities share in it. It should serve as a basis to invite support from the local communities.

3. It would seem to be advisable to have the county and municipal authorities study the prevailing system of county and municipal aid with a view of arriving at certain standards for reimbursing general hospitals for free service rendered. These standards should require:

- a. That the amount of public money granted should bear a definite relation to the amount of free service rendered to indigent patients;

b. That reports showing the extent and cost of service to indigent patients be furnished by the hospital to the public authorities in a manner and on forms prescribed by the public authorities;

c. That the right of inspection exist and be exercised by public authorities to check up on the general quality of service and the extent of free service.

4. Payment from county and municipal funds to private hospitals (run for profit) should be made only to those hospitals licensed by the Department of Institutions and Agencies to cover indigent persons who are purely emergency cases or for whom no beds are available in a hospital supported by private charity.

5. Such hospital problems as have arisen in connection with the treatment of industrial accident cases in general hospitals should be referred for joint study to the New Jersey Department of Labor, the Medical Society of New Jersey, representatives of New Jersey employers and employees, and the New Jersey Hospital Association.

6. The cost of hospital care of emergency highway accident cases who are non-residents in the county and unable to pay for their care should be borne by the county authorities of the county in which the accident occurs with the possibility of collecting from the county of legal settlement.

However, the State of New Jersey should give careful study to this problem looking toward the introduction of some insurance system which will relieve the hospitals of the financial burden arising out of such cases.

7. The problem of securing additional facilities for chronics and convalescents in New Jersey should be studied by the Department of Institutions and Agencies in co-operation with the individual hospitals, the New Jersey Hospital Association, and the Medical Society of New Jersey.

## II. SUMMARY OF LAWS REGARDING COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL AID IN NEW JERSEY

### GENERAL LEGISLATION

According to existing laws each county may appropriate \$250,000 for the maintenance of indigent ill county residents in general hospitals supported by private charity in its own or adjoining counties provided it has no general county hospital of its own. (P. L. 1926, Chapter 133.) This money appropriated by the board of freeholders is to be distributed, according to a 1918 law, among the hospitals on the basis of the free ward

days' treatment rendered to county residents, the free ward day being interpreted as a full twenty-four hour day. (P. L. 1918, Chapter 42.)

It is interesting to trace the growing conception of the counties regarding their responsibility toward their citizens who are ill. In 1886 the maximum fixed for the support of indigent ill patients for each county was \$1,000. This amount has been increased from time to time as follows:

Year	Maximum Appropriation
1891	\$2,500
1893	5,000
1896	8,000
1902	10,000
1904	15,000
1907	20,000
1909	22,000
1914	50,000
1918	75,000
1919	75,000
1922	125,000
1926	250,000

#### SPECIAL LEGISLATION

1. Through a 1913 law, freeholders in first class counties were authorized to make an annual appropriation not to exceed \$5,000 for any one hospital. The amount that is paid to each hospital must not exceed the regular ward rate.

2. Through a 1928 law, a county of the fourth class may appropriate not more than \$10,000 to any one hospital for the maintenance of county indigent residents in hospitals which are *privately owned and maintained or supported by private charity*. (P. L. 1928, Chapter 130.) This is the first law on the books covering maintenance in privately owned and maintained hospitals

3. For constructing or enlarging any hospital or hospitals supported by private charity in the county, any county through a 1904 law might appropriate sums not exceeding \$15,000 in twenty years.

4. In 1910 it was decreed that a county might issue bonds not exceeding \$15,000 for the purpose of enabling any charitable hospital located in such county to construct buildings, make alterations, additions, or repairs to old buildings and to provide equipment for such buildings, provided it treat without cost all indigent county residents. (P. L. 1910, Chapter 222.)

## APPROPRIATIONS BY CITIES

Municipalities are likewise enabled to make generous appropriations for their indigent ill, although few of them take advantage of this permissive legislation. A law of 1927 allows an annual appropriation of not more than \$10,000 for the maintenance of indigent patients in hospitals supported by private charity in that city or any other city in the State. (P. L. 1927, Chapter 200.)

As early as 1883, a city could establish and maintain a hospital devoted exclusively to the care of the indigent and disabled of the city. A few years later (1886) cities having no city hospitals were permitted to expend not more than \$1,500 annually for supporting their city indigent patients in any hospital or hospitals supported by private charity in the city. Two thousand dollars additional was allowed if the appropriated amount was exhausted by the end of the year, according to a law in 1887.

In 1904 this permissive amount was increased to one-third of a mill on every dollar of assessable property in the city, allowed to any regularly incorporated hospital supported in whole or in part by private subscription upon vote of the citizens at any election. One mill on every dollar could be voted by the city council or financial body for any publicly incorporated hospital. In cases where this sum was found to be inadequate, an additional sum not to exceed \$15,000 was allowed by a law of 1906 for public hospitals in the city.

Five years later (1911) \$10,000 was the limit set for the maintenance of city indigents in hospitals of the city supported by private charity.

In 1921, the law decreed that any city in the State having no city hospital might appropriate annually for the support of its indigents in any regularly incorporated hospital, a sum equal to two-thirds of a mill on every dollar of assessable property.

## APPROPRIATIONS BY BOROUGHS, TOWNS AND TOWNSHIPS

In 1927 it was decreed that any borough, town or township might make an annual appropriation of an amount not exceeding one-tenth of one per centum of the total valuations of real and personal property of the municipality for indigent residents of the municipality in hospitals in the same or adjoining counties. (P. L. 1927, Chapter 57.)

In 1894, voters of boroughs, towns and townships of third class counties were permitted to vote a sum of money for the sup-

port of public patients in a hospital in the county. Recognizing that a small municipal division could not easily establish and maintain its own general hospital, the Legislature in 1895 permitted one incorporated town to unite with townships or other incorporated towns to erect and maintain a hospital.

In 1904 the 1894 law was enlarged to permit the support of public patients in any hospital in the State.

A 1913 law places \$1,000 as the maximum amount to be applied to maintaining indigent persons resident of such municipalities in any duly incorporated hospital in such municipality or in any other municipality in the same or adjoining counties.

A 1919 law limits the amount to \$5,000 that may be appropriated by boroughs, towns and townships for the support of their local indigents in duly incorporated hospitals in the municipality or in the same or adjoining counties.

### III. EXTENT OF COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL AID

During the year 1927, the boards of chosen freeholders of twenty counties of the State contributed more than \$1,052,000 toward the work of fifty-three general hospitals in New Jersey. Of this amount, \$565,000 were in payment for specified free service rendered by thirty-three general hospitals and \$487,000 were lump sum appropriations to an additional twenty hospitals.

The money appropriated by the boards of freeholders does not indicate, however, the entire extent to which the people through local taxation have contributed toward the support of general hospitals in New Jersey.

In order to get a complete picture of the situation, it is necessary to add to the total amount of county aid the money appropriated by local government bodies (cities, municipalities, towns, etc.). This is done in Table 1.

TABLE 1. COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL AID TO NEW JERSEY GENERAL HOSPITALS, 1927

County	Amount of Appropriation			Annual Per Capita General Population
	By Municipalities	By County	Total	
Total .....	\$2,341,936	\$1,052,115	\$3,394,051	\$.91
Atlantic .....	\$153,600	\$10,000	\$163,600	\$1.77
Bergen .....	26,200	105,000	131,200	.50
Burlington .....	.....	12,000	12,000	.13
Camden .....	51,000	40,000	91,000	.41
Cape May .....	.....	7,500	7,500	.39
Cumberland .....	10,000	38,000	48,000	.73
Essex .....	847,097*	.....	847,097	1.13
Gloucester .....	1,000	1,000	2,000	.04
Hudson .....	1,123,939**	252,880†	1,376,819	1.99
Hunterdon .....	.....	1,000	1,000	.03
Mercer .....	.....	93,123	93,123	.51
Middlesex .....	12,500	60,500	73,000	.37
Monmouth .....	.....	100,000	100,000	.89
Morris .....	2,000	36,000	38,000	.43
Ocean .....	.....	30,000	30,000	1.32
Passaic .....	70,100	40,000	110,100	.38
Salem .....	1,000	3,600	4,600	.11
Somerset .....	2,000	15,000	17,000	.31
Sussex .....	1,500	1,512	3,012	.13
Union .....	39,500	200,000	239,500	.99
Warren .....	500	5,000	5,500	.12

†Includes \$242,000 for Hudson County Hospital

\*Includes Newark City Hospital

\*\*Includes Jersey City Hospital.

Table 1 shows that more than \$3,394,000 was the amount of county and municipal aid to general hospitals. This means an annual contribution of ninety-one cents to general hospital work for every man, woman and child in New Jersey.

It is plain from the per capita figures shown in Table 1 that general hospitals receive varying support from local governmental agencies. In four counties, the per capita support per person of the county population amounts to between one and two dollars; in eleven counties, between fifteen cents and one dollar; and in six counties, the per capita contribution was less than fifteen cents.

The opinion of hospital managers in regard to the adequacy of county and municipal aid may be summarized as follows:

County appropriations are not in any case sufficient to wipe out operating deficits arising from free service. Five hospitals report that although the appropriations are not adequate, they are "fair" or "satisfactory" or "increasing." One hospital has received

"the amount asked for" and does not want to ask for more. Another receives adequate support for residents of the county but not for non-residents.

Thirty-one hospitals report not receiving adequate support through subventions from city or town authorities and only seven report that they do.

The majority of the hospitals express the desire for adequate compensation for free service rendered; that is, payment for free hospital days at the actual per diem cost, and free part pay ward days at the per diem cost less any receipts from that type of patient.

Hospitals are agreed that county aid should be given only when there is proof that the actual service has been rendered by the hospitals. They recommend that payment be made after sworn vouchers covering each case are submitted to the freeholders or upon the superintendent's voucher that investigation has been made regarding the financial status of the patient. The hospital books are to be opened to the freeholders of the county at all times. Monthly reports are to be made covering the amount of service and the actual cost of the service. These reports should be certified.

#### IV. METHODS OF APPROPRIATING COUNTY FUNDS TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

At the present time, there are two systems of granting county aid in vogue in New Jersey, the lump sum appropriation and an appropriation based on the amount of specified free service rendered.

TABLE 2. AMOUNT APPROPRIATED BY COUNTY BOARDS OF FREEHOLDERS TO GENERAL HOSPITALS DURING 1927 AND METHOD OF APPROPRIATION

County	County Appropriation		
	For Specified Service	Lump Sum	Total
Total .....	\$565,135	\$486,980	\$1,052,115
Atlantic .....		\$10,000	\$10,000
Bergen .....		105,000	105,000
Burlington .....		12,000	12,000
Camden .....		40,000	40,000
Cape May .....		7,500	7,500
Cumberland .....	38,000		38,000
Essex* .....			
Gloucester .....		1,000	1,000
Hudson .....		252,880†	252,880
Hunterdon .....		1,000	1,000
Mercer .....	93,123		93,123
Middlesex .....	56,500	4,000	60,500
Monmouth .....	100,000		100,000
Morris .....	36,000		36,000
Ocean .....		30,000	30,000
Passaic .....	40,000		40,000
Salem .....		3,600	3,600
Somerset .....		15,000	15,000
Sussex .....	1,512		1,512
Union .....	200,000		200,000
Warren .....		5,000	5,000

\*County board of freeholders does not support private general hospitals because it feels public institutions in county are able to meet existing hospital needs.

†Includes \$242,000 for Hudson County Hospital.

A study of the prevailing methods of appropriating county funds to general hospitals shows that the counties on the whole have no adequate check on the free service rendered by the individual hospitals receiving county aid.

In the case of lump sum appropriations, some agreement is reached between the hospital and the county board of freeholders as to the amount to be appropriated. Occasionally this agreement is arrived at on the basis of demonstrated free service rendered by the hospital and bears some relation to free service costs. More often though, the extent of county aid may be the result of "good bargaining" on either part and bears little relation to either the extent of free service or to costs.

In the case of appropriations based on the amount of specified free services, the free hospital days rendered by all hospitals in the county are added together and divided into the total amount

made available by the county. A "per free day appropriation" is thus arrived at and multiplied with the number of days each hospital has claimed, which then becomes the hospital share in the total county appropriation for general hospitals.

While on the face of it this would seem to be an equitable system, the hospitals themselves submit only lists of patients and days rendered, which the county board of freeholders accepts without knowing whether the hospital has patients on its list able to pay for hospital service, or patients who for one reason or another should not have received free hospital service.

The experience of Mercer County is interesting in this connection. A county hospital investigator, especially engaged to check up on free service paid for by the county, was able to collect \$17,871 in one year from hospital patients who originally thought that treatment was free. This would indicate that the hospitals themselves did not know as much about the individual patient's capacity to pay as they might have.

Moreover, under the prevailing system of county aid, the individual hospitals may fare "better or worse" according to the county in which the hospital happens to be located.

From the detailed data furnished by seven counties which had compensated thirty-one hospitals for 315,994 free hospital days rendered, we can see that the counties' contributions vary quite considerably—ranging from a payment of forty-eight cents per free hospital day to \$4.22 per free hospital day, the average being \$1.78.

TABLE 3 PER CAPITA PAYMENTS BY SEVEN COUNTIES FOR SPECIFIED FREE HOSPITAL SERVICE

County.	Amount Paid by County per Free Hospital Day
Cumberland .. . . .	\$4 22
Mercer .. . . .	2 10
Middlesex .. . . .	1 53
Monmouth .. . . .	2 94
Morris .. . . .	1 62
Passaic .. . . .	48
Union .. . . .	2 31
Average 7 counties . . . . .	\$1 78

In considering these figures it should be remembered that hospital costs as between different counties do not show such wide variations.

Out of discussions regarding the prevailing practices in apportioning county funds to general hospitals, the following queries have arisen:

Should the county appropriate money not only to general and special hospitals (conducted not for profit) but also to private hospitals (conducted for profit)? What standards in equipment and treatment should the county require and should not the county exercise the right of inspection?

Should the county require each hospital to adopt a standard system of accounting for patient days of treatment so that only those patients acceptable as county wards should be considered in calculating the obligation of the county to the individual hospitals, the county to have the right of inspection of these records?

Should not the county requesting county aid be required to have a credit department (or worker) which will be helpful not only in determining the ability of the patient to pay but also in rendering social service to patients needing it?

Should not the county establish rules as to what patients may be accepted as county charges and devise a check up on the claims for free service?

Should not the county have the authority to check up on the cost of hospital service with particular reference to the payment for free service?

What arrangements should be made between county and municipalities for indigent patients for whom the latter are responsible? To what extent should the county be responsible for non-resident patients and what arrangements should be made between the various counties in regard to such patients?

What system should be established to reimburse the hospitals for financial deficits arising out of such industrial and highway accident cases as are rendered at less than the hospital cost and for free hospital service rendered to non-resident accident patients?

#### V. SOURCES OF HOSPITAL INCOME

The main sources of hospital income are given in Table 4.



amounts to 28.1 per cent. of the total hospital income in New Jersey, as against 8.6 per cent. in the total Pennsylvania hospital income. These facts would seem to bear out the contention that State aid is likely to diminish the local responsibility toward the support of its general hospitals.

Though in general the local communities in which the various hospitals are located would seem to be generous in their support of their local hospitals, many of the hospitals surveyed claimed that they do not receive adequate support from their local communities. In very few instances does the hospital feel that it receives adequate financial support from communities lying outside of the hospital district proper whose patients are receiving free hospital service.

Twenty-seven hospitals definitely state that their support is not adequate through subscriptions, contributions, and donations from individuals and organizations, although a few of these have made no attempt to get such support.

Fourteen term such report "adequate" although it may not cover the deficit or "as much as can be expected from such sources," and intimate the amount would be satisfactory if incomes from other sources were in the same proportion.

Eleven hospitals report incomes from endowments or from bequests that give substantial support; a few others report the income from such sources as negligible.

#### HOSPITAL CREDIT WORK

Hospitals studied in this survey report that they have adequate machinery to make those pay for hospital service who are able to pay and to insure against abuses of the privilege of free hospital service.

Every hospital makes arrangements on admission with the patient or those responsible for the patient, regarding the hospital bill. In general, private and semi-private patients are required to pay in advance and ward patients are tendered bills at the end of each week. This rule, however, is not enforced by most of the hospitals which aim to give service as needed and do not want to commercialize their institutions to the detriment of the human side.

In some cases, particularly in the smaller towns, the attending physician or medical staff determines whether a patient shall be admitted on a free or part-pay basis. In general, however, some kind of social service investigation is made. If the social service worker is directly connected with the hospital, this investigation may go into great detail covering the salary of the patient, the size

and health of his family, the earnings of all of the working members, the expenses and standard of living. A less extended investigation is sometimes made by a committee of the board of managers, a member of the board of freeholders, the district nurse, the city social service department or charity organization, the overseer of the poor, the county investigator, or even the business office of the hospital or a credit bureau of rating.

Unpaid accounts are following up after the patient leaves the hospital by letters and statements, and even personal visits. Collection agencies are definitely used by thirteen hospitals followed by law suits when payment is not made. Five others turn over unpaid accounts to the hospital attorneys. The business manager of the hospital, special staff bill collector, the board of managers, the social service agencies, and the constable function in other hospitals to collect unpaid accounts. In one large hospital, the patient before leaving is required to sign an agreement covering any unpaid amounts. This is followed up by a financial investigator after three months.

Visiting hours are used by all hospitals for getting in touch with the patient's relatives and friends regarding the payment of bills.

VI. EXTENT OF FREE HOSPITAL SERVICE

Before going into the question of free hospital service, it may be desirable to give a picture of the entire general hospital service in New Jersey. There are seventy-two general hospitals (not for profit) with a capacity of 10,900. It is estimated that during 1927 the hospitals cared for 190,000 in-patients and that 2,525,000 patient days were rendered, of which 1,800,000 days were in the wards of the hospitals. The total hospital expenditures were around \$12,250,000.

From thirty-six hospitals which furnished detailed information showing the distribution of patients and patient days as to private and semi-private (full pay) and ward (full pay, part pay, and free) the following table has been constructed.

TABLE 6. DISTRIBUTION OF PRIVATE, SEMI-PRIVATE, AND WARD PATIENTS AND PATIENT DAYS AND AVERAGE DAYS OF TREATMENT IN THIRTY-SIX GENERAL HOSPITALS IN NEW JERSEY—1927

Class of Patients	Per Cent		Average Days of Treatment
	Patients	Patient Days	
Total . . . . .	100.0	100.0	12.5
Private and semi-private (full pay) . . . . .	43.3	37.9	10.8
Ward (full pay, part pay and free) . . . . .	56.7	62.1	13.7

It is of interest to the hospitals to know the cost of its free service and who compensates the hospital for that service. Twenty-five hospitals which furnished detailed information reveal the following situations:

Five hundred and thirty-four thousand and fifty-seven free and part-pay ward days were rendered and the receipts from paying ward patients amount to \$546,300. Assuming an average daily cost of \$4.00 for ward service, the total ward service cost was \$2,185,200, thus causing the hospitals a deficit of \$1,638,900. This deficit was made up as follows: \$580,000 from local governmental sources, \$725,000 from contributions of private individuals and organizations, and \$322,000 from the earnings of endowment funds.

The situation in regard to free ward service in general hospitals for the State as a whole may be summarized as follows:

If we take the estimated 1,800,000 ward days rendered at an average daily cost of \$4.00, the total cost to the hospitals amounts to \$7,200,000. The hospitals may expect to collect about \$1,250,000 from full and part pay ward patients, leaving a net hospital deficit of \$5,950,000 arising out of free service. This amount of free service is covered as follows: \$3,400,000 contributed by counties, cities, and other governmental local authorities; \$2,000,000 through contributions by private individuals and organizations and the remaining \$550,000 from the interest on endowments and other funds.

Apportioning the entire hospital service as between general service, industrial accident cases, and highway and other non-industrial accident cases, ten hospitals reporting in detail show the following distribution:

TABLE 7. DISTRIBUTION OF HOSPITAL SERVICE INTO MAIN TYPES OF SERVICE—1927  
(Eleven Hospitals Reporting)

Service	Per Cent	
	Patients	Patient Days
Total	100 0	100 0
General service	93 3	91.5
Industrial accident cases	2 4	3 1
Highway and other non-industrial accident cases	4.3	5 4

The following table shows how free hospital service reaches out beyond the immediate community in which the hospitals are located and that the hospitals must enlist and merit the support of communities not within the immediate range of the hospital.

TABLE 8. GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF FREE AND PART PAY WARD PATIENTS AND WARD PATIENT-DAYS, 1927 (Twenty-Five Hospitals Reporting)

Patient's Residence	Per Cent	
	Patients	Patient Days
Total .....	100.0	100 0
Hospital city or town .....	60.9	60.7
Hospital county outside of hospital city or town ...	26 1	26 5
New Jersey outside of hospital county.....	10 4	10 1
Other state than New Jersey .....	2 6	2 7

All of the hospitals say it is exceedingly difficult if not entirely impossible to collect a very large percentage of the bills for highway accident cases. The insurance companies usually pay the injured person, who in turn leaves the hospital without paying his bill.

The majority of hospitals feel that first the person responsible for the accident should assume the hospital bill and that second, some governmental authority should pay if the responsible party does not. A surprisingly few place any responsibility on the patient who is receiving the treatment. The town or county in which the accident occurs, the town or county of the residence of the injured, and the State for non-resident of the county and of the State are suggested as those that should assume the financial responsibility.

Compulsory automobile insurance is recommended by nearly every hospital with the liability insurance to be strictly under State control and each license carry with it a liability policy. An organization is suggested similar to the Workmen's Compensation Bureau for the adjudication of claims and of the division of available funds to claimants, including the injured person, the hospital, the doctor, or any others who have served to rehabilitate him.

Some hospitals render from 50 to 80 per cent. of their total free service to patients who are non-residents of the city or town in which the hospital is located, and some hospitals give from 25 to 40 per cent. of their free service to patients who are from outside the county in which the hospital is located. Out-of-State free cases range from less than 1 per cent. of the total free service to more than 7 per cent., and in one hospital almost reach 10 per cent.

Although the contributions from local governmental bodies and private individuals and organizations reach a respectable sum in the aggregate, quite a number of the hospitals seem to feel that their support from the local community is inadequate and particularly that the city or town authorities are not doing their share toward compensating the hospital for free service rendered.

With very few exceptions, the hospitals do not feel that they receive adequate financial support from communities lying outside of the hospital district proper whose patients are receiving free hospital service.

#### VII. INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT CASES

Seventy-five thousand industrial accidents causing loss of work of one day or more is the number estimated by the Department of Labor as having occurred during 1927 in New Jersey. Compensable cases number 25,865. Of these, 10,708 reported as having incurred \$591,569 in medical services, an average of \$55.25 per case.

The Compensation Rating and Inspection Bureau of New Jersey reports increasing expenditure for medical services under the Workmen's Compensation Act of New Jersey.

TABLE 9. MEDICAL COST INCURRED BY ACCIDENT INSURANCE CARRIERS UNDER NEW JERSEY WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT 1918-25

Policy Year	Medical Cost
1918	\$503,496
1919	757,324
1920	780,713
1921	859,037
1922	1,305,626
1923	1,505,271
1924	1,593,578
1925	1,865,170

In explanation of these figures, Mr. A. R. Lawrence, Chairman of the Compensation Rating and Inspection Bureau, writes:

"All statements of indemnity cost and medical expense represent the actual incurred cost to the insurance carrier, including burial expense with the cost of fatal accidents, and entirely ignore new legislation adopted from time to time which, in most instances, has had the effect of increasing the benefit payable under the Act. Important amendments increasing the benefit approximately one-third each time were enacted in 1919 and in 1923.

Lesser changes were enacted in 1922, 1924 and 1925, and a further change amounting to slightly over ten per cent. of additional benefit becomes operative January 1, 1929."

In view of the fact that hospitals in general feel that the receipts from industrial accident patients do not cover the expenses incurred for that type of patient, the following detailed figures furnished by eleven hospitals will be of interest :

TABLE 10. ACCIDENT CASES CLASSIFIED AS PRIVATE, SEMI-PRIVATE AND WARD PATIENTS—AND PATIENT DAYS—1927 (Eleven Hospitals Reporting)

Class of Patients	Number		Per Cent	
	Patients	Patients Days	Patients	Patients Days
Total .....	410	7272	100.0	100.0
Private and semi-private .....	107	1952	26.1	26.8
Ward .....	303	5320	73.9	73.2

Two-thirds of the hospitals studied report not being sufficiently compensated for industrial accident cases. The recommendations for compensation rates made by the hospitals is quite varied including rates according to the actual per diem cost or according to injury and regular daily rates mainly of \$4.00 and upward

These recommendations of the hospitals submitted to the Commission are in line with the results of a special inquiry conducted by Dr. John G. Martin, Superintendent, Hospital of St. Barnabas, Newark. Out of forty-one hospitals submitting questionnaires to Dr. Martin, thirty-six reported that the rate for industrial compensation hospital cases was inadequate and recommended a uniform rate of \$4.00 per day for compensation cases. This rate has been subsequently approved by the New Jersey Hospital Association.

The recommendations made by the various hospitals with respect to the Workmen's Compensation Law and its administration may be summarized as follows:

1. Discontinuance of the \$50.00 limit clause for hospital service.
2. The length of time of treatment to be decided by the physician in charge.
3. The acceptance of the bills tendered without reductions and with less quibbling and less disclaiming of responsibility.
4. Promptness in paying the amount due to the hospital.

## VIII. HIGHWAY AND OTHER NON-INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT CASES

Figures furnished by the New Jersey Department of Motor Vehicles show a steady increase in highway accidents during the last few years.

TABLE 11. NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS REPORTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES 1924-1928

Year	Accidents Reported
1924 .....	8,933
1925 .....	11,776
1926 .....	12,160
1927 .....	13,869
1928 .....	19,000

The numbers here recorded are the number of accidents but do not reveal the number of persons involved nor how many of those injured in accidents received hospital treatment. A conservative estimate puts the number of persons involved in accident cases in New Jersey as between 75,000 and 100,000 during the year 1928.

This tendency toward a constantly increasing number of highway accidents is reflected in the growing amount of work done by the hospitals for such cases, which is especially large in hospitals located along the main arteries of automobile travel.

Nineteen hospitals giving details regarding the highway and other non-industrial accident cases in the hospital during 1927 report as follows:

1. A total of 1,781 patients with 22,440 hospital days, an average stay of 12.6 per-patient. Of the total of 22,440 patient days, 5,063 were classed as private and semi-private days, 17,377 as ward days.

2. To the 1,781 patients were rendered bills totaling \$106,089, an average of \$59.57 per patient and \$4.73 per patient day.

3. Of the total hospital bill of \$106,000, the hospitals have been able to collect only \$59,150 or 56 per cent., the difference of \$46,850 remaining unpaid to date. The majority of the hospitals reporting do not expect to recover even a small portion of the amount unpaid.

The hospitals' ability to collect from highway accident patients varies considerably as the amount of hospital bill paid ranges from twenty-two per cent. to ninety-five per cent. of the total amount of the bill rendered and the amount left unpaid ranges from seventy-eight per cent. of the total amount of the bill rendered to less than six per cent.

The problem of highway accident cases in relation to hospitals was recently taken up by the Welfare Committee of the Medical Society of New Jersey. As reported in the Journal of the American Society of New Jersey (August, 1928), Dr. Andrew F. McBride, the Chairman of the Welfare Committee felt that "hospitals are mulcted out of moneys they are duly entitled to and should receive in accident cases." Dr. Joseph F. Londrigan, the Chairman of a sub-committee on Public Liability Cases in Hospitals, who made a survey of the existing situation in New Jersey, reported that twenty-nine hospitals lost \$336,000 through failure of highway cases to compensate the hospitals for services rendered.

A geographic distribution of the places of residences of the 1,781 patients involved in highway and other non-industrial accident cases reported by nineteen hospitals is shown in Table 12.

TABLE 12. GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF HIGHWAY ACCIDENT CASES IN GENERAL HOSPITALS, 1927  
(Nineteen Hospitals Reporting)

Patient's Residence	Number	Per Cent
Total .....	1781	100 0
Hospital city or town .....	949	53 2
Hospital county outside of hospital city or town....	393	22 1
New Jersey outside of hospital county .....	293	16 5
Other state than New Jersey .....	146	8 2

The percentage of patients coming from "New Jersey outside of hospital city or town" ranges from seven to 43 per cent. and the range of highway accident cases coming from other States is from one to 45 per cent. of the total number. The majority of out-of-State accident cases come from New York and Pennsylvania.

The majority of the hospitals expressed themselves as having to render an undue amount of free service for highway and other non-industrial accident cases not properly belonging to the hospital district. The few hospitals which answer this question in the negative are specialized hospitals to which emergency cases would not naturally be taken.

#### IX. STATE SYSTEMS OF COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY INSURANCE

Out of forty States, the District of Columbia and three territories which replied to a questionnaire regarding existing State policies of compulsory automobile liability insurance, only one,

Massachusetts, requires general compulsory automobile liability insurance. Connecticut, which has a law giving prior lien to State aided hospitals was the only State with a special law covering the reimbursement of hospitals for services rendered in automobile accident cases.

A few of the States have limited or partial compulsory automobile insurance. Maine, for instance, requires compulsory insurance only when a driver has been convicted of drunken driving or recklessness. In Vermont, a driver who has been responsible for an accident resulting in personal injury or in property damage exceeding \$100 must file a certificate showing that all cars owned by him are covered by insurance. If the operator has been in court for the violation of certain automobile laws, he must file a similar certificate covering all cars he may operate, whether or not owned by him. A New Hampshire driver found by court to be wholly or partially responsible for an accident is required to furnish security not exceeding \$5,000 for personal injury and \$1,000 for property damage, as determined by the court.

Liability insurance or indemnity bonds must be filed by owners of motor vehicles carrying or transporting passengers for compensation in New York, North Dakota, and West Virginia.

Massachusetts is the only State having general compulsory automobile liability insurance. Its law provides that before a car is registered, its owner hold either a motor vehicle liability policy or bond protecting him to the amount of \$5,000 for the injury of one individual and \$10,000 for the injury of more than one individual in a single accident, or that he deposit with the Department of Public Works cash or satisfactory security to the amount of \$5,000.

In 1925 the New Jersey Legislature failed to pass an automobile liability insurance law. In 1927 a similar bill was defeated in Delaware.

Several States are now investigating the whole matter. The District of Columbia has a law pending which will be considered at the next session of Congress. A California Commission which has been studying the problem from all angles will suggest certain laws to its State Legislature in 1929. The General Assembly of Virginia this year created a commission, which is to determine the advisability of passing laws for compulsory compensation insurance for all automobiles, which is to work out a schedule of awards of compensation for injuries and to consider the method by which the funds necessary to be created for the operation of such insurance should be administered. Comparisons will also be made of the cost of compulsory compensation insurance by the

State, with compulsory compensation insurance by insurance companies, and compulsory liability insurance by insurance companies.

XI. ATTITUDE OF NEW JERSEY GENERAL HOSPITALS TOWARD  
STATE AID

New Jersey hospital managers are agreed that State aid is not needed or desirable at this time and that there would be justification to resort to it only in very extreme circumstances, when all other sources of possible revenues have failed.

While it is true that some New Jersey general hospitals are doing a considerable amount of free service for which they are not adequately compensated at present, they realize that the remedy for the situation lies with the local community which will respond to proper appeals for increased support.

The opinion of those who have expressed themselves as being definitely opposed to State aid may be summarized as follows:

1. A hospital is a local institution to be supported by the local community. With State aid given, the local community would be doubly taxed and would not feel its responsibilities toward its own hospitals.

2. The existing financial resources in local communities are adequate to care for free hospital cases arising in the community.

3. The State is not likely to reimburse the hospitals as generously as the county does, and the State will not have the personal interest in or the knowledge of the need of each hospital as the county has

4. State aid means the introduction of politics into hospital administration and introduces the danger of favoritism to hospitals having the greatest political influence.

It may be of interest to recall in this connection that the subject of the introduction of State aid in New Jersey was discussed as early as twenty-five years ago. The New Jersey Review of Charities and Corrections (March-April, 1903), made the following comment at that time: "It is to be hoped that New Jersey will never embark upon a scheme of subsidizing private hospitals \* \* \* aside from the menace of politics and to philanthropy, we wish to emphasize the importance of receiving State funds only for such social needs as do not of themselves appeal to private philanthropy. There is not a hospital in the State that cannot secure all the money necessary to equip it properly and to care adequately for its constituency, provided its superintendent and officers will make known to the generous public its needs and its potential services."

## XII. STATE AID TO GENERAL HOSPITALS IN THE UNITED STATES

In order to determine the policies now existing in other States regarding their subsidizing or appropriating funds toward the support of general hospitals, an inquiry was sent to each of the forty-eight States. The replies received show that only five States are at the present time giving State aid to general hospitals and about ten others are appropriating some money toward the maintenance of the State university hospitals, but are not giving aid to any of the other general hospitals.

Of the five States now aiding general hospitals four States (Connecticut, Maine, Maryland, and Mississippi) are appropriating lump sums, and the fifth State (Pennsylvania) reimburses the hospitals on a per diem basis to the extent of the amount appropriated by the Legislature, such appropriation being based upon the probable number of free days' service.

The State of New York, as reported by Mr. Charles H. Johnson, Director of the New York State Department of Charities, as a State does not make appropriation to general hospitals, but private incorporated hospitals receive annually nearly \$3,000,000 of money raised by taxation. "Payments to incorporated hospitals are made by counties, cities, and towns for destitute patients who are charges on these localities and are cared for in the hospitals under commitment by proper Poor Law officials and at a rate which has been agreed upon. This rate is ordinarily the usual ward rate of the hospital but more recently localities have shown a disposition to pay to local hospitals a rate equal to the annual per capita cost of maintenance on the ground that the usual ward rate is below the cost of maintenance and that the hospital should not be called upon to contribute from its funds for the support of public charges. In accordance with the provisions of Section 14, of Article 8 of the State Constitution, such payments may be made only in accordance with the rules established by the State Board of Charities. This Department, therefore, inspects at least annually the hospitals in receipt of public funds and maintains a general control over the reception and maintenance of public charges. In the case of hospitals found not to be suitable for the care of public patients, the Board may prevent the payment of public funds to this institution by any political subdivision of the State

"In addition to the general statutes providing for payments on a per capita basis, there are certain special laws usually relating to particular institutions which authorize the payment by a locality to this hospital of a definite amount. In order that such payment may be in accord with the State Constitution, it must be for the

support of the poor and must be in accordance with the rules established by the State Board of Charities.

#### HOSPITALS' ATTITUDE TOWARD STATE AID

An inquiry as to whether they consider the present system of State aid satisfactory and desirable was directed to superintendents of general hospitals in the five States giving State aid.

Those satisfied with the existing system of State aid do not give specific reasons why they favor it.

Those commenting adversely on the system of State aid expressed themselves more fully. These expressions may be summarized as follows:

In the State of Connecticut, the existing system does not seem to be satisfactory as a lump sum appropriation is made which has no relation to the amount of free work rendered by the hospital. As one hospital superintendent remarks: "It depends rather upon the appeal which the individual has been able to make to the legislative committee." The Connecticut Hospital Association at present is engaged in devising a more equitable basis for allocating the State funds to the different hospitals.

In Maine the methods of securing State appropriations are stated by one hospital superintendent to be as follows: "In our case a representative of the hospital appears before the legislative committee, presents its case, and asks for an appropriation."

Hospital superintendents in the States of Maryland and Mississippi remark: "I do not approve personally for various reasons States subsidizing hospitals. I think it should be taken care of by towns in which the people live." "There is some agitation or rather was at the last Legislature to do away with the matter of granting State aid to hospitals. Some people believe this would be beneficial to the hospital in the long run."

In Pennsylvania where State aid to general hospitals has been practiced extensively for a long time, it is felt by some hospital superintendents that State aid should be given only to institutions which are under State control. The system is said to be undesirable from the economic standpoint and has worked very poorly in the past though it has shown some improvement in recent years. One hospital superintendent writes that it has always been his "belief that the appropriation system of Pennsylvania was conducive to a larger percentage of free work than would prevail if it were not for the appropriations; in other words, I believe that the knowledge that an institution is receiving State appropriation, has a deterring effect on the effects and desires of a certain class of patients to pay, who, if every effort was made, should

be able to reimburse the hospital. We find that patients who are perhaps on the border line class, are very prone to refer to the fact that the institution is receiving State appropriation, and it reimburses the hospital if they cannot pay."

In a special study on State aided hospitals in Pennsylvania made by the Pennsylvania Department of Welfare which administers State aid, mention is made of the large sums appropriated in the past by the State for general hospitals and the following comments are added:

"Such generosity on the part of the State has had its disadvantages as well as its advantages but the method of appropriating and administering this great State charity until 1921 has had no redeeming feature, but instead has worked distinct injury to the hospitals.

"The State grants were made in individual appropriation bills, passed by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, and these bills may have at times served to control other irrelevant legislation, when manipulated by unscrupulous persons.

"The mode of administration of these funds required that hospitals should show a deficiency in their cost of operation if they were to receive any money under their appropriation act. This inevitably placed a premium upon poor business methods and tempted those in charge of the hospital affairs to 'juggle the books' in order to 'show' a deficiency."

An analysis of the many replies from hospital superintendents all over the country regarding their problems of compensation for free hospital service, reveals a general concensus of opinion that the hospitals are doing a large amount of free work for which they are not properly reimbursed. They feel that it puts an undue burden on the individual hospital and the local community and that some political unit should help defray the cost of free service. The majority of the hospitals suggest that aid should come not primarily from the State but from either the county, municipality, borough, or township.

#### APPENDIX A

##### LAWS CREATING THE COMMISSION TO STUDY STATE AND COUNTY AID TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

###### *Joint Resolution No. 6*

Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of giving State aid by annual appropriations to hospitals in which free sur-

ical and medical services are rendered, and providing for appropriation to appropriately carry on such investigation

Be it resolved by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey.

1. That a commission of six persons be appointed, two to be appointed by the Governor, two to be appointed by the President of the Senate and two to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, residents of this State, to investigate and consider the question of the need and of the advisability of this State giving or furnishing State aid by annual appropriation to hospitals in which free surgical and free medical services are rendered.

2. The commission shall embody the result of its investigation and consideration in a report to the next Legislature and shall recommend such legislation as it shall deem proper.

3. For the purpose of this resolution there is hereby appropriated the sum of three thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill.

4. This joint resolution shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 28, 1927.

*Joint Resolution No. 3*

Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of giving State and county aid by annual appropriations to hospitals, in which free surgical and medical services are rendered, and making an appropriation to carry out such an investigation.

Whereas, By the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 6, of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, a commission of six persons was appointed to consider the question of the need and advisability of this State giving or furnishing State aid to hospitals in which free surgical and free medical service is rendered; and

Whereas, The said commission in the course of its investigation found it necessary to determine to what extent county appropriation should be made, and in order that the investigation may be continued; therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

1. That the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 6 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, be continued for the purpose for which said commission was created, and in addition the commission be charged with the duty of investigating and determining to what extent county appropriations should be made to hospitals in which free surgical and medical services are rendered.

2. For the purpose of this resolution there is hereby appropriated the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill.

3. This joint resolution shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 12, 1928.

## APPENDIX B

### PRESENT NEW JERSEY LAWS REGARDING AID TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

#### I. COUNTY AID

##### A. Amount

1. It shall and may be lawful for the board of chosen freeholders of *any county* of this State which has no hospital located therein maintained by such county other than the hospital or sick ward of the county poor home, or other than a county tuberculosis hospital or sanatorium, or other than a county hospital or sanatorium for the insane, or other than a hospital for contagious or infectious diseases, to make an appropriation of a sum of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars each year, in the same manner that appropriations for other county purposes are made, which sum so appropriated shall be included in the annual tax levy of such county, and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other county taxes, and shall be applied to the purpose of supporting and maintaining such indigent patients as may be sent to any hospital or hospitals supported by private charity and located in such county or in an adjoining county; provided, that the sum so appropriated be used and applied for the benefit, comfort and maintenance of such patients, inmates of such hospital, as are residents of said county at the time of being sent to said hospital. (P. L. 1926, Chapter 133.)

2. The board of chosen freeholders of *counties of the first class* in this State are hereby authorized to make provision in any or all hospitals located in their respective counties for the support in such hospital or hospitals having fifty or more beds, of which twenty or more beds are open to the public at all times for resident indigent patients which are unable to be maintained by private support. Such provision for support of each individual to occupy a bed in any such hospital shall be made by the county, upon certification of the name of the individual by the county physician in which such institution is located and in which such person to be provided for by the county shall be a resident. Such certification by the county physician of such county shall be

approved by the board of freeholders of such county for payment for such support only upon the presentation attached thereto, of a verified bill to said board for the support and maintenance and treatment of such person at such hospital to be signed by the warden or other head officer of such hospital and the physician chief, which said bill shall state that the patient charged for upon the certification was in need of such maintenance and medical treatment for the time charged for and no longer.

The board of chosen freeholders in each county of the first class in this State is authorized to make, for such purpose, an annual appropriation of a sum of money not to exceed five thousand dollars for each hospital to pay for the support and maintenance of such persons in such hospitals, which sum of money shall be included in the annual tax levy of such county and collected in the same manner and at the same time as the other county taxes; provided, however, that the sum so appropriated and collected, or the part thereof which may be unexpended at the end of the fiscal year in such county or counties, shall become a part of the sum authorized to be appropriated for the next fiscal year, and such unexpended sum shall be deducted from the amount authorized by this act to be appropriated and collected for the succeeding year.

The amount to be paid as authorized in this act by the board of chosen freeholders of counties of the first class in this State shall not exceed the sum charged in such hospital, in which such resident indigent may be placed, for patients occupying a bed in wards open to the public. (P. L. 1913, Chapter 312)

3 It shall and may be lawful for the board of chosen freeholders of *any county of the fourth class* in this State, which has no hospital located therein maintained by such county, other than the hospital or sick ward of the county poor home, or other than a county tuberculosis hospital or sanatorium or other than a county hospital or sanatorium for the insane, or other than a hospital for contagious or infectious diseases, to make an appropriation of a sum of money not exceeding ten thousand dollars each year, to any one hospital, in the same manner that appropriations for other county purposes are made, which sum so appropriated shall be included in the annual tax levy of such county, and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other county taxes, and shall be applied to the purpose of supporting and maintaining such patients as may be sent to any hospital or hospitals whether privately owned and maintained or supported by private charity, and located in such county or in adjoining counties; provided, that the sum so appropriated be used and

applied for the benefit, comfort and maintenance of such patients, inmates of such hospital. (P. L. 1928, Chapter 130.)

### *B. Method of Distribution*

Any and all money hereafter appropriated by any board of chosen freeholders and distributed and paid to any hospital by virtue of the provisions of the statute to which this act is a supplement, or of any amendment thereof, shall, in case there be more than one such hospital in such county, be distributed among and paid to such hospitals upon the basis of the free ward days' treatment furnished by each of such hospitals for the benefit, comfort, and maintenance of such patients, inmates therein, as are residents of such county when admitted to such hospital and not otherwise.

A free ward day's treatment is defined as not less than twenty-four hours' medical and nursing attention of a hospital patient who occupies a listed hospital bed in the public ward for at least twenty-four hours continuously and for which nothing is paid; provided, that free ward days' treatment shall not include treatment given to any person who would not commonly be admitted to or maintained in the public or contagious wards of general hospitals. (P. L. 1918, Chapter 42.)

### *C. Construction*

1. It shall be lawful for the board of chosen freeholders of any county in this State which has no hospital located therein maintained by such county, other than a hospital or sick ward of a county poorhouse, to issue bonds to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars for the purpose of enabling any charitable hospital located in such county to construct new buildings, make alterations, additions or repairs to old buildings, and provide equipment for such buildings, which said bonds shall be coupon or registered bonds, or partly coupon and partly registered, and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding five per centum per annum; and the principle of said bonds shall be payable at such time or times, not exceeding thirty years from their date, as the said board of chosen freeholders shall determine, which said bonds shall be sold by said board of chosen freeholders for a sum not less than par and accrued interest, and the proceeds of such sale shall be paid by the county collector to the treasurer or other proper officer of such hospital, to be expended for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned; *provided, however*, that any hospital receiving any money under the provisions of this act shall be

bound to treat such poor persons in such county suffering from disease or accident as may apply for admission to such hospital without cost, and the receipt of any money by the hospital aforesaid, under the provisions of this act shall constitute a contract irrevocable between said hospital and the board of chosen freeholders of such county, by virtue of which said contract said hospital shall be bound to treat the persons suffering from disease or accident, as provided for in this proviso, free of cost or charge, when a certificate shall be produced by such poor person or persons, signed by the board of chosen freeholders of said county, its director, or any member thereof certifying that such poor person or persons are entitled to treatment under the terms of a contract created by this act; and *further, provided*, that nothing in this act contained shall be construed to apply to or prevent any appropriation of money to said hospital under any existing statute or statutes hereafter to be passed, to be used for the purpose of the maintenance, care or treatment of poor persons resident in the county wherein such hospital is located. (P. L. 1910, Chapter 222.)

## II. CITY AID

It shall and may be lawful for any city in this State, which has no hospital located therein maintained by such city, to make an appropriation of a sum of money not exceeding ten thousand dollars each year in the same manner that appropriations for other municipal purposes are made, which sum so appropriated shall be included in the annual tax levy of such city and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other city taxes, and shall be applied to the purpose of supporting and maintaining such indigent patients as may be sent by order of any city physician, overseer of the poor, or other proper authority of such city to any hospital or hospitals, supported by private charity and located in such city, or any other city in this State; the moneys so raised shall be kept as a separate fund known as the hospital fund and shall not be used for any other purpose whatever, and such city shall have power, by ordinance, to regulate the mode of sending such patients to such hospital or hospitals, and also the mode and terms of paying for the care and maintenance of such patients so sent to such hospital or hospitals. (P. L. 1927, Chapter 200.)

## III. AID BY BOROUGH, TOWNS AND TOWNSHIPS

It shall and may be lawful for any borough or town of this State which has no hospital located therein maintained by such municipality to make an annual appropriation of a sum of money

not exceeding an amount equal to one-tenth of one per centum of the total valuations of real and personal property of such municipality in the same manner that other appropriations for other municipal purposes are made, which sum so appropriated shall be included in the annual tax levy of such municipality and collected in the same manner and at the same time as other municipal taxes and shall be applied to the purpose of supporting and maintaining such indigent persons residents of such municipalities as may be sent by order of any overseer of the poor, or other proper authority of such municipality to any hospital now duly incorporated under the laws of this State and located in such municipality or in any other municipality in the same or an adjoining county and to assist in the maintenance of such hospital. (P. L. 1927, Chapter 57.)

#### APPENDIX C

##### PROPOSED CHANGES IN NEW JERSEY LAWS GOVERNING PUBLIC AID TO GENERAL HOSPITALS

The commission recommends that existing laws governing the support of indigent patients in general hospitals by the county, city, borough, town or township be amended to include the following provisions:

1. No money shall be appropriated by any county, city, borough, town or township to any hospital or hospitals supported by private charity for the support of indigent patients unless such hospital or hospitals shall have been inspected and licensed by the Department of Institutions and Agencies.

Hospitals supported by private charity other than those owned by counties or city shall be inspected and licensed annually by the Department of Institutions and Agencies and certification of such inspection and licensure shall be made to the several counties, cities, boroughs, towns and townships.

2. In a privately owned hospital or hospitals the county, city, borough, town or township shall be responsible only for the support of such indigent patients as are purely emergency cases and when no beds are available in a hospital or hospitals supported by private charity; and no money shall be appropriated by any county, city, borough, town or township for such patients unless such hospital or hospitals shall have been inspected and licensed by the Department of Institutions and Agencies.

3. No appropriations shall be made in a lump sum to any hospital or hospitals supported by private charity or to any privately owned hospital or hospitals by any county, city, borough, town or

township for the support of indigent patients; appropriations shall be made only in compensation for definite service rendered to indigent patients and accounted for in the manner prescribed.

4. Indigent patients shall be maintained in public wards only. An indigent patient shall be defined as one unable to maintain himself or those dependent upon him.

A free ward day's treatment is defined as no less than twenty-four hours' medical and nursing attention received by an indigent patient; exceptions may be made under rules and regulations established jointly by the Department of Institutions and Agencies and the several counties, cities, boroughs, towns or townships.

Hospitals may be compensated by the county, city, borough, town or township for the maintenance of ward patients who pay some part of the established daily rate of caring for ward patients to the extent in which the total cost of maintenance exceeds the total income from such part pay ward patients.

5. In case there is more than one hospital in the county supported by private charity or privately owned entitled to compensation for the maintenance of indigent patients, the county shall distribute the total available appropriations to such hospitals upon the basis of the free ward days' treatment furnished by each of such hospitals.

6. It shall be permissible for any county, city, borough, town or township in which there is no hospital supported by private charity to appropriate money for the care of indigent patients in hospitals supported by private charity in adjoining counties, cities, boroughs, towns or townships.

7. The daily cost of care of an indigent patient or patients designated as chronic or incurable shall not exceed the daily cost of maintaining such indigent chronic or incurable patient in the county welfare house.

8. The county, city, borough, town or township appropriating money to a hospital or hospitals maintained by private charity or to a hospital or hospitals privately owned shall have the right to inspect such hospitals and to examine the hospitals' records concerning indigent patients for whom appropriations are requested and to examine the hospitals' financial records with respect to the costs of support of indigent patients.

9. A hospital or hospitals supported by private charity or a privately owned hospital or hospitals requesting an appropriation from any county, city, borough, town or township for the maintenance of indigent patients shall keep a record system establishing the indigency of the patient or patients supported and shall submit its claims for appropriations for indigent patients upon

forms prescribed jointly by the Department of Institutions and Agencies and the several counties, cities, boroughs, towns or townships

10. The Department of Institutions and Agencies jointly with the several counties, cities, boroughs, towns or townships shall be required to establish rules and regulations, not inconsistent with law, concerning the appropriation of money or moneys for the support of indigent patients in hospitals supported by private charity and in privately owned hospitals.

Mr. Altman asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 43, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Altman asked for unanimous consent to amend Senate Bill No. 43 on third reading.

There being no objection, consent was granted.

Mr. Altman offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 43, which were read by the clerk:

On line 1, after the word "State" add the following: "bordering on the Atlantic Ocean".

And further amend by striking out, on line 2, the word "eighty-three" and substitute therefor the word "fifty".

Mr. Altman moved the adoption of the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 43 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 43, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

As amended.

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Altman, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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, with Assembly amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Miss Haines asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 22, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Haines moved that Assembly Bill No. 22 be recommitted to the Committee on Education for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kautz asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 90, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kautz moved that Assembly Bill No. 90 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Otto asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 201, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Otto moved that Assembly Bill No. 201 be recommitted to the Committee on Taxation for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be extended to Master Harvey J. Lavigne, who has distinguished himself in public speaking at Cleveland Junior High School of Newark, for the purpose of making a short address.

Mr. Knight asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 199, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 199 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar,

Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Röder, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Knight moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 199 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Pursel, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Bill No. 199 reconsidered.

Senate Bill No. 199, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, board and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Muir, Newcomb, Otto,

Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendments.

Mr. Blunt asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 271, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Blunt moved that Assembly Bill No. 271 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Pierson asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 38, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Pierson moved that Assembly Bill No. 38 be recommitted to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 246, 247, 266, 267 and 306.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 161,

With the following committee amendments:

On page 5, paragraph 12, under line 5, insert:

Maintenance plumbers shall not be licensed as a master plumber for the installation of plumbing.

On page 5, under "Definitions," between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

"Maintenance Plumber" is any person who is employed to maintain plumbing in hospitals, hotels, institutions, etc., whose principal occupation is repairing of leaks and maintaining the plumbing system in a sanitary manner.

On page 4, paragraph 10, strike out the figure 10 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 9.

On page 5, line 3, strike out the figure 12 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 10.

On page 5, under the title "Definitions" and before the word "Definitions" in line 1 insert the figure 11.

On page 10, line 1, strike out the figure 24 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 12.

On page 10, strike out the figure 25 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 13.

On page 10, strike out the figure 26 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 14.

On page 10, strike out figure 27 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 15.

On page 10, strike out the figure 28 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 16.

On page 11, line 1, strike out the figure 29 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 17.

On page 11, strike out the figure 30 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 18.

On page 12, strike out the figure 31 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 19.

On page 12, strike out the figure 32 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 20.

On page 13, line 38, at the end of said line, strike out the figure 23 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 39.

On page 15, chart A and the second bracket, strike out the figure 56 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 45.

On page 16, sketch No. 4, in the last line thereof, strike out the figure 35 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24.

On page 16, paragraph 1, line 1, strike out the figure 33 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 21.

On page 19, sketch No. 11, line 1, strike out the figure 32 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 21.

On page 19, paragraph 1, line 1, strike out the figure 34 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 22.

On page 19, paragraph 1, line 3, strike out the figure 59 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 48.

On page 19, sketch No. 12, in the last line thereof, strike out the figure 33a and insert in lieu thereof the figure 22a.

On page 19, line 5, at the end of said line, strike out the figure 59 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 48.

On page 20, under the subsection "Branch soil and waste extensions", line 1 thereof, strike out the figure 35 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 23.

On page 20, sketch No. 13, in the last line thereof, strike out the figure 33 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 23.

On page 20, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24.

On page 20, sketch No. 14, at the end of the line, strike out the figure 36 (b) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24 (b).

On page 21, line 10, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24.

On page 21, sketch No. 15, at the end of said sketch, strike out the figure 36 (c) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24 (c).

On page 21, line 17, at the end of said line, strike out the figure 47 (c) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 35 (c).

On page 21, the second sketch on said page insert No. 16.

On page 22, line 37, at the end of said line, strike out the figure 47 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 35.

On page 22, line 43, at the end of said line strike out the figure 60 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 48.

On page 23, sketch No. 17, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the following: 24-D-2.

On page 23, sketch No. 18, last line, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24.

On page 23, line 49, strike out the figure 36 (b) and insert in lieu thereof 24 (b).

On page 23, sketch No. 19, strike out the figure 37 and insert the figure 25.

On page 24, line 1, under the heading Continuous or Circuit Vent Installation strike out the figure 37 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 25.

On page 24, under the paragraph "Back Vents Not Required", line 1, strike out the figure 38 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 26.

On page 24, under the same paragraph, line 7, strike out the figure 35 (b) and insert in lieu thereof 24 (b).

On page 24, line 8, same paragraph, strike out the figure 67-78 and insert in lieu thereof 55-66.

On page 24, under paragraph "Grade of Horizontal Pipes", line 1, strike out the figure 39 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 27.

On page 25, line 1, strike out the figure 40 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 28.

On page 25, sketch No. 20, strike out the figure 40 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 28-C.

On page 25, sketch No. 21, on the last line of said page, strike out the figure 40 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 28-C.

On page 26, line 1, strike out the figure 41 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 29.

On page 27, line 1, strike out the figure 42 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 30.

On page 28, sketch No. 23, on the last line thereof, strike out the figure 42 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 30.

On page 28, line 1, strike out the figure 43 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 31.

On page 29, under the paragraph "Lead Pipe Bends and Traps, Weight of", line 1, strike out the figure 44 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 32.

On page 29, under paragraph "Brass Pipe, Fittings, Turning and Casting", line 1, strike out the figure 45 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 33.

On page 30, under paragraph "Weight of Brass Ferrules", line 1, strike out the figure 46 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 34.

On page 30, under paragraph "Traps and Clean-Outs", line 1, strike out the figure 47 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 35.

On page 31, sketch No. 25, on the last line, strike out the figure 47 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 35 (a).

On page 32, between the lines 23 and 24, insert under the sketch the following: Sketch No. 26, Urinal Trap.

On page 32, line 28, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 24.

On page 32, sketch No. 27, strike out the figure 47 (e) in the last line of said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 35 (e).

On page 33, line 1, strike out the figure 48 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 36.

On page 33, under the paragraph "Back Flow Valves", line 1, strike out the figure 49 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 37.

On page 34, line 1, strike out the figure 50, and insert in lieu thereof the figure 38.

On page 34, sketch No. 29, strike out the figure 50 (a) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 38 (a).

On page 34, under paragraph "Joints and Connections", line 1, strike out the figure 51 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 39.

On page 35, sketch No. 30, strike out the figure 51 in the last line and insert in lieu thereof the figure 39.

On page 35, line 17, strike out the figure 50 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 39.

On page 37, sketch No. 31, strike out the figure 51 in said sketch, and insert in lieu thereof the figure 39-D.

On page 38, line 1, strike out the figure 52 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 40.

On page 38, line 5, strike out the figure 36 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 21 (c).

On page 38, in sketch No. 32, strike out the figure 52 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 41.

On page 38, under the paragraph "Earthenware with Metal Floor Connections", line 1, strike out the figure 53 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 41.

On page 39, under paragraph "Water and Air-tight Joints", line 1, strike out the figure 54 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 42.

On page 39, under paragraph "Connection to Lead Bend", line 1, strike out the figure 55 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 43.

On page 39, under the paragraph "Surface and Rain Water Connections", line 1, strike out the figure 56 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 44.

On page 40, sketch No. 33, strike out the figure 56 (f) under said sketch and insert the figure 44 (f).

On page 40, line 1, strike out the figure 57 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 45.

On page 40, sketch No. 34, strike out the figure 57 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 45.

On page 41, under the paragraph "Small Residence Installations", line 1, strike out the figure 58, and insert in lieu thereof the figure 46.

On page 41, under the paragraph "Hot Water and Steam Wastes", line 1, strike out the figure 59 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 47.

On page 42, under the paragraph "Terminals", line 1, strike out the figure 60 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 48.

On page 42, sketch No. 36, strike out the figure 60 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 48.

On page 42, under paragraph "Waste Pipes for Acid Tanks", line 1, strike out the figure 61 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 49.

On page 43, under the paragraph "Catch Basins, Sumps and Ejectors", line 1, strike out the figure 62 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 50.

On page 43, under the paragraph "Yard Catch Basins", line 1, strike out the figure 63 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 51.

On page 44, sketch No. 38, strike out the figure 65 (a) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 51 (a).

On page 44, under the paragraph "Stable Catch Basin", line 1, strike out the figure 64 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 52.

On page 44, sketch No. 39, strike out the figure 63 (b) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 51 (b).

On page 44, under paragraph "Garage Catch Basin", line 1, strike out the figure 65 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 53.

On page 45, sketch No. 40, strike out the figure 65 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 53.

On page 45, line 7, strike out the figure 63 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 51.

On page 45, under the paragraph "Ejectors", line 1, strike out the figure 66 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 54.

On page 45, under paragraph "Floor Drains and Fixture Wastes", line 1, strike out the figure 67 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 55.

On page 46, under paragraph "Subsoil Receiver", line 1, strike out the figure 68 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 56.

On page 46, paragraph "Wastes from Laundries and Similar Establishments", line 1, strike out the figure 68 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 57.

On page 46, sketch No. 42, strike out the figure 68 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 56.

On page 47, sketch No. 43, strike out the figure 69 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 57.

On page 47, under the paragraph "Bar Wastes", line 1, strike out the figure 70 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 58.

On page 47, under the paragraph "Ice House and Storage Drains", line 1, strike out the figure 71 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 59.

On page 47, under the paragraph "Refrigerator Wastes", line 1, strike out the figure 72 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 60.

On page 48, sketch No. 44, strike out the figure 69 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 57.

On page 48, sketch No. 45, strike out the figure 70 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 58.

On page 48, under the paragraph "Area and Court Drains", line 1, strike out the figure 73 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 61.

On page 48, sketch No. 46, strike out the figure 72 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 60.

On page 48, under paragraph "Elevator Connections", line 1, strike out the figure 74 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 62.

On page 49, line 5, strike out the figures 38 and 49 and insert in lieu thereof the figures 26 and 37.

On page 49, sketch No. 47, strike out the figure 75 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 63.

On page 49, under paragraph "Bubbler Waste", line 1, strike out the figure 75 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 63.

On page 49, under the paragraph "Dental Cuspidors", line 1, strike out the figure 76 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 64.

On page 49, sketch No 48, strike out the figure 76 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 64.

On page 50, under the paragraph "Cistern Overflow", line 1, strike out the figure 77 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 65.

On page 50, sketch No. 49, strike out the figure 77 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 65.

On page 50, under the paragraph "Overflow Pipes", line 1, strike out the figure 78 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 66.

On page 50, under the paragraph "Fixtures", line 1, strike out the figure 79 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 67.

On page 51, sketch No. 50, strike out the figure 79 (b) under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 67 (b).

On page 51, under the paragraph "Urinals", line 1, strike out the figure 80 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 68.

On page 51, sketch No. 51, strike out the figure 80 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 68.

On page 51, under paragraph "Bath Tubs, Sinks and Laundry Tubs", line 1, strike out the figure 81 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 69.

On page 52, line 1, strike out the figure 82 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 70.

On page 52, under the paragraph "Repairs and Reconstruction", line 1, strike out the figure 83 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 71.

On page 53, line 1, strike out the figure 84 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 72.

On page 55, under paragraph "Defects in Materials", line 1, strike out the figure 85 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 73.

On page 55, under the paragraph "Sanitation", line 1, strike out the figure 86 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 74.

On page 56, under the paragraph "Toilet Rooms Required", line 1, strike out the figure 87 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 75.

On page 58, line 1, strike out the figure 88 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 76.

On page 59, under the paragraph "Artificial Light", line 1, strike out the figure 89 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 77.

On page 59, under the paragraph "Combination Main House Drains", line 1, strike out the figure 90 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 78.

On page 60, line 1, strike out the figure 91 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 79.

On page 61, under the paragraph "Sanitary House Sewers and Drains", line 1, strike out the figure 92 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 80.

On page 61, line 3, strike out the figure 32 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 19.

On page 61, line 3, after the words "Chart A", strike out the words (page 22).

On page 62, line 1, strike out the figure 93 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 81.

On page 63, line 1, strike out the figure 94 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 82.

On page 65, sketch 54, strike out the figure 94 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 82.

On page 65, sketch No. 54, strike out the figure 95 under said sketch and insert in lieu thereof the figure 82 (c).

On page 65, sketch No. 55, strike out the figure 94 (c) and insert in lieu thereof the figure 82 (c).

On page 66, the last paragraph in said line, strike out the figure 95 and insert in lieu thereof the figure 83.

On page 4, line 29, after the word "Plumber", in said line insert the following: "an annual license".

On page 4, line 30, at the end of said line add the following: "at the expiration of the license period, such license may be annually renewed. The State Department of Health shall charge a license fee for any such license not to exceed the sum of ten dollars."

On page 4, line 26, after the word "compensation", in said line strike out the period, insert a semi-colon and add the following: "*provided, however, that*".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 161.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 257,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 4,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 334,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 35,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 301,

With the following committee amendments:

Line 17, after the word "pay" add the words "out of the treasury of the State."

Line 17, place a period after the word "comptroller" and strike out the remainder of line 17 and the whole of line 18.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 301.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7,

With the following committee amendments:

Amend the title by inserting in line 4, after the word purpose, "and by State and county government agencies".

Insert in line 2 of the preamble, after the word purposes, "and by State and county government agencies".

Insert in line 7 of the preamble, after the word burden, "or where such properties serve the citizens of other municipalities through State or county institutions or other facilities maintained in such municipalities by the State or any county in the State".

Insert in line 4, section 1 of the resolution, after the word purposes, "or owned by the State or by any county in the State".

Insert in line 6, section 1 of the resolution, after the word said, "or for loss of taxes by reason of public owned tax exempt property the ownership and use of which, by the State or any county in the State is of service to other municipalities in addition to that in which it is located."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Compton moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 119, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that Assembly Bill No. 119 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 3, 40, 19, 187, 159,

As being correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act annexing to Lakewood township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provision of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act annexing to Jackson township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of midwifery in the State of New Jersey," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 334, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants,"

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code and providing penalties for violations,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "An act for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessment to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for education purposes, and by State and county government agencies, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 323, 233 and 225,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 318,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 293,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 311,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 277, 236 and 313.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 305,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 323, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act providing for the appointment in cities having between fifty-five thousand and two hundred thousand inhabitants, within counties other than counties of the first class, of officials and employees of the district court, other than the judge,"

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property of this State for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, development, extending and equipping State charitable, hospital,

relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions and appurtenances thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 236, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And,

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a board of Pub-

lic Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

The Speaker requested Mr. Gopsill, of Monmouth, to take the chair.

Mr. Gopsill then assumed the chair.

Senate Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 2, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint committee appointed under Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the preliminary report of the said joint committee,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters,

Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 2, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. Compton moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson,

Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Letzqus, Mercolino, Parentini, Powers, Roder, Stein—6.

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "An act concerning public parks and places,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Greenberg, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 152, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 152 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a fund for the retirement upon pension of certain employees of the boards of education in school districts in first class counties in this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Leap, Parentini—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. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Micolino, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Duszynski, Otto—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. 19, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 40, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto," which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Siracusa asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 62, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 62 was passed be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 62 reconsidered.

Mr. Siracusa moved that Assembly Bill No. 62 be recommitted to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Siracusa offered the following Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62, and moved its adoption under suspension of the rules.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality in this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, without reference.

Mr. Siracusa moved, under suspension of the rules, that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62 be taken up on second reading forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

Was read a second time by its title and ordered to have a third reading, under suspension of the rules.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, March 12th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and requests its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 17, C. S. for Assembly 34, 64, 81, 92, 93, 104, 125, 127, 128, 136, 146, 120, 79, 109, 133, 137, 169, 171, 185, 186, 207, 210, 223, 26, 132, 142, 144, 179, 184, 199, 248, 269, 284, 4, 21, 70, 76, 156, 198, A. J. R. No. 1 and A. J. R. No. 8.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the clerk carried the following joint resolution to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendments:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefor; and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders in any of the first-class counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain thereon buildings to be used as maternity hospitals,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Blunt, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted,

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, March 12th, 1929.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Willard Espy Thompson, pastor Calvary Baptist Church, Trenton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Greenberg, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Litwin, McDermott, Newcomb, Parentini, Roder, Siracusa—12.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication and report were sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

March 12th, 1929.

*To the Members of the House of Assembly:*

I herewith transmit to the members of the House of Assembly a copy of the official report, known as the Railroad Grade Crossing Commission, appointed by the Legislature of 1928.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE R. MORRISON,  
*Secretary.*

*To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey:*

The Legislature of 1928 adopted a Concurrent Resolution reading as follows:

Concurrent Resolution for the appointment of a commission for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the elimination or alteration of railroad grade crossings and to make a report thereon, which shall include the formulation of an act providing for an equitable apportionment of the cost and expense thereof.

WHEREAS, The use of motor vehicles on the public highways has increased the danger to human life at railroad grade crossings; and  
WHEREAS, Under the act approved March 12, 1913 (Chapter 57, Laws 1913), the elimination or alteration of such crossings has not been as rapid as desirable and it is deemed advisable that the subject matter should receive investigation and consideration, before any further legislation is enacted thereon; therefore

*Be it resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring):*

1. There shall be appointed by the President of the Senate two members of the Senate, and by the Speaker of the House of Assembly two members of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the elimination or alteration of railroad grade crossings and to make a report thereon, which shall include the formulation of an act providing for an equitable apportionment of the cost and expense thereof.

2. The commission shall organize by the selection of a Chairman and Secretary, and is authorized to request the State Highway Commission and the Board of Public Utility Commissioners to furnish such information and engineering data as may be in their possession, relating to the subject of inquiry authorized in section 1 of this resolution.

3. The said commission shall make a report thereon and embody in its findings an act to be presented to the next regular session of the Legislature.

4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

The undersigned were appointed to serve as the commission authorized by the foregoing resolution, and pursuant to the directions therein contained have inquired into the question of eliminating grade crossings, and of the physical condition relating to railroad and highway traffic over the grade crossings in this State, and the policy and legislation of other States, and present herewith its findings.

Analysis of grade crossings of highways and railroads in this State shows the following facts:

Single main track crossings .....	1803
Double main track crossings .....	908
Three or more main track crossings .....	158
Siding tracks .....	63
	2932
Total .....	2932

These crossings are now protected as follows:

By gatemen or flagmen .....	780
By automatic signals .....	684
By standard crossing signs .....	1468
	2932
Total .....	2932

Train movements at these crossings are as follows:

Switching and irregular freight only .....	405
Less than 30 regular trains per 24 hours ..	1669
30 to 100 regular trains per 24 hours .....	709
Over 100 regular trains per 24 hours ....	149
	2932
Total .....	2932

Highway traffic over these crossings consists preponderantly of the movement of motor vehicles. This traffic in the following table is classified as light, where the vehicular movement is less than 2500 per day; medium, 2500 to 5000 per day; heavy, over 5000 per day:

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Light at .....	2248 crossings
Medium at .....	378 crossings
Heavy at .....	306 crossings
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Total .....	2932 crossings

Bus and trolley lines are operated over 482 of these crossings, and it is estimated that 35,000 trolley cars and buses per day are operated across railroad tracks at grade.

This large traffic over our railroad crossings indicates the large increase in the number of motor vehicles using our highways. The annual report of the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles for the year 1928 shows the following table of motor vehicle registrations during the past eight years:

1921 .....	272,994
1922 .....	342,666
1923 .....	427,166
1924 .....	504,516
1925 .....	579,978
1926 .....	651,416
1927 .....	712,402
1928 .....	765,806

In addition to which about 6634 motor-cycle registrations were issued in 1928.

Owing to our coast and lake resorts, and being situated between New York and Pennsylvania, it is estimated that the number of cars from sister States using the highways of this State would average from one-quarter to one-third of our own registrations, making approximately one million motor vehicles traversing our highways daily, with the number constantly increasing, the increase in the past fifteen years being over 600 per cent. In this connection it has been found that there is an impending decrease, rather than an increase, in the number of train movements on our railroads. The reports of the Interstate Commerce Commission show that while freight tonnage is continually in-

creasing on the railroads, the use of larger locomotive and larger freight cars and larger trains serves to keep the number of trains to about the level of 1920, while passenger traffic is actually decreasing, owing very largely to the fact that more and more travel is being shifted from trains to automobiles. (Statistics of the Interstate Commerce Commission for 1928 show that passenger traffic on railroads decreased from 1269 million passengers in 1920 to 874 million in 1926.

The New York Herald-Tribune, commenting editorially on November 19, 1928, says:

"Prior to 1920 every year showed an increase in the volume of passenger traffic handled by the carriers, reflecting the natural growth of the country. The increase between 1910 and 1920 was nearly 50 per cent. Since 1920 there has been an almost unbroken decline, and on the basis of figures now available it is predicted that the number of passengers carried one mile by the railroads during 1928 will be the smallest for any year since 1909. Passenger business at the present time is approximately 33 per cent. below its level of 1920."

Nevertheless the number of grade crossing accidents and the number of persons killed and injured in this country seems to be steadily increasing. In 1923, 2040 persons were killed at grade crossings, 79 per cent. of whom were automobile passengers. In the same year those injured numbered 6314, of which automobile passengers constituted 86 per cent. The increase for the following three years is shown by the following table:

	<i>Killed</i>	<i>Auto</i>	<i>Injured</i>	<i>Auto</i>
1923 .....	2149	79%	6314	86%
1924 .....	2268	79%	6525	87%
1925 .....	2206	81%	6555	90%
1926 .....	2491	83%	6991	91%

Considering the speed and power of the modern motor vehicle, under control (and sometimes out of control), of various types of drivers, men, women and children, it may be anticipated that the foregoing ratios will increase rather than decrease with combined factors of more cars and improved highways.

We find that since 1900 446 grade crossings have been eliminated in this State at a cost to the railroad companies, exclusive of incidental improvements, of approximately \$35,000,000. The

majority of these crossings were in the larger cities and congested districts. During the same period 58 crossings have been discontinued, either by diverting or vacating the highway, or by abandonment of the tract. It is estimated that in addition to the amount expended by the railroad companies the expense incurred by other corporations and the municipalities, principally for land or land damages or street work outside of the railroad right-of-way, amounted to approximately three and a half million dollars.

Of the existing grade crossings reported 101 of them have been constructed since 1900, the majority being industrial spurs to manufacturing plants. During the same period 45 new highways were constructed or extended at grade across existing railroad tracks.

A survey of the laws of the 48 States shows that in 33 of the States the law provides for the elimination of grade crossings by State participation, a majority of them providing that the railroad company assume 50 per cent. of the cost or such equitable proportions as may be fixed under special circumstances by a State board or other authority having jurisdiction of the matter. Fifty per cent. by statute: New York, Ohio, Georgia, Louisiana, Oregon, South Carolina, Virginia; also Connecticut and Indiana in certain cases.

Division by State Commissions: Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Carolina, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin.

Fifty per cent. to 65 per cent. by statute: Maine, Vermont, Massachusetts and Kentucky.

In 12 of the States (in the South and Far West) there are no laws providing for the elimination of existing crossings. Of the three remaining States Alabama requires the elimination of grade crossings in her larger cities, and West Virginia has legislation with reference to State highway crossings. New Jersey is unique in its present legislation. The general railroad law authorizes the making of contracts between railroads and municipalities for grade crossing elimination, but this legislation, leaving such municipality to adopt its own policy, has not proved to be

as fruitful of results as was expected. The Fielder Act (enacted in 1913) is the only other statute applicable to the situation. By this act the railroad companies may be required by order of the Public Utility Commissioners to eliminate crossings and to bear practically the whole cost of the work, irrespective of the use, character and history of the highway. Our State stands alone in this attitude toward this great problem, and the large expenditures involved in the literal enforcement of the law has properly caused the Board to adopt a conservative course in its application, and, as stated in the concurrent resolution, the elimination of crossings under this act has not been as rapid as is desirable.

The fact which must be dealt with is that in 1913 there were not more than 75,000 automobiles using our highways, while at the present time there are approximately one million cars and trucks on the roads every day. On the other hand it does not appear that there has been any increase in units of train movements, so that the use of the crossings has increased almost solely with reference to the highway use.

This motor traffic paid to the State in 1928, according to the annual report of the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, the sum of \$13,569,028 for license fees and fines, and \$8,470,335 in gasoline tax, or something in excess of \$22,000,000, practically all of which is devoted to the improvement of the public highways. The annual report of the State Board of Assessors for the year 1928 shows that the total tax assessed on property used for railroad purposes for the year 1928 was \$18,508,598, so that while the two agencies in the grade crossing problem contributed to the State last year the large sum of \$40,500,000, no part of this money was used for the relief of that problem, and under the existing laws no part can be used for that purpose. In view of the continuous increase in motor vehicle traffic, and the consequent demand and agitation for making safe and convenient the necessary crossings of railroad tracks, it would seem imperative to take such measures as other States have taken and enact a reasonable law providing for the elimination of grade crossings by State participation, a project which seems now as necessary as the reconstruction of only the surface of our highways. The figures obtained show that the railroad companies have already

eliminated 446 crossings at a cost of \$35,000,000, or roughly at an average cost of \$75,000, which has also involved a cost to the municipalities or other public utilities participating of 10 per cent. to 15 per cent. in addition, so that it may be assumed for present purposes that the average cost has been about \$85,000 per crossing.

From the data set forth in the first part of this report it appears that the 482 grade crossings were used by buses or trolley cars, and 306 crossings carry a traffic of more than 5000 vehicles per day. Allowing for duplication in classification it is apparent that there are now at least 500 which should be placed on a program for elimination, which will involve an expenditure of forty to fifty million dollars and require ten or more years for its accomplishment. During that period conditions may require a considerable enlargement of the program. It is necessary, therefore, if the State is to meet this situation squarely and fairly, a workable law must be enacted and money must be provided for the purpose. As we have said, the State's revenue from railroads and automobiles, while large, is now definitely appropriated to other uses. In New York a bond issue of three hundred million dollars has been voted by the people to pay the State's 40 per cent. share of the cost of grade crossing eliminations, another 10 per cent. being assessed against the county. Under the grade crossing law in New York the State may loan to the railroad companies and the counties the necessary funds from the bond issue to aid them in financing their respective shares of the cost of the work. The fund provided in New York should be considered in connection with the following data comparing that State with New Jersey:

	<i>New York</i>	<i>New Jersey</i>
Miles of highway .....	82,041	17,889
Miles of railroad .....	8,400	2,400
Number of motor vehicles .....	1,500,000	780,000
Area (square miles) .....	49,204	8,224
Population per square mile (1920) .....	218	420
Motor vehicles per square mile .....	32	95
Motor vehicles per road mile .....	18	44

It will be observed that the motor traffic over the highways in New Jersey is apparently two or three times as heavy as it is in New York State.

We do not believe, however, that that method of financing the project is necessary in this State. As indicated above, our 2c gas tax now provides a revenue of close to nine million dollars per annum. An additional tax of one-half cent per gallon would provide a fund of approximately two and a quarter million dollars annually, which in ten years would amount to one-half of the estimated requirements of about \$45,000,000 for the elimination of the more important crossings. The railroads have expended on the average about one and one-quarter million dollars per annum on this work since 1900. If the State should provide a fund of two and a quarter to two and a half million dollars per annum toward paying half of the cost of the work, it would require the railroad companies to practically double their former average annual appropriations. Under the existing laws grade crossings have been eliminated at an average rate of thirteen per annum. Under State participation in one-half the expense this very necessary work could be speeded up and quadrupled in accomplishment, and financed in a way which would not affect the State's present revenues, and which would not place any appreciable burden upon the automobile traffic which has now been made an acute problem of the grade crossing situation. This subject was recently discussed by the National Association of Railroad and Public Utility Commissioners at their annual convention held in New Orleans. On November 13th the Committee on Safety of Railroad Operations reported as follows:

"Since the advent of the automobile in ever-increasing numbers, to the extent that this agency has now become a serious competitor with the steam railroad carriers, the owner of the motor vehicle in all equity becomes a unit of assessment for his proportionate share of the cost of separating or eliminating or protecting these crossings. Taking these apparent truths through to the last analysis, without considering the safety problems pressing for solution upon the public authorities who must determine the issues, brings one to the conclusion, if the costs of separation, elimination and protection are to be assessed and imposed upon those benefitted in proportion to the benefits conferred, that Federal and State appropriations should be made therefor,

so that the entire burden of cost may not rest upon the carriers and the local municipalities within whose limits the particular grade crossing may exist."

We consider the matter of elimination of railroad grade crossings to be essentially a State problem, and one of such importance that it should receive early and most careful consideration by the Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS B. DAVIS,  
*Chairman.*

GEORGE R. MORRISON,  
*Secretary.*

THOMAS A. MATHIS,  
CHARLES R. BLUNT,  
*Commission.*

March 12, 1929.

Mr. Morrison moved that the communication and report be received and be spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

March 11th, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk, House of Assembly, Trenton, New Jersey:*

DEAR MR. BRODESSER—I have been requested by the Board of Directors of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce to send you a copy of the following resolution, adopted by the Board February 28th, 1929:

*Resolved,* That the Board hereby endorses the principle of a mechanical voting device for use at elections in New Jersey, and that a record of this action be transmitted to the Legislature

GEORGE S. BURGESS,  
*Vice-President and Secretary.*

Mr Knight moved that the communication be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 22,

By the following committee substitute, which was read by the clerk:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and nonresident children in this State,"

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 325 and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 165,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 296 and 297,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 231,

With the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

At the end of line six, section 1, add a comma ",".

At the beginning of line 7, section 1, before the word "without", insert the words "or debris, ashes, dirt, earth or other substance deposited."

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 231.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 294,

By the following committee substitute, which was read by the clerk:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for

the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Blunt, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Assembly Bill No. 135,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 324,

With the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk:

On page 2, line 42, strike out the last three words in said line, and strike out all of line 43 and line 44 down to the semi-colon, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the sum fixed by this act."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 324.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 196,

With the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

Amend section 2, line 2, by striking out after the word "the" the words "upper part of the human body" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "scalp, face or neck".

Amend section 2 by striking out all of lines 12 and 13.

Amend section 6, subdivision 1, line 3, by striking out after the word "a" the word "diploma", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "certificate from the Commissioner of Education of this State".

Amend section 6, subdivision 1, line 4, by striking out after the word "education" the words "as determined by an examination conducted by", and inserting in lieu thereof a ".".

Amend section 6, subdivision 1, by striking out all of line 5.

Amend section 7, line 4, by striking out after the word "by" the words "Examination conducted by the board", and inserting

in lieu thereof the words "the Commissioner of Education of this State".

Amend section 7, line 11, by striking out before the first comma the words "massaging and manipulating the muscles of the upper body".

Amend section 9, line 3, by striking out after the word "apprentices" the words "and applicants to".

Amend section 9, line 4, by striking out before the word "not" the words "enter barber schools to determine their educational fitness,".

Amend section 11, line 3, by striking out after the word "a" the word "diploma", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "certificate from the Commissioner of Education of this State".

Amend section 11, line 4, by striking out after the word "equivalent" the words "as determined by an examination conducted by the board".

Amend section 11 by striking out all of the subdivision 2, contained in lines 9, 10 and 11.

Amend section 11, subdivision 3, line 20, by striking out after the word "a" the word "diploma", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "certificate from the Commissioner of Education of this State".

Amend section 11, subdivision 3, line 21, by striking out after the word "education" the words "as determined by the board".

Amend section 17, line 7, by striking out after the word "for" the words "an examination", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "a certificate from the Commissioner of Education of this State".

Amend section 2, line 11, by striking out after the word "neck" the words "or upper part of the body."

Amend section 11, supposition 1, line 8, by striking out after the word "act" the comma (,) and the word "or" and by inserting in lieu thereof a period (.)

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 196.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 119,

With the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

Section 16, on line 9, strike out the word "thirty" and dash following the word "thirty", and letters "Decem-" and substitute the word "July" and add a comma after the word "July".

Section 16, line 10, strike out the letters "ber" and the comma after the said letters "ber".

Section 16, line 10, insert after the word "the" and before the word "year" the word "second".

Section 16, line 14, strike out the word "thirty" and the dash following the word "thirty".

Section 16, line 15, strike out the word "December" and insert in lieu thereof the words "July in said second year".

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 119.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 13,

With the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk.

Section one, line four, after the word "municipality" add the following words: "in making such contract it shall not be necessary to advertise for bids".

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 13.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Senate Bill No. 17,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 112,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 64,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 151,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 336,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Senate Bill No. 41,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 309,

Favorably, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and non-resident children in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State, and constituting a municipal Board of Fire and Police Commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such board, and vesting in such board certain powers of management and appointment now vested in other departments or offices in such cities, and providing for the maintenance of such board," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' "

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the drainage of wet lands in northern New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' as heretofore amended and supplemented, approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act concerning the control of water in brooks and streams in counties by counties, cities, townships and villages,"

As amended,

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition and preservation of the Dey House Washington Headquarters, located at Preakness, in the township of Wayne, county of Passaic, to commemorate the sesqui-centennial of the occupancy of said headquarters by General George Washington in the American Revolutionary War; to appoint a commission with power to acquire and preserve the said headquarters; and to appropriate moneys to pay for the acquisition and preservation of the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend and supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a State board of barbers for the licensing of persons to carry on such practices, to insure better education of such practitioners, to provide rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of the occupation of barbering for the protection of the public health, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 13, entitled "An act authorizing contracts between municipalities and incorporated volunteer fire companies for fire service and providing for the purchase, maintenance and housing of fire apparatus,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 336, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize a conveyance of certain State lands situated in the township of Ewing, Mercer County,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 296, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one," as amended by act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prohibit the catching of eels during certain months of the year in the seaside waters of the townships of Dennis and Upper in the County of Cape May,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

And

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Blunt, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones,

Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Greenberg, Huelsenbach, Kautz, Litwin, McDermott, Parentini, Roder, Siracusa, —12.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, announced a public hearing on Assembly Bill No. 35 next Monday, March 19th, at four o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber.

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of county clerk's employees in counties of the first class of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Jones, Knight, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kuser, Pursel, Stein, Summers, Wettstein—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. 68, entitled "An act concerning municipalities having boards of aldermen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hol-

linshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Jones, Lorenz, Pierson, Stelle—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. 263, entitled "An act concerning salaries in certain second-class cities of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-

sill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission consisting of three Senators to be named by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the subject of pensions paid by the State and the several counties and municipalities thereof,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 89, 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,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker) Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 98, entitled "An act validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative was—

Miss Haines—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. Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minute.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Blunt, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Letzgun, Litwin, McDermott, McMurray, Micolino, Newcomb, Parentini, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Weber—16.

Mr. Barison offered the following resolution, which was read by the clerk:

A joint resolution requesting the Congress of the United States of America to place an embargo on the exportation of arms, ammunition and all other implements of warfare intended for delivery, within any country contiguous to the United States of America when it is known that a state of war or civil insurrection exists in such country.

WHEREAS, It is of common knowledge that a state of war or insurrection now exists within the territory of the land of Mexico; and

WHEREAS, The exportation of fire arms and other implements of warfare from our country to the warring factions will undoubtedly lead to a longer continuance of havoc among our neighbors to the south, therefore

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Congress of the United States of America be requested to pass such legislation as will act as an effectual embargo of the shipment of all implements of warfare ammunition, poison gases or any other articles the receipt of which would tend to prolong a state of conflict; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this resolution, signed by the Governor, be forwarded to the Clerk of the Senate of the United States and a copy to the Clerk of the House of Representatives, and the Senators of the State of New Jersey and each member of the House of Representatives from New Jersey, who are hereby requested to bring the resolution officially before their respective houses.

Mr. Knight moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker requested Mr. Kuser, of Somerset County, to take the chair.

Mr. Kuser then assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stélie, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Marini—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. Stewart asked unanimous consent to offer the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 123 on third reading:

There being no objection consent was granted.

Section 2, line 5, strike out the words "ninety-eight" and insert in lieu thereof the words "one thousand nine hundred and eighteen".

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 123 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

As amended on third reading,

Was taken up and on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 32, entitled "An act to carry into effect, in the State of New Jersey, the provisions of an act of Congress to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the act entitled 'An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' approved July second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and all acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture, and to give the assent of the Legislature thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 55, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal treasurers of municipalities incorporated under 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,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Kalamen, Newcomb, Young—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. 265, entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,' which amending act was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one."

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Wise asked unanimous consent to offer the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 286 on third reading:

There being no objection consent was granted.

On page 5, paragraph 3, line 1, strike out the word "section" in said line and insert in lieu thereof the word "provision".

On page 5, paragraph 3, line 2, strike out the word "sections" and insert in lieu thereof the word "provisions".

Where were read by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 286 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

As amended on third reading,

Was taken up and on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Vanderbach—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.

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—26.

**In the negative were—**

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Cassini, Duszynski, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Mercolino, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach—16.

Mr. Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kala-

men, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Rittenhouse—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.

Assembly Bill No. 11, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Muir,

Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Smock asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 175, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Smock moved that Assembly Bill No. 175 be recommitted to the Committee on Railroads and Canals for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise asked unanimous consent to offer the following amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, on third reading:

There being no objection, consent was granted.

Line 8, page 2, after the word "Senate" it be amended to read: "One Assemblyman to take the place of Wilton T. Applegate, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House."

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved the adoption of the amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "Joint resolution to continue the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 12 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of eight citizens of the following classifications and number; two economists, one of whom shall be from the faculty of Princeton University and one from the faculty of Rutgers State University, one farmer, one banker, one manufacturer, one member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, to be appointed by the Governor; one senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate; one assemblyman, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission to be known as the tangible personal property tax commission for the purpose of studying the question of the tax on tangible personal property now imposed on industry, agriculture and trade in New Jersey to the end that farmers,

manufacturers and merchants of New Jersey may compete on the same basis with the farmers, manufacturers and merchants of other States where the personal property tax has been repealed, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and making an appropriation therefor,"

As amended on third reading,

Was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Assembly amendments.

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

*Resolved*, That there be printed for the use of the State Library and the Legislature, one hundred copies of the testimony of the Commission created pursuant to the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 of the Legislative Session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessment to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for educational purposes, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Miss Jones asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 232, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Jones moved that Assembly Bill No. 232 be recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Compton asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 266, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Compton moved that Assembly Bill No. 266 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

The following announcement and resignation was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk

I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the House of Assembly from the County of Essex, to take effect at once, due to the fact that I am about to take over the office of Commissioner of Labor of the State of New Jersey.

CHAS. R. BLUNT.

Mr. Knight moved that the announcement and resignation be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court interpreters in counties of the first class in this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Jones, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Stewart, Wettstein, Young—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.

Miss Jones, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported Assembly Bill No. 232, with the following committee amendments, which were read by the Clerk

Section one, line eleven, strike out the words "nineteen hundred and twenty-eight" and insert in place thereof, the words, "nineteen hundred and twenty-nine."

Strike out section two, and insert a new paragraph in lieu thereof as follows:

"The sum of \$12,000, or as much of this amount as is necessary, is hereby appropriated for the purposes of carrying out this act when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill"

Mr Jones moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No 232.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships reported

Assembly Bill No. 50.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No 229,

Favorably without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 275 with the following committee amendment, which was read by the Clerk.

Page four, line eighty-one, strike out the words "the provisions of Article IX, Chapter two hundred eighty-one, P. L. one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight," and insert words "forty miles per hour."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 275.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 276,

**Favorably, without amendment.**

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 166 with the following committee amendments, which were read by the Clerk.

Amend line twenty-one by inserting after the word "purposes" the words "(except indebtedness incurred for such emergency purposes as may be funded under the provisions of the act to which this act is amendatory),"

Amend line 123 by striking out the letter "s" the last letter of the word "receipts."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 166.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 208, with the following committee amendments.

Which were read by the Clerk.

Amend line 8 by inserting after the word "unapplied" the words "to one or more of the following."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 208.

**Which motion was adopted.**

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

Assembly Bill No. 317.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 333.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 183.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 310.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 110, with the following committee amendments.

Which were read by the Clerk.

On line 3 of the title of said act, strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nineteen."

On page 1, paragraph 1, after the word "State" in said line insert the following: "bordering on the Atlantic Ocean."

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 2, strike out the word "twenty" and insert in lieu thereof the word "nineteen."

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 110

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 249, by Committee Substitute as follows, which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for

Assembly Bill No. 249.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 256 by Committee Substitute as follows, which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 256.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 12th, 1929. }

*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 26, entitled "An act concerning the care and custody of minor children,"

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to validate ordinances adopted by municipalities on or after April ninth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

And

Senate Bill No 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up

And

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act concerning the care and custody of minor children,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to validate ordinances adopted by municipalities on or after April ninth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

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. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Senate Bill No. 18, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Young—36

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 62.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 31.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 59.

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 105.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor this day:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 3

Assembly Bill No. 15.

Assembly Bill No. 16.

Assembly Bill No. 130.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 314.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 12th, 1929. }

*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. 32, 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. 108, entitled "An act to authorize counties to appropriate moneys for the maintenance of charitable hospitals in such counties,"

And

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to incorporate the 'Borough of Shiloh' in the county of Cumberland,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 32, 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 Towns and Townships.

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to authorize counties to appropriate moneys for the maintenance of charitable hospitals in such counties,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to incorporate the "Borough of Shiloh' in the county of Cumberland,"

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 following bills were introduced, were read for the first time by the title, were ordered printed and referred to Committee as follows:

By Mr. Gopsill:

Assembly Bill No. 337, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No 339, entitled "An act for the relief of John H. Enright,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor,' "

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Gopsill :

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for the said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Otto :

Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act to amend an act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on

real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Muir :

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Muir :

Assembly Bill No. 345, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), which supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Young :

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Young :

Assembly Bill No. 347, entitled "A further supplement to a supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessments and collection of taxes, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Young (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 348, 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),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Rittenhouse:

Assembly Bill No. 349, entitled "An act to encourage the propagation of game in the State of New Jersey and providing a license therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years, and to authorize certain judges to order that such judgment shall not operate as a disqualification of such persons for any office, and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such, and providing for the revocation of such order,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Barbour:

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the sale of lands by cemetery companies,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled "An act concerning Public Parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stein:

Assembly Bill No. 355, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Marini:

Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898),"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mrs. Peters:

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a Bureau of Vital Statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by act approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen and as further amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Marini:

Assembly Bill No. 358, entitled "An act to validate and confirm the appointment of certain legal assistants by the Prosecutor of the Pleas in certain counties of this State and to validate and confirm the payment of the salary or compensation of such appointees,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Marini:

Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of medical inspectors of boards of education of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Purdy:

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Marini:

Assembly Bill No 361, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties in 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 act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No. 362, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of police recorders in townships of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Edgar:

Assembly Bill No 363, entitled "An act relative to recorders in townships of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No 364, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918),"

Referred to Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "An act providing for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceed-

ings of the Spanish-American War Veterans of the Department of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No 367, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cemeteries,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No 368, entitled "An act to permit municipalities maintaining no hospital or institution for the observation of persons charged with misdemeanor or disorderly conduct to contract with other municipalities for their maintenance during observation,"

Referred to the Committee on Social Welfare.

By Mr. Huelsenbeck:

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "An act to grant, remise, release, convey and confirm unto the record owner of lands and premises, the title to which has escheated to the State of New Jersey, the right, title and interest of the State of New Jersey in such lands so escheated,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Kautz:

Assembly Bill No 370, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Kautz:

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No 373, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning motor vehicles bailed, rented or leased, without a driver, to be operated by the bailee, or lessee, his agent or servant, for purposes other than the transportation of passengers for hire, and their operation upon public highways,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," which amendment was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' which amendment was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Kautz :

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to authorize the sale, and/or change from one public use to another such use of land or any estate or interest therein owned by any municipal or other corporation having power of eminent domain, and to provide compensation for any additional burden or damage that may be imposed or caused by such change of use,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Kalamen :

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to fix the pay or salary of certain employees of the Rahway Reformatory,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lorenz :

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act vesting the title to real estate of which Mary M. McDermott died seized and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in James Walsh,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Lorenz :

Assembly Bill No. 377, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for buying and selling merchandise at public auction within this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing limited appropriations for the relief and education of certain indigent children in the cities of this State,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,"

Referred to the Committee on Claims and Pensions.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Bill No. 379, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Pierson :

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Pierson :

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Altman :

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to police magistrates in cities of the second class,'"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to Committee on Taxation.

By Mr Cassini :

Assembly Bill No 384, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance' (Revision of 1902), approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two," which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Social Welfare.

By Mr. Litwin :

Assembly Bill No 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning conditional sales and to make uniform the law relating thereto," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' which amendatory act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for overflow of the tide, or the filling in, of the lands contained within the bounds of any meadow company, heretofore organized by virtue of the provisions of any special or general act of the Legislature of this State; to provide funds, to defray the expenses thereof and to protect adjoining

meadows, or other lands from damages, and to assess a portion of the cost thereon on such adjoining lands,' which act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Powers:

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Social Welfare.

By Mr. Pursel:

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act authorizing the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Phillipsburg, New Jersey and Easton, Pennsylvania, providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Pursel:

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Lopatcong in the county of Warren, to the town of Phillipsburg, in the county of Warren,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability

and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," as amended by Chapter ninety-three, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; Chapter eighty-five, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one; and Chapter forty-nine of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which said supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgages against loss,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgage against waste or misapplication, of the income from the mortgaged lands,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Court of Chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Leap:

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled "An act relative to mortgages, the foreclosure thereof and regulating proceedings on foreclosure,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act appropriating money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of Morris Canal and Banking Company, and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Barison:

Assembly Bill No. 400, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Mercolino (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 401, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same, and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Mercolino:

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revisions of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr Mercolino (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "An act validating a deed or conveyance made by any general guardian conveying any interest which minors may have in lands situate in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Miss Carty :

Assembly Bill No. 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning warehouse receipts, and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Carty :

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Education

By Miss Carty :

Assembly Bill No. 406, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898),"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Bucino :

Assembly Bill No. 407, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessments and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled "An act to provide for the completion of the vital records of New Jersey by the filing of copies of such records dated prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, with the State Registrar of Vital Statistics, and for filing and indexing the same alphabetically and in such manner as to render them readily available for reference,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Bill No. 411, entitled "An act relating to the compensation of each and all deputies, clerks, and chief clerks, or executive clerks in the offices of the county clerk, surrogate and register of deeds and mortgages in counties of the first class of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Somerdale, in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Valley in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 415, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Lindenwold, in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "A supplement to an act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 420, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Hill, in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning coun-

ties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 422, 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),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Altman :

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wettstein :

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. Wettstein :

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act concerning cemetery and cemetery associations, and providing for the regulation of the same,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved February twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 427, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and three," passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 429, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of professional engineers and land surveyors,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Cassini :

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act relating to transportation or removal of goods and chattels,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' "

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 432, entitled "An act concerning contingent fees,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of painting, the use of paints containing certain materials and for other purposes,"

Referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the sale of paints; to provide for true labels for the same when offered for sale; for the enforcement of this act by the State chemist; for penalties for the violation of the same, and for other purposes,"

Referred to the Committee on Labor and Industries.

By Mrs. Stelle:

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "An act relating to the sale of property by married women, where they acquire title to same by gift, devise or inheritance,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 436, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations and for the collection thereof,' approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four," which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six,' and which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended."

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896),

approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 439, entitled "An act relating to motor vehicles and their use thereof on the highways of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Miss Haines:

Assembly Bill No. 441, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,' approved February sixteen, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Union,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a department of municipal accounts and the office of commissioner of

municipal accounts, and defining his duties and powers," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 445, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled "An act authorizing the State University of New Jersey to provide for instruction in the principals and practice of real estate law,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Highways.

By Mr. Wettstein:

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled "An act to reorganize the office of the State Purchasing Agent and concerning the purchase of all furniture, equipment, material, supplies, printing and stationery for the use of the State and State institutions, boards, commissions and officers,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Spair:

Assembly Bill No. 449, entitled "An act concerning trust funds created by public subscription for the support and maintenance of widows and children of deceased members of the police and fire departments of municipalities of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Stewart (by request) :

Assembly Bill No. 450, entitled "An act to repeal and re-enact with amendment section nine of 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Hollinshed :

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Mercolino :

Assembly Bill No. 452, 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,'"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Mercolino :

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class or second class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of sixty years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Barison :

Assembly Bill No. 454, entitled "An act to provide for and regulating rates for gas distribution throughout the State,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Young :

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commission and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Young (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 456, entitled "An act to create a flood district commission for controlling floods and wet lands in certain counties of this State; defining its jurisdiction, powers and duties and providing a scheme for carrying its object into effect."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Wise:

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled "An act to enable cities fronting on tidal waters of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under water within any such city and to make assessments upon lands specially benefitted by such improvements,"

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Mrs. Summers:

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled "An act for the payment of a bonus to each soldier, or a dependent or dependents thereof, who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the war between the United States and the German Empire and its allies,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled "An act to fix and define a portion of the southerly boundary line and a portion of the westerly boundary line of the borough of Avon-by-the-Sea, in the county of Monmouth,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 460, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to give to disabled veterans of the World War who were admitted to the practice of law in this State certain law books,'"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting

Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 462, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Bill Revision.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision 1908), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 464, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean having a population of not less than twenty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,'"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smock:

Assembly Bill No. 465, entitled "An act fixing the salaries of county detectives in counties of the third class,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled "An act concerning the terms of inspectors of buildings in boroughs of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

By Mr. Purdy :

Assembly Bill No. 468, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance and support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Purdy :

Assembly Bill No. 469, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 470, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Leap :

Assembly Bill No. 471, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bethke :

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acquisition and maintaining by the State of New Jersey in conjunction with the State of Pennsylvania of toll bridges across the Delaware River and providing for free travel across the same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred twelve,"

Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of the municipalities of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Egg Harbor City, part of the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

By Mr. Morrison:

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled "An act providing for chambers or offices for Justices of the Supreme Court,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State real estate commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Referred to the Committee on Taxation.

By Mr. Otto:

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to permit bathing and swimming in the fresh waters of this State,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Mr. Bethke:

Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No. 479, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision

of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Miss Haines :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the State-wide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable for submission to the next session of the Legislature,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Kuser :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a Commissioner of Public Finance to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation, and the finances of the State, county and municipal governments; to make a thorough canvass of the sources of revenue in the State, counties and municipalities; to determine whether there are any practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and whether there are any economies that can be effected which will result in a reduction of taxes, and to make recommendation to the Legislature as a result of such investigation, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Sterner :

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to make a preliminary survey for the purpose of thereafter constructing an interstate vehicular bridge from Staten Island across Raritan Bay to a point in the northerly part of Monmouth County, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 417,

By committee substitute as follows, which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act

entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 182,

Favorably, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 182, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to authorize the State House Commission to contract for and cause to be installed an electrical and mechanical system for registration of votes of members of the General Assembly,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," as amended by Act passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and

registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, boroughs, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing cities, villages, towns and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain and operate airports or landing fields,"

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and

the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and defining the duties thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and stamping of crates, baskets and carriers in which fruits and vegetables to be sold or offered or exposed for sale are packed, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs, in counties of this State, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than twenty thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mutual fire insurance companies,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, and for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

And

Senate Bill No. 105, entitled "An act concerning the support and education of children born out of wedlock,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 159, 62, 3, 19, 40, 95, 121, 187.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendments:

Senate Bills Nos. 2, 82, 199, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 12.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, with amendments:

Senate Bill No. 43.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Thursday, March 14th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to meet Saturday, March 16th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to meet Monday, March 18th, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of the Honorable Charles R. Blunt, of Essex County, the following vacancies have occurred on the House of Assembly standing and special committees:

Member of Banking and Insurance Committee,  
Chairman of Militia Committee,  
Chairman of Rules Committee.

Member of New Jersey State Reformatory Committee.

And appointments to fill said vacancies are as follows:

Member of Banking and Insurance Committee, Mr. Litwin, of Essex County;

Chairman of Militia Committee, Mr. Edgar, of Middlesex County;

Member of Militia Committee, Mr. Purdy, of Bergen County;

Chairman of Rules Committee, Mr. Smock, of Ocean County;

Member of Rules Committee, Mr. Siracusa, of Atlantic County;

Member of New Jersey State Reformatory Committee, Mr. Muir, of Union County.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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THURSDAY, March 14th, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Saturday, March 16th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

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SATURDAY, March 16th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., March 18th, 1929.

MONDAY, March 18th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Robert A. Johnson, pastor of the St. Mary's Independent Episcopal Church, Camden, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, Lorenz, Roder—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 18th, 1929. }

*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. 26, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 18th, 1929. }

*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. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 150, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Ocean City, in the county of Cape May, meadow lands contiguous thereto,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

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. 150, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Ocean City, in the county of Cape May, meadow lands contiguous thereto,"

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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson,

Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Lorenz, Roder—2.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Lorenz, Roder—2.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 53, 367 and 382,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 38,

With the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk:

Amend page 4, section 11, line 2, by inserting the following after the word "State": "providing for contribution to a pension fund out of the compensation of county employees."

Mr. Siracusa moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 38.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 259 and 261,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Assembly Bill No. 368,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 244,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 366,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 302, 248, 371 and 374,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 205,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 350,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 353, 355, 338, 341, 322 and 316,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 67,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 49 and 50,

Favorably, without amendment.

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Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 175,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 120, 121 and 122,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 298,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 58, 232, 239, 240, 334,

As correctly printed.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 176,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April eighth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 261, entitled "An act to amend and to supplement an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wills," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,' which supplement was approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

Assembly Bill No. 368, entitled "An act to permit municipalities maintaining no hospital or institution for the observation of persons charged with misdemeanor or disorderly conduct to contract with other municipalities for their maintenance during observation,"

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open

and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "An act providing for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceedings of the Spanish-American War Veterans of the Department of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act relative to bridges now or heretofore or hereafter erected over canals in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 348, 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),"

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 374, entitled "An act to authorize the sale, and/or change from one public use to another such use of land or any estate or interest therein owned by any municipal or other corporation having power of eminent domain, and to provide compensation for any additional burden or damage that may be imposed or caused by such change of use,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 353, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'"

Assembly Bill No. 355, 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. 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for the said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928),"

Assembly Bill No. 322, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean,"

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to incorporate the First Judicial District of the County of Warren in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cemeteries,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 382, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to police magistrates in cities of the second class,'"

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to authorize and enable small land owners to drain and improve their lands,"

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "An act authorizing the creation of a board of censors, to review motion picture films, silent and spoken, and theatrical performances, prescribing the duties, powers and salaries of such board, and providing penalties for the violation of this act,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to validate ordinances adopted by municipalities on or after April ninth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

Senate Bill No. 50, 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,"

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' and which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board

of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

Mr. Siracusa asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 480.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by its title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Siracusa (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Mr. Compton asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 481.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Compton:

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers and disposal works; and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," constituting chapter thirty-six of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Stewart asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 482.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Stewart :

Assembly Bill No. 482, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden,"

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Townships.

Miss Jones asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 483.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows :

By Miss Jones :

Assembly Bill No. 483, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Purdy asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 484.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows :

By Mr. Purdy :

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to Circuit Court judges in counties of the first class in this State,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 141, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 141 be recommitted to the committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 323, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 323 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Haines asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Haines moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 be recommitted to the Committee on Education for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Stewart asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 417, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved that Assembly Bill No. 417 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Hollinshed asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 324, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Hollinshed moved that Assembly Bill No. 324 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 208, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that Assembly Bill No. 208 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Stelle asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 196, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Stelle moved that Assembly Bill No. 196 be recommitted to the Committee on Social Welfare for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 17, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one," as amended by act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—48.

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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. 62, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning mutual fire insurance companies,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—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. 13, entitled "An act authorizing contracts between municipalities and incorporated volunteer fire companies for fire service and providing for the purchase, maintenance and housing of fire apparatus,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—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.

Assembly Bill No. 151, entitled "An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' as heretofore amended and supplemented, approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 119, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Jones, Vanderbach—6.

Mr. Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Jones, Vanderbach—6.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 119 reconsidered.

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Edgar, Kalamen, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Peters, Powers, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Summers—14.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 119 lost.

Mr. Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker requested Mr. Gopsill, of Monmouth County, to assume the chair.

Mr. Gopsill then assumed the chair.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 249, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mergolino,, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 256, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mergolino, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Spair, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and defining the duties thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and stamping of crates, baskets and carriers in which fruits and vegetables to be sold or offered or exposed for sale are packed, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act authorizing the sale of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, located in the town of Kearny, in the county of Hudson,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker resumed the Chair.

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to enable any corporation heretofor or hereafter constituted or organized for the purpose of the enforcement of laws enacted for the protection of dumb animals, or constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of dumb animals, whether incorporated by any special act of the Legislature of this State or under the laws of this State, to amend its charter and providing the procedure therefor,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 334, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, McMurray, Morrison, Pierson, Smock, Spair, Young—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hand, Kuser, Marini, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise—20.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 334 lost.

Mr. Cassini moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 334 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Compton moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 58, entitled "An act to provide for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions and regulations and subject to certain restrictions, limitations and liabilities creating an old age assistance commission of the State of New Jersey, and old age assistance board in each of the respective counties of this State; defining their powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of said act,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Smock, Spair, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Joint Resolution No. 5, of the year nineteen hundred and twenty-eight, announced the appointment of Mr. Stewart, of Camden County, and Mr. Rittenhouse, of Hunterdon County, as members of the Educational Survey Commission to fill the vacancies of Mr.

Olden, of Mercer County, and Mr. Woodruff, of Hunterdon County, members of the Assembly during the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight session.

Mr. Sterner asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 168, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Sterner moved that Assembly Bill No. 168 be recommitted to the Committee on Education for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Tuesday, March 19th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Weber asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 72, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Weber moved that Assembly Bill No. 72 be recommitted to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 320,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported Assembly Bill No. 52,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 271, by the following committee substitute, which was read by the clerk:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State, and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 271.

**Which motion was adopted.**

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

Assembly Bill No. 155 by the following committee substitute, which was read by the clerk:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 155.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, with the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

Amend Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, section 2, after line 10, by inserting the following:

*"Provided, however, that in the event that the State Board of Taxes and Assessments shall fail to determine the appeal so provided herein within thirty days from the date of the appeal or that the action of the State board is staid by certiorari or other legal action, then and in that event the county board shall fix a rate based on the assessment as originally made by the municipal taxing authorities."*

Mr Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 372, with the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 372 by adding the following paragraph, on page two, after line 30:

"Whenever any stock or mutual insurance company of this State shall have adopted an amendment or amendments to its charter, as hereinabove provided, it shall be permissible for the stockholders or members of said company at the time of adopting said amendment or amendments to adopt and ratify in its entirety an amended charter to the end that such amended charter shall fully and completely set forth all the terms and conditions of the charter under which the company shall thereafter transact busi-

ness; *provided, however*, that such amended charter shall contain only such provisions as an original certificate of incorporation may lawfully contain; *and provided, further*, that the rights, remedies or security of existing creditors shall not in any manner be impaired by the adoption of such amended charter. Such amended charter shall be executed, acknowledged, approved and filed in the manner hereinabove provided with respect to amendments of charters.

2. This act shall take effect immediately."

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 372.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 and

Assembly Bill No. 340,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 337, with the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk:

Amend page 1, line 1, strike out words, "in every action of"; insert in place thereof the following words, "whenever the prosecutor shall move to nolle prosequi".

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 337.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141, with the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk:

On page 2, line 28, after the word "State" and before the comma, insert the following:

“, officers and investigators of the State budget office and members of the State Tenement House Commission”.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 141.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 323, with the following committee amendments, which were read by the clerk:

In line 3, strike out the words “any member”.

In line 4, strike out the words “of the Legislature,”

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 323.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 362,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 363, with the following committee amendment, which was read by the clerk:

In paragraph 2, line 5, strike out word “townships” and insert the words “boroughs and towns”.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 363.

Which motion was adopted.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and asks its concurrence therein:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 86,

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7,

Assembly Bills Nos. 11, 32, 55, 68, 85, 89, 195, 98, 100, 117, 129, 241, 263, 265, 286.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendment:

## Senate Bill No. 18.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following joint resolution to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same, without amendment:

## Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof,'"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State, and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

As amended.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the commission heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 4 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, entitled 'Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate, to be named by the President thereof, two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker

of the House, and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive plan of traffic rules and regulations, and to devise a uniform scheme of administration for the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and the State traffic act,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor,'"

Assembly Bill No. 337, 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,

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 323, 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,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 362, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of police recorders in townships of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 363, entitled "An act relative to recorders in townships of this State,"

As amended.

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer inter-municipal, inter-county and interstate projects, to provide for the co-operative dis-

charge of governmental functions and to provide for the financing of such a commission,"

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

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, March 19th, 1929.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Arthur Northwood, pastor of Elizabeth Avenue Presbyterian Church, Newark, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-  
senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vander-  
bach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

**Absent—**

Messrs. D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Kautz, Roder, Litwin, McDermott—7.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint resolution continuing and reconstituting the commission to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries and Arthur Kill in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union

for the promotion in said area of commerce, manufacturing and transportation,"

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

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collections of taxes," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baxter, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Hollinshed, Parentini, Vanderbach—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.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Leap, of Salem County, had been excused from voting on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417.

Mr. Newcomb asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 485.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Newcomb:

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free

public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Cassini asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 334, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Cassini moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 334 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Cassini moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 334 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 334 reconsidered.

Mr. Cassini moved that Assembly Bill No. 334 be recommitted to the Committee on Towns and Townships for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Pierson asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 486.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Pierson:

Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to permit recognized organizations, composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines of the military, naval or air service of the United States, to use State armories for the holding of military and other affairs,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Referred to the Committee on Militia.

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of midwifery in the State of New Jersey," approved

March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter, Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Lorenz, Pierson, Pursel, Stelle, Summers—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property of this State for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, development, extending and equipping State charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions and appurtenances thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 224, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision of 1870),"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess until 2 P. M.:

Which motion was adopted

The House reconvened at 2 P. M.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. D'Elia, Greenberg, McDermott, Mercolino, Newcomb, Roder—6.

The Speaker requested Mr. Leap, of Salem County, to take the chair.

Mr. Leap assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act annexing to Jackson township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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 and requests its concurrence therein.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That Master David Bacon Richardson, of Maplewood, nephew of Miss Agnes C. Jones, member of this body, be and is hereby adopted as the son of the House of Assembly of 1929.

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 323 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 323, 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, and, on motion of Mr. Kuser, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Gopsill, Leap, Smock—3.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 323 lost.

Mr. Kuser moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 323 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act annexing to Lakewood township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provision of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Hanson, F. J., Parentini, Rittenhouse—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 and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Baxter, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Pier-son, Stein—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Siracusa, of Atlantic County, submitted the following report to the desk of the clerk, which was read:

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*To the Legislature of the State of New Jersey:*

This Commission was organized pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1928, to conduct an investigation of the Department of Banking and Insurance, concerning the issuance or rejection by the Commissioner of charters to trust companies, State banks and building and loan associations, and into any and all other matters relating to said Department.

Joint Resolution No. 16, Laws of 1928, conferred additional authority to investigate all matters pertaining to mergers and consolidations of banks and trust companies, and the purchase of control thereof; and further to investigate the subject of investment trusts, and all matters connected therewith.

We selected Francis B. Davis as Chairman, and Guy George Gabrielson as Secretary. We have been attended throughout by D. Frederick Burnett as Counsel, and Nicholas W. Bindseil as Stenographer.

Besides executive sessions, we have held thirty-three public hearings, and taken about 5,500 pages of testimony.

We find and report:

**BANK CHARTERS—EXERCISE OF ARBITRARY POWER**

The presentation to the Commissioner of a duly executed certificate of incorporation constitutes the application for charter of a bank or trust company. The generic term—bank—will be used for convenience to include either or both. If it appears to the Commissioner that the establishment of such bank will be of public service, he endorses his approval thereon, signifying that the charter is granted. His refusal to do so constitutes rejection.

The power thus delegated to decide whether or not establishment of a proposed bank will be of public service, is arbitrary and absolute. It is inherently like any autocratic uncontrolled power, subject to abuse without recourse. There are no checks or safeguards. His decision is final and not subject to appeal or to review by anybody or any court. The Commissioner is

not required to and does not assign, like the judges of our courts, any reasons for his decision. No notice is given or required of a charter application. Hearings may but are not required to be given to either the applicants or to those in opposition.

The Commissioner conceives that in granting or refusing charters he is exercising a quasi judicial function. We conclude, however, that it is the exercise of absolute bureaucratic power, alien to any kind of judicial proceedings and contrary to the most elementary concepts of what constitutes due process of law. Such uncontrolled power, without checks or balances, does not exist in any other body or department in the State.

The granting of a bank charter is affected with a public interest. Hence the power to organize should not be conferred generally. The function is legislative—not judicial. The Legislature makes the grant and prescribes the terms. If charters were granted by special act there would be publicity at least and probably debate. Our Constitution forbids special acts of incorporation. Hence discretionary power should continue to be confided in the Department as a special tribunal to ascertain the fact of public service, but the exercise of the power should be attended with salutary publicity and be subject to reasonable review.

#### BANK CHARTERS—ABUSE OF POWER

We find that approvals have been made, and, in other instances, withheld, without regard to public service and in cases where :

1. Political and/or personal influence has been avowedly availed of by the incorporators ;
2. Such influence has been the motivating reason for the selection of counsel or of associate counsel, so called ;
3. Such influence has been bartered and sold by lawyers, usually business strangers to the incorporators, for excessive fees entirely out of proportion to the nature and value of the legal work involved, or, in lieu of fees, for large allot-

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ments of stock, possessing, or believed to possess, potential value greatly above the subscription price;

4. Such influence has been invoked by a bank desiring the establishment of another, in preference to its own permanently retained staff of highly competent counsel;

5. Such influence has been successfully exercised in obtaining the charter where lawyers of equal calibre and standing at bar and in community have previously failed on the same facts;

6. Agreements have been made for fees, as high as the traffic would bear and the client was willing to pay, contingent upon obtaining the charter, and, in one case, the money was deposited in escrow to abide the event;

7. Sub-associate counsel has been secretly instrumental in obtaining the charter, although such employment was unknown to the client, and had been previously declined on direct request, and the nature of his services was unknown and unexplainable by the associate counsel who split fees with him;

8. Application by a highly representative group of citizens was turned down without any investigation of merits being made because the Commissioner deemed it unnecessary as he was personally conversant with the conditions thereabout, but nevertheless charter was granted to another group at substantially the same location within four months later;

9. Charter was granted on condition that the legal services of a lawyer in another and previous charter matter and the expenses of his clients therein be paid by the applicants for the instant charter, which condition was performed. While, in most cases, approvals have been tardy and long delayed, the Commissioner acted with egregious celerity in this case by approving the certificate of incorporation, the largest bank chartered by him, on the same day it was presented, and this without causing the usual investigation to be made:

10. Charter was promised to a personal friend by a politically prominent gentleman who interceded with the Commissioner;

11. The Commissioner promised approval of a charter to a politically prominent lawyer whose services had been invoked by the promoters and were successfully utilized without any knowledge of the attorney of record of the applicants; but, despite such promise, withheld approval until after confirmation of his reappointment for another term as Commissioner. This promise was made two months before the attorney of record was informed by the Commissioner that the charter would be granted; this political lawyer on subsequently becoming a director of the bank was able, though the president had previously tried and failed, to induce a certain large public utility company to open an account and maintain a standing balance of \$40,000 on which it received but 2 per cent although the bank, to its profit, has been able to employ this money in the call loan market in New York at high rates of interest such as 7, 8 and 10 per cent.

The Commissioner himself testified that the Department had always been a political department. Others, apparently, have shared this belief and sought to capitalize it by endeavoring to inculcate the belief in applicants or attorney that the charter cause would be furthered if their services were engaged or stock allotments were promised.

We further find:

1. Charters have been approved despite adverse reports by department examiners specially delegated to find the facts, and have been declined despite highly favorable reports by such examiners;
2. Charters have been approved despite written, filed protests of banks in the immediate neighborhood requesting a hearing without affording those banks any opportunity to be heard;
3. Charters have been approved without any examination by the Commissioner of the pertinent matter in the department files—in one case where confined at home by illness and such examination would have disclosed request for a hearing which he had promised to grant;

4. After adverse examiners' reports have been rendered, promises have been made by the Commissioner to representatives of a Clearing House Association that given applications, opposed by the Association, will not be approved, but later the promises were revoked without affording opportunity for hearing and the charters were approved;

5. Color, if not justification, for the excessive counsel fees demanded in charter matters is afforded by the failure of the Commissioner to promptly render final decisions after examiners' reports are filed. This creates wasteful delay, necessitates repeated conferences, and leads to uncertainty and unfairness. If the application were one that should be denied, it is no justification to allege that by tiring applicants out they often withdrew. The tiring out process in lieu of reasonably prompt, definite decision inevitably leads to the retention of substituted or associated counsel who possess the requisite influence, or are believed to possess it. This begets an atmosphere about the charter function which is unhealthy and provocative of lack of confidence in a department whose every act should be above suspicion;

6. The Commissioner knew as far back as 1924 that influence was being capitalized by certain lawyers and he was specifically warned by a personal friend in November, 1926, of the rumors then and since current that money was being paid for bank charters—that to get a charter it was necessary to retain certain lawyers with whom it was thought the Commissioner was splitting fees. The Commissioner contented himself with the thought that his friends would not sell him out, but studiously avoided all inquiries about the amount of fees received by the attorneys in any case. This attitude is further exemplified by the official report of an examiner that a certain charter previously granted was being peddled about and could be bought by any one who was willing to pay \$5,000 bonus for it. Similar information, without naming the price, was given him in another case. But nothing further was done by the Commissioner—no action, no inquiries, nothing. We find that the Commissioner has not shared in those fees and

that he personally has not received any money or anything of value for the granting of any charter. His inertia and utter lack of initiative, however, in making the inquiries which any reasonable man would be prompted by such notice to make, have resulted in a deplorable situation which gave rise to this investigation and which this investigation has confirmed.

We do not advocate the extreme measure of denying charters because of payment of legal fees. Clients have a right to be represented by counsel. Fees commensurate with services rendered may properly be charged. But full and frank disclosure to the Commissioner should be required of all fees paid or agreed to be paid in charter matters, whether payable in money or requited by stock allotments or any other form of compensation. On the other hand, promotion fees for securing subscriptions for or selling stock in the proposed bank should be absolutely forbidden.

#### BANK CHARTERS—BRANCH OFFICES

The Laws of 1925 provided for branch banking in New Jersey, but withheld from the Commissioner the authority to grant permission for branches until such time as national banking associations located in New Jersey should, by act of Congress, be enabled to originally establish branch offices or agencies in this State. As a result of the enactment of the McFadden Branch Banking Act by Congress on February 18, 1927, approved by the President, February 25, 1927, as well as by reason of our legislation, branch banking became duly legalized in this State.

Prior thereto, the Commissioner, knowing that branch banking was not then the prescribed legislative policy of this State, approved bank charters where the bank, in one case, was to be controlled as to its stock directly by another bank, and, in another case, indirectly by stock control by the directors of another bank. These apparently independent banks were intended as branch offices as soon as branch banking became effective. Such intention has since been accomplished in each case. The approvals of those charters were in effect the establishment of branch banking contrary to the express legislative intent subsisting at that time.

The present requirement for the establishment of branch offices, aside from restrictions as to capitalization and location, is the finding by the Commissioner that the establishment of such branch office will be of public service. The act should be amended by requiring the same notice, publication, opportunity to be heard and review we have recommended in respect to the granting of charters.

#### BANK CHARTERS—CO-OPERATION WITH FEDERAL AUTHORITIES

We find an entire lack of co-operation and co-ordination between our Department and the Federal authorities having to do with the establishment of national banks or branches. While the granting of State charters is exclusively a State function and not in any wise dependent upon the demands and desires of the Federal authorities, we believe that the public interest is best served by intelligent and fair-minded co-operation and comity with the Federal authorities. As a step in that direction, they should be extended at least the courtesy of notice and opportunity for hearing.

#### BANK CHARTERS—ILLEGAL ALTERATIONS

We find several instances of material alterations in charter applications over the signatures and acknowledgments of the incorporators but nevertheless approved by the Commissioner. Such alterations were apparent on the face of the instruments. The Commissioner testified that he would not have approved if these matters had been brought to his attention. The statute, however, imposes the affirmative duty on him not only of determining that the establishment of the trust company will be of public service, but also of approving the form of the certificate. The exercise of but ordinary care would have instantly disclosed the several matters of this kind brought to light during the investigation.

#### BANK CHARTERS—CERTIFICATES OF AUTHORITY IMPROPERLY ISSUED

No bank, although its charter has been approved, may transact any business other than formation and organization until the

Commissioner issues his Certificate of Authority. To obtain this, it must appear by affidavit that the entire capital has been paid in in cash. Thereupon the Commissioner must satisfy himself of that fact and that the bank is duly and legally organized. The certificate is then issued. It certifies that the bank is duly and legally organized and authorized to transact business as such.

We find that certificates of authority have been issued in cases where :

1. The capital instead of being fully paid in was short upwards of \$200,000, which sum was borrowed from another bank ;
2. The certification of payment was by unsworn letter instead of under oath ;
3. The bank had transacted business other than formation and organization before the certificate of authority was issued ;
4. Additional directors had been elected by directors instead of by stockholders as required by law ;
5. The capital stock had not been properly issued ;
6. Rights to subscribe to shares as evidenced by the charter had not been waived ;
7. Stockholders had had no voice in the election of directors and the adoption of by-laws.

In the last three instances, the certificates were issued to the accompaniment of the Department's comment that these "technical matters" should but could be cleared up afterwards. Conscious violation of legal requirements cannot be excused by dubbing them technicalities. The certificate authorizing the bank to do business with the public should not be granted until the completeness and correctness of organization is independently verified.

Not only have certificates of authority been issued without compliance with the statutory requirements ; but the rules and regulations of the Department on the same subject have been violated in these respects :

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1. The Department requires the paid in capital stock to be on deposit in a bank in New Jersey, and also affidavit by the depositary that such deposit is free and clear of any claims or offsets and in no sense the proceeds of loans granted by the depositary to the bank. This practice is commendable and should be codified into law. This rule was violated by the Commissioner himself in approving a deposit of \$750,000 in a New York City bank, and this without any affidavit whatsoever.

2. Another ruling forbids the use by any bank in its business of any unpaid installments of its capital stock until the entire amount has been paid and certified. This rule, also worthy of translation into law, was evaded by a bank which increased its authorized capital by charter amendment before its certificate of authority was issued. In order to utilize in its business the original paid in capital without awaiting full payment of the installments of the increased capital, it was made to appear on the Department records that the affidavit of payment of original capital had been filed a few hours before the certificate of amendment, although we find the facts to be that they were filed simultaneously; that erasures and alterations of the Department filing marks were made, and fractions of a day observed by notations in pen and ink instead of the usual filing stamp employed in every other instance. We further find that the bank, emboldened by the co-operation and the ease by which the certificate of authority had been thus improperly obtained, used, in its business, not only the original capital but also the installments of its increased capital to the extent of more than \$2,000,000 in the call loan market in New York City before such installments were fully paid; that the subsequent report of the bank disclosed such use of installments thereby charging the Department with knowledge of the fact, but no action has ever been taken in the premises by the Department.

BANK CHARTERS—CHANGE OF LOCATION WITHOUT  
COMMISSIONER'S CONSENT

Originally, both the Act Concerning Banks and the Act Concerning Trust Companies prescribed that the certificate of incorporation shall set forth the place where the business is to be carried on. It would thus appear that location was an essential of the banking franchise, and since amendments required the Commissioner's approval, no change of location could be effected without his consent. The present Commissioner ruled, however, that his approval was not necessary to a change of location of an existing bank. Thereafter, both acts were amended in 1926 by requiring that the certificate of incorporation shall specifically designate the place where the business is to be carried on by street and number in the municipality, and removal therefrom shall not be permitted without the written approval of the Commissioner first obtained. By the Laws of 1927, Chapter 13, the Trust Company Act was amended in other respects, but inadvertently the restriction concerning change of location was omitted. It should be forthwith restored. There is no value in deliberating upon the proposed location of a bank as one of the essential factors in determining whether it will be of public service when, without the approval of the Commissioner, it can be changed at will. If there is any question about the absolute right, it should be set at rest by expressly forbidding it.

## BANK CHARTERS—DUMMY INCORPORATORS

The usual practice of the Department, when a charter application is presented, is to have an examiner investigate the incorporators as to character, reputation in the community for honesty and fair dealing, financial standing, banking experience and business knowledge.

In some cases, after the charter was granted, the curtain was drawn aside and for the first time the real parties in interest appeared. Thus, in one case, the names of ten of the fourteen directors, who were elected at the organization meeting held immediately after the charter was granted, did not appear at all

in the certificate of incorporation. In others, examiners reported that certain incorporators did not intend to retain the stock subscribed for.

It is not desirable to attempt any restriction on transfer of stock, but examinations of incorporators, who are the potential and putative directors, are quite meaningless if the incorporators are, in fact, but dummies. We see no permanent, practical cure for this situation, which depends largely on the good faith of the organizers, but it can be ameliorated considerably by requiring an affidavit that the incorporators are the true and the only parties in interest, and by prescribing that the certificate of incorporation shall set forth the names of the directors who are to serve as such until the next annual election following issuance of the certificate of authority.

#### BANK CHARTERS—AMENDMENTS

The present statutory procedure in this respect is satisfactory and requires in general nothing but enforcement. The directors first enact a resolution declaring the proposed amendment to be advisable and calling a meeting of the stockholders to take action thereon; if two-thirds of the stockholders vote in favor of the amendment, a certificate thereof, signed by the officers and requisite stockholders, is filed with the Department; upon such filing and the approval of the Commissioner the charter is deemed amended accordingly.

We find that the Commissioner has approved Certificates of Amendment in cases where:

1. The certificate fails to identify the resolution enacted by the stockholders as being the same resolution, or even substantially the same as that enacted by the directors;
2. The stockholders' resolutions certified to the Department, although purporting to be quoted and therefore a true copy, are nevertheless different from the resolutions as the same appear in the minute book of the bank;
3. The stockholders' resolutions are certified to have been enacted as of a date on which no meeting was held according to the minute book of the bank;

4. The capital stock was ordered increased, but no certificate filed with the Department until after another increase had been authorized :

5. Stock, increased pursuant to an amendment, was later issued without any authority of the stockholders ;

6. The amended certificate was criticized by a Deputy Commissioner and returned for correction in that the text of the amendatory resolutions certified would operate to restrict rather than amplify, as was intended, the powers of the bank. The certificate was returned to the bank, which thereupon prepared and filed, with the approval of the Commissioner, an amended certificate. But neither directors' nor stockholders' meetings were ever held to validate the changes, and made the amendments legally effective ;

7. The certificate purports to show on its face that the stockholders' meeting was held in Newark at the same hour and minute that the certificate, with the Commissioner's approval attached, was marked "filed" in Trenton. Inspection of the minute book disclosed that the stockholders' meeting was not held until four hours after the certificate avowing that fact had been approved and filed. The secretary of the bank who prepared and filed the certificate and also signed the purported minutes of the respective meetings of directors and of stockholders, as secretary, admitted that he could not tell when or where the meetings were held, whether the recitals in the minutes as to attendance were true or not, whether the certificate of amendment was filed before or after the stockholders' meeting, and finally whether any such meeting was ever held or not, but opined there was no such meeting, the signatures being obtained *seriatim*. Such procedure, showing contemptuous defiance of legal requisites, could not, except by connivance, be perpetrated if the Commissioner had adopted the simple expedient of causing an examination and verification to be made of the minute book, proxies, signatures, and all the statutory proceedings to ensure that the law had been complied with before affixing his approval. Otherwise approval is idle and meaningless except as to mere form.

## BANKS—EXAMINATIONS AND EXAMINERS

The Department appears to have a competent corps of bank examiners. Their examinations are thorough and searching except that they do not run the individual ledgers, or verify the accounts or passbooks of depositors. Their reports are rendered without fear or favor.

In one case the bank examiners were called off, after the examination had begun, by the Deputy Commissioner at the request of the bank then under examination. The Commissioner ratified the withdrawal. This unprecedented action struck a vital and wholly deplorable blow at the morale of the force.

There should be permanently on the examining staff at least one competent lawyer to examine the original documents, minute books and records so as to verify compliance with the legal requisites of all documents filed with the Department such as charter amendments, surrender of franchises, dissolutions, mergers and consolidations, and every other transaction whatsoever which requires the approval of the Commissioner and/or upon which he is bound to or may act.

This talent should and could be equally available to the insurance, and building and loan divisions.

The employment of such legal talent is imperative in order to verify the intricate legal matters which arise in the conduct of trusts administered by our banking institutions which constantly beget difficult problems. The trust business of banks is constantly growing. No examiner, unless skilled in the law, can hope to make anything more than a superficial examination of such matters. To say that they can be passed on by the Attorney-General is beside the point. They must be first picked up in the field from the original sources in order that the Department may know that there is a problem to decide.

## BANKS—ALLEGED WITHDRAWALS FOR POLITICAL REASONS

Charges that State deposits in certain banks had been totally or heavily withdrawn by the State Treasurer for political reasons, were investigated and found wholly without foundation.

BANKS—ALLEGED CONSPIRACY BY CLEARING  
HOUSE ASSOCIATION

Charges that a Clearing House Association had entered into a scheme or conspiracy to force an investment trust which owned the controlling interest in several banks to sell out its interest in one of those banks, were investigated and found groundless.

BANKS—WRITE-UP OF BANKING HOUSES

Several banks have caused heavy write-ups on their books of the value of their respective banking houses. The motive has been to create by bookkeeping entries a surplus out of which dividends might be paid or to absorb alleged good-will. This has occurred in cases where:

1. There have been widely variant appraisals;
2. There have been no appraisals;
3. There is nothing in the minutes authorizing the write-up;
4. There has been no determination of value by the directors but the write-up was ordered by self interested officers;
5. The write-up was measured exactly by the amount of 100 per cent stock dividend concurrently declared and issued, the surplus and undivided profits being insufficient therefor.

No write-ups should be permissible except after approval of the Commissioner first had and obtained.

BANKS—DIVIDENDS

The power to declare dividends is limited to the profits of the company. The term clearly contemplates profits actually realized from operations and earnings. Dividends based on alleged appreciation of real estate assets not coupled with actual realization via sale, are an inherently insidious source of danger. Conservative banks would not do so. Others should not be allowed to do so. Our recommendation as to write-ups covers this point.

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We find that dividends have been declared and paid and/or issued where :

1. The board of directors never made any declaration of the dividend;
2. The dividend was not paid out of or charged to surplus or undivided profits, the only proper source of any dividend, but was debited against real estate account.

#### BANKS—STOCK DIVIDENDS

Stock dividends have been declared and issued by several banks without any question raised by the Department. There is grave room for doubt whether shares of bank stock issued by way of stock dividend are legally issued. The question was raised during the investigation and thereafter submitted to the Attorney-General for opinion now pending. We believe the Legislature should itself clarify this situation by unequivocally declaring its intention either one way or the other, and in any event validate the stock dividends previously issued. The present statute requires that the capital should be paid in in cash. Nothing but cash will suffice, however valuable the commodities offered in lieu of cash may be. In this respect it is entirely different from the General Corporation Law. The legislative motive undoubtedly was that the capital stock of banks constitutes a standing affirmation that cash has actually been paid in. On the other hand, there is nothing which prevents a bank, immediately after receiving certificate of authority, from converting its capital into whatever form it lawfully chooses. Again, stock dividends fortify financial standing by impounding and converting profits into capital. There is nothing inherently wrong with stock dividends but we believe them inhibited as the banking law now stands. The matter should be set at rest by legislative fiat one way or the other.

#### BANKS—MERGERS AND CONSOLIDATIONS

Our statutes authorize mergers of State banks, trust companies, banks with trust companies, and title guaranty insurance

companies with trust companies. The requisites are substantially: A merger agreement, stipulating the terms, conditions, and mode of carrying it into effect, is authorized by the directors and approved by both the stockholders and the Commissioner.

Several mergers have taken place in which the requirements have been scrupulously observed, but other consolidations have been effected with utter disregard of the statutory requirements and in cases where:

1. The agreement was never submitted to or approved by the stockholders or by the Commissioner;

2. The officers of two institutions, both of them controlled by one group, executed and delivered an agreement different in several material respects from the agreement actually authorized;

3. Assets of one trust company were transferred in bulk to another in consideration of assuming the liabilities thereby amounting to a gift of the entire capital stock, surplus and undivided profits; to provide for the claims of dissenting stockholders, the transferee set up a reserve on its books;

4. Consolidation effected in fact by merely coalescing assets and the exorbitant prices paid for good-will assimilated by carrying false values in stocks and bonds to avoid reducing the surplus account—followed by a write-up of the banking houses;

5. The interlocking majority ownership of stock in the two institutions coalesced was abused by saddling liabilities upon one for utterly inadequate consideration which amounted to a division of the assets more or less among the majority to the exclusion of the minority.

These illegal consolidations were brought to the specific attention of the Department by the official reports of the examiners, who characterized the same as high finance. Notwithstanding this direct notice, the Department has done nothing. Recommendation is useless in the face of complete collapse of authority.

## BANKS—ACQUISITION OF CONTROL BY OTHER BANKS

No question arises where the result is accomplished by strict compliance with the merger requisites. Besides the instances noted under that caption, we find that the controlling stock of one institution has been purchased by another in cases where:

1. The controlling stock so purchased was owned by the president of the buyer; and there was no authorization by the directors of the buyer; and the stockholders were kept in ignorance of the purchase and had no opportunity to either assent or dissent;

2. Losses incurred on the purchase were concealed by the simple and expeditious formula of writing up the banking house;

3. One bank controlled by the buyer was forced to furnish the funds for the acquisition of another bank in an amount equal to twice its own combined capital and surplus, which transaction was first set up on its books as an investment, but the shares were never transferred or intended to be, and seventeen days later, upon the deposit of additional collateral, entry was changed on the books of the bank to make it appear as a loan, but interest was paid from the inception of the transaction;

4. A resolution, certified to the Department respecting the acquisition of all the stock of a bank to be thereafter liquidated and operated as a branch of the purchasing bank, does not appear in the minute books of the latter. The Department had ordered the latter, a year before, to dispose of 200 shares of that stock it then owned, but received the announcement of the acquisition of the whole 1,000 shares with calm indifference and granted the branch application.

As our laws now stand, stockholders of banks have neither vote nor voice in the acquisition of stock of another bank. The acquisition by banks of control of other banks is not governed or affected by the remedial legislation of 1928, Chapter 273, because banks are expressly excepted therefrom.

## BANKS—DISSOLUTION

With the concurrence of management and membership, a bank may discontinue business, settle its affairs and surrender its franchise; thereupon the bank is dissolved and the directors act as trustees in dissolution.

This statute was violated without dissent or criticism by the Department in cases where the stockholders appointed of their number a committee on liquidation, instead of having the directors act as trustees in dissolution.

## BANKS—IMPROPER RELATIONS

We find collisions of the duty of the Commissioner as such with his individual self interest resolved by him in favor of the latter in cases where:

1. As receiver of an hotel heavily mortgaged to a bank under his jurisdiction, he interfered with and delayed foreclosure and sale contrary to the expressed desire and over the protest of the bank to an extent rendering necessary the intervention of the Chancellor himself and the latter's exercise of reserved and extraordinary jurisdiction.
2. Having as receiver of a chemical company conveyed its assets to a new company and agreed to take his fees via the common stock of the latter, he requested banks under his jurisdiction to finance the new company by loaning large sums of money thereto, which loans were declined when sought previously by others as not being a bankable proposition, but granted when asked by the receiver in order to cement friendly relations with the Commissioner. The loans were secured by unsold preferred stock of the new company. Following the granting of the loans, applications of the bank for permission to establish branch banks were approved by the Commissioner.

The act establishing the Department provides that no person shall be appointed Commissioner who is in any way connected with the management or control of any corporation affected by the act and his term of office shall immediately cease if at any time he shall become so interested.

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Banks and other institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department cannot forget that the Commissioner, in whatever capacity he may deal with them, is in fact the Commissioner.

The spirit of the act may be enforced by adding to its letter that neither the Commissioner nor any of his deputies or examiners shall have any dealings or transactions in any capacity whatsoever with any bank or trust company under the jurisdiction of the Department of Banking and Insurance save in the strict performance of his or their duties, except such institutions with which he or they were dealing prior to his or their respective appointments.

#### BANKING LAWS—ENFORCEMENT OF COMMISSIONER'S ORDERS

In one instance, the bank examiners reported that the president of a certain bank had kited checks, manipulated its funds for his own benefit, and had violated certain sections of the banking law, one of which constituted a misdemeanor and another a high misdemeanor. The Department demanded that the president resign and cease to have any voice in the company's management, declaring that his manipulations had placed the company in a position where its good name and solvency were jeopardized. But two days later, the directors of that bank, in defiance of the order, re-elected the president. Nothing further was ever done by the Department as concerns the resignation, or notifying the prosecutor, or the Attorney-General, of the crimes committed.

The law provides that if it appears that any bank has violated its charter or any law of the State, or is conducting business in an unsafe or unauthorized manner, the Commissioner shall order discontinuance of such illegal or unsafe practices and conformity with the requirements of its charter and safety and security in its transactions. If such order is disobeyed, he may take possession of the bank and liquidate it, or permit it to resume business upon such conditions as may be approved by him.

Question arises as to duty and power of the Commissioner in cases where the transaction has been consummated before he

knows of it. To then merely order discontinuance of such practices is futile—a vain gesture.

His duty is clear: The law must be enforced. As against the State, performance of ultra vires or wrongful acts is not a cure for lack of authority but rather the cause why the law should be invoked.

His power to undo the transaction and restore the situation exists in the provision that he may approve conditions for the resumption of business, which means that he may formulate them as justice may require. But to exercise that power, he must first take possession of the bank. That remedy is so drastic as often to deter its use even in justifiable cases.

The power of the Commissioner should therefore be amplified to include not only an order to discontinue illegal practices but also to make such other orders whatsoever as the facts and justice may require and this without necessity of taking over the bank, leaving that power in reserve to compel obedience if such other orders are not executed. With the fear that that power will be courageously and unflinchingly exercised if contemned, obedience will be yielded to the Commissioner's orders in like manner as the decrees of Chancery are obeyed because, in the last analysis, of the fear of imprisonment for contempt. Appropriate penalties for violations should also be provided.

#### BANKING LAWS—GENERAL

Both the Act Concerning Banks and Banking, and the Act Concerning Trust Companies have not been revised since 1899. There have been many amendments and supplements. These acts are distributed in pamphlet form by the Department, and are used, practically as a manual, by examiners, bank officers, directors and clerks. Both acts should be wholly revised and brought down to date.

Companies organized under these acts and the stockholders and directors thereof, should have all the powers granted and be subject to all the restrictions, limitations, duties and obligations imposed by the General Act Concerning Corporations and the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, except so far as

they may be inconsistent with the express provisions of the Banking Laws.

Each director is required to take an oath that he is the owner of not less than \$500 par value unpledged shares of the capital stock of the company. There is no penalty attached if the oath be false. Such an oath was taken by a director but non-ownership of any stock was later discovered by the examiner. Stock was thereupon transferred into his name and he continued as a director. Penalties should attach if the oath be false.

The Crimes Act declares it unlawful for any corporation to engage in this State in the practice of law. Banks are not mentioned by name, but are included because they are corporations. We find, in this respect, that certain trust companies have violated the spirit, if not the letter, of the declared policy of the State. The practice of law by banks is inimical to good banking. There is no need, however, for any new legislation. The Commissioner has the power to command and enforce discontinuance of illegal practices. The power should not be allowed to atrophy, but rather be impartially and rigorously enforced. The statute prohibiting corporations from practicing law might well be included in the pamphlet reprint of the banking laws issued by the Department from time to time.

#### INVESTMENT TRUSTS

The term is not susceptible of exact definition. "Investment Company" more accurately characterizes the average modern organization recently popularized by the name "Investment Trust." In general, it is a company which issues its own stock or obligations against the securities which it purchases. "Trust" is usually a misnomer. Of the thirty or more companies examined by us only one placed the securities purchased in an actual trust.

These companies take form as determined by the provisions of their respective charters. Some purpose diversified investment simply as such and without eye to the management of the companies in which the stock investment is made. Others are primarily concerned in acquiring and maintaining control of subsidiaries or other constituent companies and financing and fur-

thering the development thereof. In some, the type of allowable investments is fixed and rigid. In others, the determination of what shall be bought and carried in the portfolio, the modern sonorous name for the company's treasury, or sold or speculated in from time to time is absolutely vested in the management. The latter amounts to no more than a blind pool. Between these extremes the whole gamut of discretion is run, from entire absence of any to wholly unlimited managerial power.

Much has been said and written as to the forms and merits of investment trusts and the principles to be applied in order to make them a success. Our investigation has not been concerned with the question of how they should act, but rather to observe and ascertain how they do act. The form is of small moment for our purposes. What counts is the action of the men who sit around the directors' table. The action in some cases has been exemplary; in others we found grave abuses of power. The action varies inversely as to formal restrictions, but directly as to the men behind the management. Properly managed, they may well earn the respect and confidence of the public. Those that are not are a menace to the others and a source of grave danger to the public.

They may be created under the liberal provisions of our General Corporation Law as freely as and subject to no more restraint than any industrial company. Their charters may, but rarely do, contain self-imposed restraints and limitations. The pronounced tendency is rather the other way, i. e., toward uncontrolled and uncontrollable management. Hence such charters draw down the widest corporate powers, abridge and even abrogate the rights of the individual stockholder, increase the powers of the management and exemptions from responsibility or accountability to the stockholders. Thus we found that charters of financial or investment companies, advertised to or regarded by the public as investment trusts, contained provisions:

1. Conferring the widest latitude of powers so that the company can enter into almost any conceivable kind of business;
2. Abrogating stockholder's right of inspection of the corporate books:

3. Denying stockholder's pre-emptive rights to subscribe for additional stock;

4. Authorizing directors pecuniarily self interested in contracts or transactions with their own corporations to make same without being subject to attack on the ground of self interest and without the necessity of any disclosure to the stockholders. Such clauses constitute a standing invitation to a director to resolve the almost inevitable collisions of duty and self interest in his own favor. Corporations might well remove the temptation, by voluntarily purging themselves of such charter provisions;

5. Prescribing that one class of stock offered only to the directors and favored insiders shall have the sole voting power with right to diminish the interest of the non-voting stock in the surplus and profits of the corporation;

6. Empowering the creation of optional rights to purchase and subscribe to stock from the enjoyment of which the non-voting stock may be excluded;

7. Purporting to vest the right in the corporation to use not only its surplus, but also its capital for the purchase of shares of its own capital stock.

Since the stipulations in the certificate of incorporation in theory of law merely embody the agreements made by the incorporators among themselves and every one buying the stock is deemed to consent thereto whether he actually knows of the charter provisions or not, there is no intrinsic harm in glorifying the management at the expense of the stockholders. If the public will credulously and blindly buy stock without examination or inquiry, practical paternalism should go no farther than to make sure

(a) That the advertising sets forth clearly and unequivocally every salient fact;

(b) That the corporation does everything it agreed to do and nothing it ought not to do.

Both these objectives may best be attained through summary powers of investigation and prosecution vigorously exercised on the initiative of the Attorney-General.

On the other hand, item 7 *supra* is illegal. It is contrary to the

statute. The law was vindicated by the institution of quo warranto proceedings by the Attorney-General at the instance of this Commission which action has been settled by striking out the obnoxious clause from the charter.

Since our investigation was made with a view to ascertaining the necessity or expediency of regulatory legislation, we report only the general nature of the unfavorable features discovered in respect to certain companies, to wit :

1. Securities bought at grossly excessive over valuations from directors whose fellow directors knew of the enormous profits thereby realized;
2. Securities purchased by manipulation of corporate funds so that the seller-director was enabled to reap personal profit by using the company's money and credit without investing his own;
3. Securities bought and valued by dummy directors;
4. Heavy and secret commissions paid for acquiring the control of bank stocks;
5. Stock advertised by false and misleading statements;
6. Stock sold by high powered intensive salesmanship at prices several dollars above the open market;
7. Prices of stock advanced arbitrarily and irrespective of values;
8. Subscribers to stock unable by terms of subscription to anticipate installment payments;
9. False and misleading financial statements of condition issued to the stockholders and prospective purchasers;
10. Statements exhibiting surplus failed to distinguish trifling actual earnings from enormous written up surplus;
11. Recasts of financial statements made to conceal true conditions revealed by auditor's report;
12. Heavy organization expenses improperly carried as assets;
13. Additional directors elected by directors instead of by stockholders as required;
14. Directors elected but not qualified by ownership of stock at the time of election;

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15. Directors acted admittedly as if but rubber stamps;
  16. Loans made to directors in guise of purchase coupled with agreement to resell;
  17. Release without consideration of director's obligation to sell securities;
  18. Directors afforded easier terms of installment payments on stock subscriptions;
  19. Salaries incommensurate with services rendered or to be rendered paid officers as figureheads;
  20. Men in high places of public office prevailed upon to lend their names and that of the positions occupied to stock promotion schemes;
  21. Securities diverted from treasury to another concern in order to reap a profit in which the stockholders would not share and thereafter repurchased ex-profit;
  22. Options to buy the company stock at favorable prices granted without consideration to directors by fellow directors;
  23. Stock issued to promoters after market established at less than half the market price;
  24. Stock in parent company in process of installment payment pledged to wholly owned and financed subsidiary as collateral security;
  25. Dividends declared but not earned;
  26. Dividends paid out of capital;
  27. Exorbitant promotion charges;
  28. Bank under control compelled to guarantee contrary to law mortgages sold by a title company under the same control;
  29. Funds of the company used to support the market for the stock;
  30. Markets created and maintained at company expense to afford insiders the opportunity to dispose of stock;
  31. Trading accounts opened with brokers;
  32. Corporate funds used for trading in the company's stock resulting in one case in a loss to the stockholders of nearly three million dollars;

33. Corporate funds advanced to the president for personal account without authorization of the directors;

34. Officer's accounts credited with personal obligation against other parties;

35. Checks kited and held in suspense account;

36. Contract made for management of the portfolio for price equivalent to 6 per cent of the whole capital invested;

37. Contracts made with underwriting agencies to handle all future issues of stock without binding commitment and irrespective of past performances;

38. Contracts for purchase of stock whereby special privileges of subscription were granted to favored parties to the exclusion of other stockholders;

39. Contracts for purchase of control of banks conditioned upon personal employment agreements;

40. Depositors of controlled banks circularized to buy stock of holding company, recommended by officers of those banks;

41. Loans made by subsidiary banks on collateral of holding company stock;

42. Hypothecation of the assets of one bank to accommodate the exigencies of another bank in the same chain.

Inspection of the foregoing shows that new laws are not so much needed as the diligent enforcement of existing law.

The efficient operation of the division of securities of the Attorney-General's office can cover the several phases of fraudulent stock selling. It will be necessary, however, that this office take the initiative. Dilatory and perfunctory questionnaires will not suffice. The broad investigatory powers delegated must be actively utilized not only at inception of the company but from time to time to ascertain and enforce compliance with the law.

The existing law as administered according to the high ethical concepts of our Court of Chancery is adequate to cover all the other matters, except ethics, if invoked by the stockholders prejudiced thereby. Law cannot make men honest in the handling of investment funds for others but, it can prevent them from enjoying personal profit acquired through unfair manipulation of those

funds. And ethics thrive best when purely voluntary. Good taste and public opinion are more potent in such matters than law.

We see, therefore, no reason for special regulatory legislation or for placing the supervision of investment trusts or financial companies in the Department of Banking and Insurance. Their business is not any part of deposit or trust banking. The very attempt to create a standard or form applicable to all such companies which often have but little in common would, if fair, necessarily be so general as to induce unreliable managements to comply therewith with resultant unmerited public confidence. Fraud is too cunning and insidious to be boxed. Each case must stand or fall on its own facts.

We do believe that the word "trust" should not be allowed to be used by any company as a part of its corporate name, or its business in anywise advertised as such except by a banking institution thereunto duly authorized. Neither should the words "bank", "bankers", or "banking" be used as part of the corporate name, or so advertised.

#### BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS—SIZE OF LOANS

Complaints, regarding the amount of loans made in certain specific instances by building and loan associations, have been investigated with the efficient aid of the deputy in charge but the loans so investigated were found to come within both limitations of the Building and Loan Act.

#### BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS—CHARTERS

We have privately examined all building and loan charters granted within the last six years ending December 31, 1928. In open session we have examined but two charters. We find evidence of the same kind of political and friendly influence exercised in these matters as in bank charters; also similar alterations over signatures and acknowledgments.

Because of the exigencies of time, and in view of the broad scope of the investigation, we deemed it our duty, after making an intensive investigation of bank charters, to devote our principal

energies to other imperative matters of an entirely different nature from that disclosed by our investigation of bank and building and loan charters.

#### INSURANCE COMPANIES—CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

Insurance companies, like banks, may not transact business with the public until receiving a Certificate of Authority. Among other requisites, the capital stock must have been actually paid in in cash. The practice of the Department is to require an affidavit of payment to the effect that there are no charges or claims against the capital so paid in.

In one case, the printed affidavit of payment submitted to the Department failed to disclose, as an exception, that obligations had been previously incurred in lieu of promotion fees. Examination of the minute book of the company would have disclosed this.

Such certificates should not be issued until all the facts have been independently verified by the Department examiner.

#### INSURANCE COMPANIES—EXAMINATIONS

The Commissioner has the power, whenever he deems it expedient, to make an examination of the assets and liabilities, method of conducting business, and all other affairs of insurance companies. The cost is borne by the company.

To protect New Jersey companies seeking admission to and/or doing business in other States from the cost of examinations both by our State and every other State in which business is transacted, our laws provide that if other States refuse to accept our certificate of examination as conclusive, that then New Jersey will refuse to accept the examinations of such other States in respect to companies organized under their laws when doing or seeking to do business in New Jersey, and further that every insurance company of that other State shall be refused license to do business in New Jersey, and every license previously granted to an insurance company of that State shall be revoked and annulled.

The statute is drastic. The provision for revocation is mandatory and is visited on all companies of the foreign State irrespective of the worthiness of the particular company. The emphasis

which our Legislature has placed upon the conclusiveness of our own examination implies the highest obligation of good faith on the part of our Department that our examination reports which we certify and transmit to other States, and which they are bound to accept as conclusive, shall contain not merely a part of the truth but the whole truth as to every material matter which might affect the decision of that other State as to whether to admit or continue to permit the New Jersey corporation to do business therein.

The spirit of that statute has been violated by the practice of the Department, which has grown up recently and been employed on several occasions with the knowledge and acquiescence of the Commissioner, in making two reports of a given examination, one the so-called "official" report, the other "confidential"; that the motive has been to enable insurance companies of this State to present to other States the official report which on its face purports to be the entire report, i. e., the official report declares that it is the report of the examination made of the given company as of a certain date "of the assets and liabilities, method of conducting business and all other affairs" of said company—whereas, in fact, material, relevant, pertinent matters have been suppressed from the official report and are contained only in the confidential report.

This is a fraud upon the insurance departments of other States and absolutely indefensible.

The reason assigned in one such confidential report for the making thereof separate from the official report was the prominence of the men in the company. The Deputy admitted that the separation into two reports was made to enable the company to enter New York State. He had been deputized by the company to assist it in effecting such entrance. But when the reports were prepared by the Department and presented to the company, its officials deemed the separation and suppression wrongful and refused to present the official report to New York State, although it was a required condition precedent to entrance.

The Deputy claimed that the offensive practice was followed in other States, notably New York, but was unable to prove any instances thereof or any precautions taken by him to discount the reports emanating from such other States when certified to

New Jersey. And it was unequivocally denied by the New York State Superintendent of Insurance. We do not believe it. Even if true it is no excuse. It undermines the confidence and comity that should exist between our States. The practice must never be resurrected.

The only colorable justification offered was that matters of mere opinion of the examiner might be unfairly or maliciously incorporated in such report. This is readily cured by affording a hearing to each company before the report, in final form, is filed.

#### INSURANCE COMPANIES—EXCESS RETENTIONS

The limit of a single risk by any insurance company is ten per centum of its net assets. The statute, however, provides that so much of any risk as shall be reinsured shall not be considered part of the risk.

The business practice is to take the risk and then endeavor to reinsure everything above the statutory maxims. In case of failure to effect such reinsurance, the excess retention violates the statute.

This has occurred on frequent occasions. The Department has taken no action. The nature of the business is such that reinsurance cannot be contracted for in advance, for risks depend on variant facts. The statutory prohibition, however, ought not to be flaunted and treated by both company and Department, as no more than a mere recommendation. The Legislature means what it says. Practicable effect, consonant with the nature of the business, may be given the statute by adding that excess retentions after ten days shall be reported forthwith to the Department and no further business, so long as such excess retention subsists, shall be thereafter written unless the Commissioner's approval shall be first obtained. Dispensations to be granted in reasonable cases, but to be withheld where it appears that the company is making a practice of accepting risks that it cannot reinsure in other companies, will uphold the law and, at the same time, not unreasonably injure any company doing a sound and proper business.

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INSURANCE COMPANIES—DEPOSITS FOR PROTECTION OF  
POLICY HOLDERS

Before an insurance company may transact business it must deposit with the Commissioner \$50,000, in stocks, bonds or mortgages. The Commissioner may, from time to time, after the company shall have commenced business, require it to make further deposit up to the sum of \$100,000. The deposit is held for the benefit and security of all policyholders. When the company voluntarily dissolves, or a receiver is appointed, the Commissioner must deliver to the receiver or directors or trustees in dissolution, such deposit.

The minimum deposit should be continued, but the maximum should be graduated according to the volume of business transacted.

The rights of policyholders would undoubtedly be duly protected by delivery of the deposit to a receiver appointed by the Court of Chancery. But delivery of the deposit to trustees in voluntary dissolution, while it may inflict a personal liability upon them as individuals, does not continue the real and secured protection intended to be afforded the policyholder.

Since insurance companies are affected with a public interest, and the protection of policyholders to the full extent of the corporate assets is a trust duty surviving dissolution, the deposit should not be surrendered and no disbursement whatever made to stockholders until all proceedings in voluntary dissolution shall have first been approved by the Commissioner.

INSURANCE COMPANIES—DISSOLUTION

Dissolution required the concurrence of the management and a two-thirds vote of the stockholders, whereupon the Commissioner, if satisfied "by due proof that the requirements aforesaid have been complied with," issues a certificate that such consent has been filed. The certificate is then published and, upon the filing of an affidavit of publication, the company is deemed dissolved. The directors in office act as trustees in dissolution.

In one case, the proof furnished by affidavit was on its face regular in all respects and provocative of no inquiry. Upon the

faith of that affidavit, the certificate of dissolution was granted. We found, however, that 75 per cent of the stock had been placed in the name of a bookkeeper as trustee; that these shares were treasury stock which could not lawfully be voted directly or indirectly; that the shares were transferred into the bookkeeper's name to enable him to vote the shares for the express purpose of dissolution; that thereafter the sum of \$50,000 deposited with the Department as a protection to the policyholders was released to the trustees in dissolution and paid out to stockholders although the policies are still subsisting and their guarantees unperformed.

This could not have occurred if the facts and procedure set forth in the affidavit had been verified by the Department examiner. The Commissioner was entitled, because of the existing statute, to rely upon the "due proof" submitted. The statute should be strengthened, in analogy with our recommendation for verification in bank matters.

Moreover all the proceedings in voluntary dissolution of insurance companies should require the approval of the Commissioner as recommended under the caption—Deposits for Protection of Policyholders.

#### INSURANCE COMPANIES—STATE BUSINESS

We find that one company organized to transact a surety and fidelity bond business had as its president a prominent State official who had, however, no official connection with the State Highway Commission or with any other Commission, department, bureau, office or division of the State for the protection of which such bonds were issued. Included in its list of officers, directors and stockholders, are several other men of political prominence to whom the same comment as to official connection also applies as far as we know and believe.

Of the bonds in connection with State road work awarded by the State Highway Commission, this company wrote about 6 per cent of the amount of all the bonds in 1926, the first year of its organization; 36 per cent in 1927, and a little over 53 per cent in 1928, or more than all other companies, domestic and foreign, combined.

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We find no tangible connection between the company and its officers, directors and stockholders on the one side, and the fact that it has succeeded in obtaining the greatest volume of such State business. We find no violation of law. We do find, however, a natural tendency for contractors and bidders on State work to surmise and believe that by placing their bonds in such a company, favor will be shown them. The thought is the practical and motivating equivalent of the fact. Some agents, realizing this, have attempted to capitalize the idea of official prominence in the endeavor to sell stock of the company to contractors and in solicitation of surety contracts. When this was discovered by the company officials, the services of the agents were promptly and properly terminated. Irrespective, however, of fair intention by the company of which we have no doubt, there is no way to gauge or ascertain the bidder's mental processes. The inevitable tendency to go with the political crowd constitutes a species of unfair competition to other companies and creates an atmosphere of distrust and temptation not conducive to the best interests of the State. The company itself recognized this situation to a degree by voluntarily enacting a resolution not to solicit State business. But if it is wrong to solicit, why is it right to accept? The solicitation may come from the bidder.

One agent of the company, in soliciting fiduciary bonds from banks, represented that by taking the bond in that company the bank would be favored by receipt of a deposit of State treasury funds, or by a substantial increase thereof if such account were already established. In several instances where bonds were placed in the company, State deposits did follow or were increased. In one case the comptroller of the company, on learning of such representation, refused to renew the bond at maturity. Otherwise, knowledge of such representations were unequivocally denied by the responsible officers of the company and the coincidence of State deposits likewise unequivocally affirmed by both the present and former State Treasurer as being only apparent and in nowise connected with the placing of the bonds. But the popular belief

will always exist that the chances of obtaining the naturally desirable deposit are not weakened by taking a bond in such a company, even if not furthered.

INSURANCE COMPANIES—ASSOCIATIONS NOT FOR  
PECUNIARY PROFIT.

The act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit makes it lawful, where certificate so specifies, for such associations to provide for the relief of disabled or destitute members or their families and to maintain a fund for that purpose, or to contract with members to pay death benefits according to the rules or by-laws adopted by such associations.

This, in substance, is a power to insure, but the exercise of the power is in no way subject to the supervision of the Department. Therefore it was not within the jurisdiction of this Commission, and hence we did not investigate the many complaints of grave abuse of the act which reached us.

We believe that all corporations and associations engaged in any type of insurance business should be under the jurisdiction of the Department.

INSURANCE LAW—GENERAL.

This act has not been revised since 1902. Like the Banking Laws, it is printed in pamphlet form by the Department from time to time and used as a manual. The supplements and amendments have been many and sometimes confusing.

Thus Section 16, relating to investment of capital and surplus, has been amended so many times and generally so inaptly and unscientifically that grave doubts have arisen as to its proper construction and whether restrictions probably intended to apply to all insurance companies do not in fact apply only to life insurance companies. A bare inspection of the section will suffice to confirm the doubt. It has been the cause of disputes between the Department and certain companies on frequent and repeated occasions which disputes are still unsettled.

The act should be wholly revised, clarified and brought down to date.

## SMALL LOAN COMPANIES—THE LAW AND THE RATE OF INTEREST

The pioneer legislation of 1914 in this State has proved sound in principle. It authorized those who obtained license to make loans not exceeding \$300. at interest rate not greater than 3 per cent per month computed on unpaid balances. No other charge, bonus, fees, expenses or demands whatsoever may be exacted. The law provided punishment for violation of the strict regulations it stipulated for the conduct of the lender's business. Upon the Department was conferred the power to license, and to revoke or refuse to renew for cause. Upon it was imposed the duty to see that the law was enforced.

The experimental rate of 3 per cent per month allowed in what was then considered a risky business was adopted to attract legitimate capital to satisfy the small loan requirements of the people of our State and thereby drive out the "loan sharks" whose extortions were subject to no regulation. The privilege of charging that rate—six times the maximum of the usury act—was not designed as a franchise for the exclusive benefit of the lender but rather an inducement to supply needed funds under State regulations. The undoubted object and the only justification for such a law is the designed benefit to the borrower. The rate and every other provision of the law must be subservient to that end consistent, of course, without so overdoing it as to intimidate the desired and necessary capital and thereby revert to the deplorable conditions which previously obtained. The rate of interest can be determined fairly to both sides only by experience—just as insurance rates are based.

We have analyzed the actual figures representing the operations of several hundred of these small loan companies or lenders. The profits of those who have exploited this fertile field are astounding in many cases and certainly not contemplated by the framers of the Act. Inordinate profit to the lender means an exorbitant charge to the borrower. The apparent rate of profit made by the big chain companies, who for stock promotion and other reasons are interested in maintaining the present rate, has been obscured by loading expenses with arbitrary charges for supervision and auditing. Even then, the return on their invested

capital is more than twice that on investments in ordinary industrial enterprises. At the same time, it has been proved clearly that it is not a risky business. Losses are but one-fourth of one per cent, in many cases as low as one-tenth of one per cent.

Our investigation has demonstrated by the experience of those lenders who have entered this field that the small loan business can be and has been profitably conducted at rates less than half the maximum now allowable.

We therefore recommend that the maximum rate be reduced by half, i. e. from three per cent. per month to one and one-half per cent. per month.

Other changes regulating the business are suggested under Recommendations.

#### SMALL LOAN COMPANIES—ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAW BY THE DEPARTMENT

The enforcement of the Small Loan Act by the Department has been singularly inept and inert. Numberless and repeated violations of the Act have been reported by the examiners despite which nothing has been done aside from gentle remonstrance. Licenses of flagrant and continuous violators have nevertheless been renewed from year to year. In only one case prior to this investigation was any license ever revoked.

The Department, with knowledge and without protest, has allowed itself to be held out to the public in connection with the selling of stock of these companies as supervising them, whence is derived the plain and played up advertised inference that the investment in such stock must be safe for the investor. In truth, the Department has and exercises no supervision whatsoever except to see that the restrictive provisions in the law relating to the conduct of its business are enforced. Questions of prudent, prospective investors addressed to the Department seeking verification of the alluring advertising were side-stepped, answered evasively and without denial or challenge of the misleading but glittering phrases of the promoters which capitalized the Department for their benefit. Nor did the Department quarrel with the false representations made that these small loan companies were

banks or industrial banks doing a banking or an industrial banking business, with innuendo, often expressed and always unmistakable, that the investor was buying bank stock.

The Commission determined the emergency was so great, that, without waiting for the presentation of this report, its immediate duty was to request the Commissioner to promulgate a rule forbidding all such representations, with which request, we are glad to report, the Commissioner promptly complied.

#### SMALL LOAN COMPANIES—STOCK EXPLOITATION

The financial possibilities of small loan companies operating under the presently allowable high rate of interest have been exploited by a series of fraudulent stock promotion schemes. As a result of this phase of our investigation, several such companies are now in the hands of receivers and several persons have been indicted. We have above referred to advertised capitalization of the Department and the false representations that these companies were doing a banking business. Such representations have been disseminated not only by printed advertising but also widely broadcast from different radio stations. False and fraudulent statements pertaining to earnings and dividends of newly formed companies have been uttered. Thousands of small investors in this and in other States have been grossly and injuriously deceived.

Investors have assumed that the representations must be true, else in view of the general publicity incident to broadcasting they would not be permitted by the Banking Department, the Attorney-General's Office, and the radio stations themselves. The stations in turn have been lulled into security by the inertia of the Department and of the Office. In one case, certifications on the letterhead of the Attorney-General's Office, Division of Securities, signed by the Examiner of Securities, purporting to certify the approval of that Department to the broadcasting in question, were presented to a radio station and by its reliance and recommendation thereon, other stations were also deceived. That examiner was also the treasurer of the company whose stock was sold and at times he himself broadcasted selling talks over the radio under a fictitious name.

The Attorney-General did not take action until the matter was brought to light by this investigation, but we find that his Office had actual knowledge several months before, that the identity of the treasurer of the loan company as being the Examiner of Securities in the Attorney-General's Office was being advertised; that complaints had been lodged by civic organizations respecting misleading advertising by that company; that it was representing itself as being under the supervision of the Department and doing a banking business; that by bill in Chancery the company had been compelled to desist from fraudulent practices therein set forth; that broadcasting was being done but no inquiry was made as to representations except to accept the word of the known self interested examiner that everything was all right from the point of view of the Department.

Some of the radio stations in question were located without the State, and therefore transcript of the testimony concerning such broadcasting has been transmitted to the Federal Radio Commission with request to consider preventive, rather than punitive measures, in reference to the use of radio transcending State lines in connection with fraudulent stock selling schemes.

#### ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S OFFICE—DIVISION OF SECURITIES

We have heretofore adverted to this division in connection with Investment Trusts and also Small Loan Companies. The situation requires vigorous initiative and constant, diligent and intelligent attention.

#### THE DEPARTMENT AS AN ENTIRETY—THE LAW

The Act to Establish the Department was enacted in 1891. Section 5 of the Act vests powers and charges duties then vested and imposed upon certain other State officers, without anything more definite than such incorporation by reference. No one may know the powers and duties now vested and imposed upon the Department except by tedious ascertainment of the law as it existed in 1891 as respects each of the several officers named. The Act should with precision state the powers and duties of this very important office.

Section 8 still provides that the offices of the Department shall be located in the State House, whereas it is common knowledge that they are located in a private building.

Revision should be made. General provisions relating to all Bureaus of the Department might well be inserted in such revision instead of the increasingly involved legislative work of amending each and every particular act. Each of the latter should be made expressly subject to the Act Establishing the Department.

#### THE DEPARTMENT AS AN ENTIRETY—ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION

We have carefully considered the mooted question of splitting up the Department as now constituted into three different bureaus or departments with a separate Commissioner at the head of each, but we are firmly of the opinion that the investigation has demonstrated that the best interests of the State will be served by co-ordination of all the divisions or bureaus as now constituted under one common head because of the growing inter-relation of different financial institutions with each other.

The use of rubber stamps bearing the signature of the Commissioner, heretofore condemned by an earlier commission, still continues. The deputies have power to act in their own names. The dangerous practice should be forthwith discontinued.

Correspondence carbons should show accurately by whom the original letter was actually signed. The Commissioner denied signing a letter which by the official carbon purported to have been signed by him. It recited the affixing of his signature and the seal of his office and was the only letter of that important kind issued in the six years of his incumbency of office. If not signed by him, the office carbons fail to fix responsibility.

#### SECOND MORTGAGE FINANCING

This subject is not within our jurisdiction, but was encountered collaterally in examining a small loan concern. We were thereafter favored by the voluntary appearance of officers of two of the larger companies doing exclusively a second mortgage

business. For the purposes of comparison with small loan companies, we have made a brief examination of rates and methods.

The rates range from a discount of 8 to 20 per cent. for one to three years, and in addition there are appraisal fees and title search charges. The required monthly amortization increases the rate still higher. It is a risky business as evidenced by the number of foreclosures and the tendency to acquire frozen assets because of the lack of marketability of second mortgages.

The companies buy not only existing mortgages, but also make original loans secured by second mortgages. In the latter cases the above rates are obtained by evading the usury laws. This is attempted in two ways: (1) by making loans to corporations then in existence or created for the purpose, since corporations are by law forbidden to plead usury; (2) by causing the borrower to make and deliver a mortgage to a dummy, who thereupon assigns the mortgage thus manufactured to the second mortgage company. The borrower receives the face of the mortgage less the above discount. In form it is the purchase of a mortgage; in substance it is the taking of usury.

There is apparently a great and growing demand without enough capital to supply it not only for second mortgages on realty, but also for the financing of automobiles, radio apparatus and articles of household equipment. The present usury laws cast doubt at least upon the legal efficacy of the present methods. That doubt intimidates the influx of capital into the field, increases the risk incidental to the business and is a potent factor in the high rates exacted. Since a public demand exists for such forms of financing which cannot be supplied at ordinary interest rates, it may be advisable that the method be legalized in analogy to the Small Loan Act at a reasonable rate of interest, thereby making it attractive to competitive capital to enter the field and make direct loans without any question of usury with the object in view of ultimately reducing the cost to the borrower. We make no specific recommendation except that the matter should be further studied by the Legislature.

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## RECOMMENDATIONS

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### We recommend that :

1. Applicants for bank charters and/or branch offices shall publish reasonable notice of such application and mail such notice to every State bank, national bank and trust company located within two miles of the place where the charter applicants purpose to locate, and also upon the Federal Comptroller of the Currency and upon the Federal Reserve Board of the District embracing said location.

2. No charter or branch office shall be approved without affording an opportunity for a hearing to those interested and requesting same.

3. The Commissioner shall decide either to grant or decline charter and/or branch office applications within three months of the date of presentation to the Department, and shall file a written memorandum stating the reasons for his decision.

4. Such decision shall be reviewable by the Supreme Court by writs of certiorari and/or mandamus, as the case may require, to the extent of determining whether the requirements of the law have been observed, and/or whether the discretion confided in the Commissioner has been abused.

5. To set at rest any question of jurisdiction, the refusal to issue Certificate of Authority shall be subject to writ of mandamus by the Supreme Court.

6. No charter shall be approved that contemplates or provides for any promotion fees. There shall be submitted with every application for a charter an affidavit made by each of the incorporators setting forth (1) that no fee or commission has been paid or has been contracted to be paid directly or indirectly by the bank or by any one in its behalf to any person, association or corporation for securing subscriptions for or selling stock in

said proposed bank; (2) a complete disclosure of all fees, if any, paid or agreed to be paid in the matter of chartering and organizing the bank, whether payable in money or required by stock allotments, or any other form of compensation, and every agreement or understanding relating thereto; (3) that the incorporators are the true and only parties in interest.

7. There shall be set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation of every bank the names of the directors who are to serve as such until the next annual election following issuance of the Certificate of Authority.

8. Before the Certificate of Authority shall issue, the Department shall, by examination, verify the payment in cash of the entire capital stock and the surplus to be paid in, if any, as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation, and that the same is on deposit in banks and/or trust companies of this State, and/or national banks located within this State, without offset, claim or demand of any nature or description and subject to withdrawal upon demand, and that no part of the deposit is in any sense the proceeds of loans granted by the depository to the applicant for said certificate, and that the applicant is not in any way indebted to the depository. Such examination shall also verify the completeness and the correctness of the entire organization proceedings and every matter properly incidental thereto.

9. No bank or trust company shall use in its business any portion or installment of its capital or surplus paid in pursuant to its original or amended charter until the whole amount therein set forth shall have been fully paid in in cash, and such payment shall have been verified by the Department.

10. Chapter 13, Laws of 1927, relating to Trust Companies should be amended by restoring the provision that the place where the business is to be carried on shall be specifically designated in the Certificate of Incorporation by street and number in the municipality in which the business is to be conducted, and no corporation shall be permitted to remove therefrom to any other location without the written approval of the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance first had and obtained.

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11. Banks shall not write up assets except after approval of the Commissioner first had and obtained.

12. The Legislature should declare its intention one way or the other as to the validity of stock dividends by banks and, in any event, validate stock dividends previously issued providing the surplus and/or undivided profits were otherwise sufficient.

13. False oath of ownership of unpledged shares by director of a bank shall constitute a misdemeanor.

14. Forbid use of word "trust" by any company as a part of its corporate name, and/or its business being in anywise advertised as such except by a bank thereunto duly authorized. So also the words "bank," "bankers," or "banking."

15. Amend Securities Act of 1927 by conferring upon the receiver all the statutory powers conferred upon receivers appointed pursuant to the General Corporation Act.

16. The minimum deposit of \$50,000. required of insurance companies for the protection of policyholders should be retained but the maximum should be removed and the required deposit graduated according to the volume of business transacted.

17 Such deposit shall not be surrendered to trustees in voluntary dissolution and no disbursement of the insurance company's funds whatsoever shall be made to the stockholders until all proceedings in such voluntary dissolution shall have been first approved by the Commissioner.

18. The requirements of dissolution of insurance companies shall be verified by the Department instead of accepting submitted proofs at face value.

19. Every excess retention of insurance risk after ten days shall be reported forthwith to the Department, and no further risks, so long as such excess retention subsists, shall be undertaken or assumed unless the Commissioner's approval shall be first had and obtained.

20. Confidential as distinguished from official reports of examinations of all persons, firms, associations and corporations

subject to the jurisdiction of the Department shall be unlawful. The official report shall contain all the pertinent facts disclosed by the examination. It shall not be officially filed until opportunity has been afforded for a hearing thereon. Thereupon the Commissioner shall order the report filed or make such other order as the facts and justice may require.

21. The Small Loan Act of 1914 should be amended in the following respects:

Reduce the maximum rate of interest from 3 per cent to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per cent per month;

No borrower or endorser to be directly or contingently liable at any time for more than \$300.;

Borrowers to be able at any time to anticipate installment payments in whole or in part;

Licenses not be permitted to engage in or solicit any other business in the same office or in association or connection with the lending of money under the Act, excepting in municipalities having a population of not more than 15,000 according to the last preceding Federal census;

Licenses required to have a minimum capital of \$5,000. paid in in cash;

The name of every corporate licensee shall require the approval of the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, which name shall not be so nearly like the name of any other corporation as to deceive the public, and the words "Small Loan Company" shall form a part thereof;

The required bond to be conditioned not only for the faithful observance of all laws relating to such business, but also of the rules and regulations made by the Commissioner, and to contain a liquidated damage clause in the sum of \$1,000. payable to the Department for the use of the State in respect to each violation of the Act and/or rules and regulations.

22. All advertising oral or written by any person, firm, association or corporation subject to the jurisdiction of the Department which in anywise mentions or refers to the Department shall be unlawful.

23. The Attorney General should assign from his staff for the use of the Department of Banking and Insurance at least one lawyer competent to examine and pass on the trust business of banks and verify, in the field, compliance with the legal requirements of all documents filed in the Department office requiring the approval of the Commissioner and/or upon which he is bound to or may act.

24. The Commissioner shall not approve or act upon any document filed or to be filed with the Department until the facts and procedure therein set forth shall have been verified to his reasonable satisfaction by an examiner appointed by him for that purpose.

25. Amplify Commissioner's power not only to direct discontinuance of illegal or unsafe practices but also to make such other orders as the facts and justice may require, enforceable by appropriate penalties for violation.

26. Amend the act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit by making all associations engaged in any kind of insurance subject to the jurisdiction of the Department.

27. Corporations organized under the Acts Concerning Banks and Banking and Trust Companies, and the stockholders and directors thereof, shall have all the powers granted, and be subject to all the restrictions, limitations, duties and obligations imposed by the General Act Concerning Corporations and the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, except so far as they may be inconsistent with express provisions of the respective Acts.

28. Provide for a complete revision of the Acts Concerning Banks and Banking, Trust Companies, and Insurance Companies.

29. The act establishing the Department should be completely revised with a view to determining accurately the powers confer-

red and the duties imposed upon the Department. General provisions relating to all Bureaus of the Department should be written into the Act instead of amending the several statutes relating to specific objects of jurisdiction. Each of the latter should be made expressly subject to the general Act establishing the Department.

30. Under penalty of immediate termination of office, neither the Commissioner nor any of his deputies or examiners shall have any dealings or transactions in any capacity whatsoever with any bank or trust company under the jurisdiction of the Department of Banking and Insurance save in the strict performance of his or their duties, except such institutions with which he or they were dealing prior to his or their respective appointments.

31. The Department should continue its coordination under one head.

32. We suggest the creation of a Legislative Commission to investigate installment purchases of automobiles and household equipment and the financing thereof, and also the financing of first and second mortgages on realty.

Respectfully submitted,

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Trenton, N. J., March 18, 1929

Mr. Siracusa moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the minutes, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Siracusa then requested unanimous consent to introduce four bills and one joint resolution, covering the recommendations of the Joint Legislative Commission to Investigate the Department of Banking and Insurance.

There being no objection consent was granted and the following bills were introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No 487, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No 488, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No 489, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred (\$300) dollars or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages, when given as security for any such loan or advancement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No 490, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Joint Resolution No 17, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of the Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into certain financial matters,"

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Miss Jones offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted :

*Be it resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be accorded to the class known as the political science class of the New Jersey State College for Women, represented by Miss Adelaide Rogers; and

*Be it further resolved*, That George R. Morrison, representing the great county of Middlesex and the illustrious city of New Brunswick, has seen fit to inform the various members of the House that he is responsible for their attendance here; and

*Be it further resolved*, That the Hon. Thomas Muir, one of the deans of the House, from Union County, be and is hereby requested to bid the fair ladies a hearty welcome; and

*Be it further resolved*, That the Hon. Arnold Kalamen and Joseph Edgar, Assemblymen from Middlesex County, the handsome bachelors of this body, hereby extend an invitation to these ladies to luncheon at the Carteret Club as soon as the House recesses.

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

*Be it resolved*, That the House of Assembly recognize and welcome the presence in the gallery of the House of Assembly the senior class of the Vail Dean School for Girls of the city of Elizabeth, county of Union, represented by Miss Denman, teacher, and Miss Wilson, student president.

The Speaker announced that Mr. Smock, of Ocean County, had resigned from membership on the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of the Honorable Charles R Blunt, of Essex County, a vacancy had occurred on the McAllister Committee and that he has appointed Mr. Huelsenbeck, of Essex County, to fill the said vacancy.

Assembly Bill No. 162, 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,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Edgar, Hanson, Wise—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.

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his secretary, as follows, which was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
March 19th, 1929.

*To the Legislature:*

I am advised by the committee which has been conducting the preliminary work relative to making an audit of the books of the departments, boards and commissions of this State, that it now appears that the sum of fifty thousand dollars heretofore appropriated for this purpose under Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 is inadequate, and that a further appropriation of fifty thousand dollars will be necessary in order to properly make the audit and install the accounting systems in the various departments, boards and commissions of the State.

It is estimated that the audit itself will entail expenditures amounting to approximately eighty-five thousand dollars. In addition to this the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, in my opinion, should be provided for the purpose of securing books and necessary equipment for the proper installation of the system.

Respectfully submitted,

MORGAN F. LARSON,

*Governor.*

Attest:

THOMAS L. HANSON,

*Secretary to the Governor.*

Mr. Knight moved that the message be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

**Which motion was adopted.**

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Assembly Bill No. 372, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Thursday, March 21st, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to meet Saturday, March 23d, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to meet Monday, March 25th, 1929, at eight P. M.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 161, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 161 be recommitted to the committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

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

Assembly Bill No. 344,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 345,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, by the following Committee Substitute, which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and non-resident children in this State,"

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the committee substitute for the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22.

Which motion was adopted.

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Assembly Bill No. 196, with the following committee amendments, which were read by the Clerk.

Page 2, after line 16, strike out the words "persons authorized by the law of this State to practice beauty culture" and insert in lieu thereof, the following, "female persons practicing hair and beauty culture in beauty shops."

Mrs. Stelle moved the adoption of the committee amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 196.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 408.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 409.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships reported

Assembly Bill No. 334.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 442, by the following Committee Substitute, which was read by the Clerk :

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Union,"

Mr Cassini moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 442.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 167.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Altman, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No. 351.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Altman, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No. 65.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr Altman, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No. 352.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 357.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported

Assembly Bill No. 361.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 326.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 72, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act authorizing the bringing of suits or actions at law against the State of New Jersey in certain cases and creating a court of claims to hear and determine same,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Siracusa moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 32.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 150,

Favorably, without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

March 19th, 1929. }

*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. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Assembly Bill No 196, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a State board of barbers for the licensing of persons to carry on such practices, to insure better education of such practitioners, to provide rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of the occupation of barbering for the protection of the public health, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 409, entitled "An act to provide for the completion of the vital records of New Jersey by the filing of copies of such records dated prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, with the State Registrar of Vital Statistics, and for filing and indexing the same alphabetically and in such manner as to render them readily available for reference,"

Assembly Bill No. 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessments and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 334, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled "An act to incorporate the first Judicial District of the county of Union,"

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the sale of lands by cemetery companies,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State boards of health and a Bureau of Vital Statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by act approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen and as further amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties in 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 act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 326, entitled "An act to incorporate the Fifth Judicial District of the county of Bergen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 72, entitled, "An act authorizing the bringing of suits or actions at law against the State of New Jersey in certain cases and creating a court of claims to hear and determine same,"

Assembly Bill No 167, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class in this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and nonresident children in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning municipalities,' ap-

proved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 345, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), which supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"'

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years, and to authorize certain judges to order that such judgment shall not operate as a disqualification of such persons for any office, and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such, and providing for the revocation of such order,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 32, 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. 150, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Ocean City, in the county of Cape May, meadow lands contiguous thereto,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that it had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 13, 58, 151, 165, 229, 258, 281, 310, 333, 123,

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 249,

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294,

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 256, and

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417.

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In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same without amendments:

Senate Bills No. 17, 41 and 62.

The Speaker announced that due to the death of the Honorable Charles W. Letzgus, of Camden County, a vacancy occurred in the Committee on Municipal Corporations and that he has appointed Mr. Cassini, of Essex County, to fill said vacancy.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of the Honorable Charles R. Blunt, of Essex County, a vacancy occurred in the Joint Committee on Sinking Fund and that he has appointed Mr. Cassini, of Essex County, to fill said vacancy.

Mr. Knight moved the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

THURSDAY, March 21st, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, March 23d, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

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SATURDAY, March 23d, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., March 25th, 1929.

MONDAY, March 25th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. R. Siegart, Pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Ramsey, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—57.

Absent—Mr. Purdy—1.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 25th, 1929. }

*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. 6, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 7, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 8, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 9, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 19, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 31, entitled "An act to change and amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act authorizing counties and municipalities to acquire land for airport purposes and to use land heretofore acquired for other purposes and thereafter to lease same,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 136, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset,"

Assembly Bill No. 137, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An amendment to an act to amend an act entitled "An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from United States service," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the establishment of game refuges by the board of fish and game commissioners, and for the protection of the game in such refuges,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now

or hereafter supplying water therein, and in other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Siracusa asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce

Assembly Bill No 492

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to Committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled "An act to validate, confirm, authorize and direct the payment of certain obligations, and/or contracts of municipalities of this State,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Leap asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce

Assembly Bill No. 493.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 493, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by boroughs,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuser asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce

Assembly Bill No. 494.

There being no objection consent was granted

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled "An act for the relief of Maude Weeks,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported.**

Assembly Bills Nos. 370, 437, 438, 431, 435, 440 and 373

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended,"

Assembly Bill No. 438, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented,"

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,' "

Assembly Bill No. 435, entitled "An act relating to the sale of property by married women, where they acquire title to same by gift, devise or inheritance,"

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning motor vehicles bailed, rented or leased, without a driver, to be operated by the bailee, or lessee, his agent or servant, for purposes other than the transportation of passengers for hire, and their operation upon public highways,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and

twenty-six," which amendment was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' which amendment was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of Mr Smock, of Ocean County, from membership on the Committee on Judiciary, a vacancy occurred and that he had appointed Mr Gopsill, of Monmouth County, to fill said vacancy

Assembly Bill No. 47, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning disorderly persons' (Revision of 1898, compiled Statutes 1910, volume 2, page 1926),"

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

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—  
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**In the negative—None.**

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 118, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

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

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz,

Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 131, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court attendants in counties of the second class of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition and preservation of the Dey House Washington Headquarters, located at Preakness, in the township of Wayne, county of Passaic, to commemorate the sesqui-centennial of the occupancy of said headquarters by General George Washington in the American Revolutionary War; to appoint a commission with power to acquire and preserve the said headquarters; and to appropriate moneys to pay for the acquisition and preservation of the same,"

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

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In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—46

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—53.

Absent—

Messrs D'Elia, Greenberg, Huelsenbeck, Parentini, Purdy—5.

Mr. Duszynski asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir

Pulaski, on October 11th, 1929; establishing a commission to be known as the New Jersey Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission; and designating October 11, 1929 as General Pulaski's Memorial Day,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Huelsenbeck, Purdy—2.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 119, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 119 was lost, be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 119 reconsidered.

Mr. Leap moved that Assembly Bill No. 119 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 150, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock,

Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	}
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	March 25th, 1929. }

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

Assembly Bill No. 104, 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 March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,' which amendatory act was approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

With the following Senate amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

On page one, line thirteen at the end thereof add the following: "*provided, however,* that not more than three per centum (3%) of the area of any city, town, township, borough, village or other municipality shall be devoted to cemetery purposes."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that the House concur in the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 104

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand,

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Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

In the negative—None

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 104 concurred in

Assembly Bill No 334, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—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. Leap asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No 495 There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, in consideration of a conveyance by said Corporation or one of its subsidiaries, to the State of New Jersey, or its nominee, of lands owned by said company or companies in the City of New Brunswick, and in the Township of North Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 232, entitled "An act to authorize the State House Commission to contract for and cause to be installed an electrical and mechanical system for registration of votes of members of the General Assembly,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baxter, Cassini, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hollinshead, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Young—21.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—33.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 232 lost.

Miss Jones moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 232 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 63, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of county detectives in counties of the first and second

class," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

In the negative were—

Misses Haines, Jones—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. 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessments and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Kalamen, Knight, McDermott, Morrison, Vanderbach, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

March 25th, 1929. }

*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 285, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

And

Senate Bill No 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Siracusa moved the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 285 be advanced and taken up on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 285 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

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

Mr Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 285 be taken up on third reading and final passage

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 285, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas' (Revision

of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Siracusa under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison,, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty, Duszynski, McDermott, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. Siracusa moved that Senate Bill No 285 be signed by the Speaker and sent forthwith to the Senate

Which motion was adopted.

Mr Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No 240 be advanced and taken up on second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

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

Mr Smock asked for the record on Assembly Bill No 108, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Smock moved that Assembly Bill No. 108 be recommitted to the committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 215, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit courts' (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. Altman, Barison Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Vanderbach, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Rittenhouse, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 371, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 4, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourn it be to meet Tuesday, March 26th, at twelve o'clock noon.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 25th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that the Governor be requested to return to the Senate Senate Bill No. 41, for further consideration.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No 301, entitled "An act for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. McMurray asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 32, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. McMurray moved that Senate Bill No. 32 be recommitted to the committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser served twenty-four hours' notice that he would move to relieve the Ways and Means Committee from further custody of Assembly Bill No. 401.

Mr. Sterner, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation reported

Assembly Bill No. 457.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 208, with the following committee amendments:

Page 2, line 28, strike out entire line.

Page 2, line 29, strike out entire line.

Page 2, line 30, strike out entire line.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 208.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 410.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 273 with the following committee amendments.

On page 2, line 30, at the end thereof, strike out the period, and add the following:

“, provided, however, that in the case of counties such notes or bonds shall be paid or funded within six years from the date of the issuance thereof.”

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 273.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 393.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 394.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 395.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 396.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 397.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 398.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 119, with the following committee amendments.

On page 1, line 12, after the word "unpaid" and the period, begin a new paragraph and strike out all the balance of line 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, up to and including the word "collector."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 119.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 268, with the following committee amendments.

In section 4, line 1, after the word "title" strike out the word "of" and insert the word "to." In line 4, after the word "acquisition" insert the words "by the State."

In section 6, line 8, after the word "for" strike out the word "this" and insert the word "these" and change the word "purpose" to the word "purposes."

In section 7, line 4, after the word "person" insert the words "or agency."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to

Assembly Bill No. 268.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 360, 481, 266.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 255, with the following committee amendments:

1. Amend Assembly Bill No. 255 by striking out in line four of paragraph one thereof all of the words therein contained after the word "Mercer," as well as striking out all of the words contained in line five and substituting in lieu of those words the following words:

“And the assumption of any school indebtedness and the vesting of title to school property as well as the operation and the time of commencement of operation of said district shall be governed by the general laws of this State relating to schools.”

2. By striking out the whole of section two of said bill and substituting in lieu of the words therein contained the following words:

“This act shall take effect immediately but its provisions shall remain inoperative unless and until a proposition for its ratification and adoption shall have been submitted to the legal voters of the Borough of Hopewell at the next (1929) general election and the majority of the votes cast thereon shall be in favor of said ratification and adoption and the result of said vote certified by the Clerk of the said borough of Hopewell to the Clerk of the county of Mercer. Said question shall be submitted by placing on the general election ballot the following:

	YES.	“Shall an act to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the Borough of Hopewell be ratified and adopted?”
	NO.	

There shall be placed underneath said proposition the following instructions to voters:

“To vote in favor of the proposition place an X or + after the word yes; to vote against the proposition place an X or plus after the word no.”

If the majority of the voters voting on said proposition shall vote in favor thereof the provisions of this act shall take effect, otherwise, not.”

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 255.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 474 with the following committee amendments:

On page two, paragraph two, line three, strike out the words “above described territory” and insert in lieu thereof the words “Township of Galloway.”

On page two, paragraph two, line seven, strike out the words "a place" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the places."

On page two, paragraph three, line two, at the beginning of said line, strike out the word "board" and insert in lieu thereof the words "district boards."

On page two, paragraph three, lines two and three, strike out the words "wherein the greater part, or all of the foregoing described territory is located," and insert in lieu thereof the words "of the said Township of Galloway."

On page two, paragraph three, line 12, after the word "provide" in said line, strike out the letter "a."

On page two, paragraph three, line twelve, strike out the word "place" and insert in lieu thereof the word "places."

On page three, line twenty-three, at the end of said line add the following: "in such township."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Cassini moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 474.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 452, 402, 315.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Assembly Bill No. 385.

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 405.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 441, 375.

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 359, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of medical inspectors of boards of education of the State,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Miss Haines moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 359.

Which motion was adopted.

The Clerk read the following announcement:

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary requests that all members of the Judiciary Committee meet in this chamber tomorrow, March 26th, 1929, at 9:45 A. M.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 485.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 343, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 391.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mrs. Summers, Chairman of the Committee on Claims and Pensions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 378.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 342.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 399.

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 384, 386, 467.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Leap, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corpora-  
tions, reported

Assembly Bill No. 461.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Altman, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision,  
reported

Assembly Bill No. 403.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Town-  
ships, reported

Senate Bill No. 119.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means,  
reported

Senate Bill No. 26.

Favorably without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and  
Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 424.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means,  
reported

Assembly Bill No. 390, with the following committee amendments:

Page two, paragraph three, line two, strike out the word "specifically."

Page two, paragraph three, line three, strike out the period and substitute ", when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation measure."

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 390.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 425.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bills Nos. 475, 444, 387, 449.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 477.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 364.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 354,

By the following committee substitute.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality, governed by an improvement commission, approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the pamphlet laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,'"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 380.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 476.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Altman, Chairman of the Committee on Bill Revision, reported

Assembly Bill No. 443.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 161.

Favorably, without amendment.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 162, 224, 225, 246, 247, 257, 311, 314, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 417.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendment:

Senate Bill No. 285.

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled "An act to enable cities fronting on tidal waters of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under water within any such city and to make assessments upon lands specially benefited by such improvements,"

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Re-

vision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' constituting chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which said supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgages against loss,"

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgage against waste or misapplication, of the income from the mortgaged lands,"

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Court of Chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled "An act relative to mortgages, the foreclosure thereof and regulating proceedings on foreclosure,"

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and fifteen,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers and disposal works; and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," constituting chapter thirty-six of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the borough of Hopewell,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 474, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Egg Harbor City, part of the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 452, 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,'"

Assembly Bill No. 402, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revisions of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,'"

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale or mortgaging of lands and premises in which a person mentally incapacitated may have an inchoate right of dower, and provide for the determination, release or purchase of such inchoate right of dower,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 441, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,' approved February sixteen, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 359, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of medical inspectors of boards of education of the State,"

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to fix the pay or salary of certain employees of the Rahway Reformatory,"

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free

public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Lopatcong in the county of Warren, to the town of Phillipsburg, in the county of Warren,"

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing limited appropriations for the relief and education of certain indigent children in the cities of this State,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 342, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act appropriating money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of Morris Canal and Banking Company, and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance' (Revision of 1902), approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two," which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning conditional sales and to make uniform the law relating thereto," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' which amendatory act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and

other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 403, entitled "An act validating a deed or conveyance made by any general guardian conveying any interest which minors may have in lands situate in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 424, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act authorizing the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Phillipsburg, New Jersey and Easton, Pennsylvania, providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 425, entitled "An act concerning cemetery and cemetery associations, and providing for the regulation of the same,"

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled "An act providing for chambers or offices for Justices of the Supreme Court,"

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a department of municipal accounts and the office of commissioner of municipal accounts, and defining his duties and powers," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for overflow of the tide, or the filling in, of the lands contained within the bounds of any meadow company, heretofore organized by virtue of the provisions of any special or general act of the Legislature of this State; to provide funds, to defray the expenses thereof and to protect adjoining

meadows, or other lands from damages, and to assess a portion of the cost thereon on such adjoining lands,' which act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 449, entitled "An act concerning trust funds created by public subscription for the support and maintenance of widows and children of deceased members of the police and fire departments of municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 477, entitled "An act to amend 'An act to permit bathing and swimming in the fresh waters of this State,' passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 364, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality, governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'"

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State real estate commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining

its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to make a preliminary survey for the purpose of thereafter constructing an interstate vehicular bridge from Staten Island across Raritan Bay to a point in the northerly part of Monmouth County, and making an appropriation therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code and providing penalties for violations,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to incorporate the 'Borough of Shiloh' in the county of Cumberland,"

And

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act concerning the care and custody of minor children,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, March 26th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. T. Paul Loraine, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Clayton, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hollinshed, Kuser, Leap, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pier-son, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Stein, Stewart, Van-derbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—26.

Absent—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, Huelsen-beck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers—32.

The Clerk announced that as only twenty-six members had ap- peared and answered to their names at the roll call, there was not a quorum present.

Mr. Siracusa, on behalf of the members present, offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, March 27th, 1929 at twelve o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet on Thursday, March 28th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet on Friday, March 29th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet on Saturday, March 30th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet on Monday, April 1st, 1929, at eight o'clock P. M.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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WEDNESDAY, March 27th, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Thursday, March 28th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

THURSDAY, March 28th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Spair and Bethke.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Friday, March 29, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

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FRIDAY, March 29th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, March 30th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

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SATURDAY, March 30th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock April 1st, 1929.

MONDAY, April 1st, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. A. S. Allen, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sandy Ridge, N. J.

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

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Mercolino, Purdy—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Young asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 496.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Young:

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Morris,'"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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

Assembly Bill No. 324, by the following committee substitute.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and in-

fectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State; and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," and to repeal certain sections thereof, which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act,' approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

Mr. Hanson, chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor on March 26th, 1929,

Assembly Bills Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 19, 31, 85, 136, 137, 248, 286, Assembly No. 104, with Senate amendments.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,

*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 371, 372, 408, 47, 63, 118, 131, 135, 150, 174, 215, 301, 334.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, without amendments:

Senate Bill No. 4.

Mr. Litwin, of Essex county, submitted the following communication and report to the desk, which was read by the clerk:  
*Honorable Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk of the House of Assembly, State House, Trenton, N. J.:*

DEAR SIR—I hereby transmit to the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey a report of the Mechanics Lien Commission, appointed under Joint Resolution No. 15 of the Legislative session of 1928.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID M. LITWIN,  
*Chairman.*

NEWARK, N. J., March 18th, 1929.

*To the Members of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

The joint commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15 of the Legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the Mechanics Lien Commission, was organized at a meeting called by the Honorable A. Harry Moore, former Governor of the State of New Jersey, and which was held at the State House, in Trenton, New Jersey. At the organization meeting David M. Litwin was elected chairman of the commission, and Samuel Herman secretary thereof.

Subsequently, public hearings were held in the city of Newark, New Jersey, at which representatives of all of the elements interested in the subject matter in hand attended and expressed their views. An executive session was subsequently held in the city of Newark and the commission has come to the following conclusions:

1. It finds that a complete revision of the laws relative to mechanics' liens is necessary.

2. That it is impossible to make a study of the various laws and have a complete revision ready for presentation at this session of the Legislature.

3. There are certain features of the present lien laws which require immediate attention, and your commission has drafted certain proposed amendments and supplements which are presented herewith, and as hereinafter more specifically set forth,

and which are intended to take care of the situations mentioned in paragraphs 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of this report.

4. The commission respectfully recommends that it be continued for the purpose of making a further study of the lien laws with the intention of ultimately having a complete revision.

5. It has found that the greatest source of difficulty is the fact that there is no provision in the present lien laws which requires a person having a right of lien thereunder to file a record thereof, so that a purchaser of the real estate or a mortgagee has no way in which he can secure positive knowledge as to the creditors of the building with whom it will be necessary to contend. It is found that the lack of this provision has created incessant litigation, annoyance and damage to innocent persons.

6. It has also likewise been found that a serious question has arisen as to when a building has been completed, so that the right of lien has continued far beyond the time of the actual completion of the building, because of there being no way in which this question can be settled beyond a doubt.

7. Paragraph 2 of the present lien law opens the door for fraud in that it does not require the contract of record to be signed by the owner of the lands or the person whose estate is to be charged with the lien, so that it is impossible to locate a filed contract made with a person other than the owner of the lands or of the estate which is to be charged with the lien, by the usual method of searching titles.

8. Section 3 of the present lien law relating to the giving of stop notices places it within the hands of an unscrupulous owner to make preference of one stop notice claimant over another, and the commission has recommended that stop notices be filed first in the county clerk's office, and be paid according to the priority of filing there, so that there can be no question as to whose notice was filed first. In connection with this proposed amendment it is also necessary to amend the verbiage of section 6.

9. Section 15 of the present lien laws does not give protection to the mortgagee who pays off a valid existing lien concerning which there is no question as to its priority over a mechanics' lien, and the law seems to give no protection insofar as the payment of this lien is concerned. Furthermore, legitimate financing charges made by building and loan associations, banking institutions and mortgage companies are not given protection, and the commission recommends that these financing charges, to the extent of five per centum, should be given the protection of this section.

10. Other sections of the act have been considered, but it will require much more study and consideration before a recommendation can be made in connection with the same.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID M. LITWIN,  
JOSEPH WOLBER.

Mr. Litwin moved the communication and report be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin then requested unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce four bills and one joint resolution covering the recommendations of the Mechanics Lien Commission.

There being no objection, consent was granted, and the following bills were introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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,"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for

their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Litwin:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mechanics Lien Commission,' in order to further revise the present mechanics' lien laws, and for the purpose of further inquiring and ascertaining what legislative enactments are necessary concerning the laws relating to mechanics' liens,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported**

Assembly Bill No. 35, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A joint resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, one of whom shall be a representative of the Outdoor Advertising Association and one of the garden clubs of this State, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing advertising should be enacted,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A joint resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, one of whom shall be a representative of the Outdoor Advertising Association and one of the garden clubs of this State, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing advertising should be enacted,"

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

Mr. Siracusa asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 240, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 240 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 240, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the court of common pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hollinshed, McDermott, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach, Young—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, New-

comb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Purdy, Baxter, Mercolino—3.

Mr. Weber asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 501.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Weber:

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled "An act to incorporate the fifth judicial district of the county of Bergen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The following communication and resolution was sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

STATE OF IOWA,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
DES MOINES, March 26th, 1929.

*Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, Trenton, New Jersey:*

MY DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith duly certified copy of House Concurrent Resolution No. 7, which was adopted by the Forty-third General Assembly of the State of Iowa.

Most respectfully yours,

A. C. GUSTAFSON.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 7

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE CONGRESS TO INCREASE FEDERAL AID FOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION

WHEREAS, The development of our state has made it increasingly apparent that the people of the state must have good roads; and

WHEREAS, The people of the state of Iowa at the last general election expressed themselves overwhelmingly in favor of an enlarged road construction program; and

WHEREAS, The road building program as outlined and contemplated in this state involves the improvement of many roads

of an interstate nature, thus making the co-operation and assistance of the federal government a matter of vital importance; and

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has for many years been appropriating federal aid for road construction at the rate of seventy-five million dollars (\$75,000,000) per year; and

WHEREAS, In view of the rapidly increasing traffic on the interstate highways within this state, it is apparent that the building of roads in this state must be speeded up in order to adequately meet the needs of such interstate traffic; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of Iowa (the Senate concurring),* That we hereby recommend to the President of the United States and to the Congress, that at the coming special session of Congress the annual federal aid road appropriation be increased from seventy-five million dollars (\$75,000,000) per year to not less than one hundred million dollars (\$100,000,000) per year.

*Be it further resolved,* That on the passage of this resolution the Chief Clerk of the House shall certify a copy hereof to the President of the United States, to the President of the Senate, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States, to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the Senate and to the Chairman of the Committee on Roads of the House of Representatives, and to each State Legislature now in session.

J. H. JOHNSON,

*Speaker of the House.*

ARCH. W. McFARLANE,

*President of the Senate.*

I hereby certify that this resolution was adopted March 25th, 1929.

A. C. GUSTAFSON,

*Chief Clerk of the House.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication and resolution be received and spread in full upon the minutes and that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—53.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Greenberg, Purdy, McDermott, Weber—5.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 1st, 1929. }

*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. 17, 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 administrator or administrators with the will annexed or by any administrator or administrators de bonis non with the will annexed, or any substituted administrator or administrators, or by the survivor or survivors, or successor or successors of them, him or her, and making the record of said deeds admissible in evidence,"

Assembly Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to carry into effect, in the State of New Jersey, the provisions of an act of Congress to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the act entitled 'An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts,' approved July second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and all acts supplementary thereto, and the United States De-

partment of Agriculture, and to give the assent of the Legislature thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 55, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal treasurers of municipalities incorporated under 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. 59, 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. 68, entitled "An act concerning municipalities having boards of aldermen,"

Assembly Bill No. 109, entitled "An act for extending the time for completing certain railroads,"

Assembly Bill No. 185, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 186, entitled "An act to validate sales of land by the several municipalities of this State in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 187, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders in any of the first-class counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain thereon buildings to be used as maternity hospitals,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 207, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof,' approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 229, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employe in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 281, entitled "An act authorizing the sale of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, located in the town of Kearny, in the county of Hudson,"

Assembly Bill No. 310, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and defining the duties thereof,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 311, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,'"

Assembly Bill No. 314, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 333, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the marking and stamping of crates, baskets and carriers in which fruits and vegetables to be sold or offered or exposed for sale are packed, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessment to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for educational purposes, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929.

*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. 37, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "An act authorizing the sale and conveyance to the city of Hackensack in the county of Bergen of lands situate therein owned by the State of New Jersey and no longer needed for military purposes,"

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' comprising chapter one fifty-two of the Laws of nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,' approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four, and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities bordering upon the Atlantic Ocean to create and regulate a separate fund for the operation of radio stations and/or municipal convention halls in said municipalities,"

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled "An act providing for the construction of a permanent war memorial in the city of Verdun, France,"

And

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,'" approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and

designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

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. 128, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

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. 191, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

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

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

Senate Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State gov-

ernment and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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. 220, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "An act authorizing the sale and conveyance to the city of Hackensack in the county of Bergen of lands situate therein owned by the State of New Jersey and no longer needed for military purposes,"

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. 225, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' comprising chapter one fifty-two of the Laws of nineteen seventeen,"

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. 237, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,' approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four, and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

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. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled "An act providing for the construction of a permanent war memorial in the city of Verdun, France,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities bordering upon the Atlantic Ocean to create and regulate a separate fund for the operation of radio stations and/or municipal convention halls in said municipalities,"

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

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 41 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 41 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Senate Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired,'"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Comp-ton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-

senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to validate and confirm conveyances of land made in the corporate names of corporations which had expired by their own limitation or been annulled by the Legislature or otherwise dissolved prior to the execution and delivery of such conveyances, and the record thereof,"

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act authorizing any county and one or more municipalities and one or more school districts or any of them to enter into a joint contract providing for public health service,"

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "An act concerning corporations heretofore organized and now existing under any law of this State since repealed authorizing the incorporation of societies or clubs for social, intellectual and recreative purposes and maintaining, for the use and accommodation of its members, a club house and associated facilities for the playing of golf or other outdoor sports,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act creating a commission for the erection of an additional interstate bridge over the Delaware River between the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and a point in the State of New Jersey,

making an appropriation therefor, and to repeal acts inconsistent therewith,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to prescribe the duties of public officers of this State with respect to granting leaves of absence to certain veterans to attend State and national conventions of State and national organizations of former soldiers, sailors and marines,"

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and Development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission, and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to establish a commission to study and report upon plans for providing a comprehensive scheme of rapid passenger transit between the several communities in the counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem, as well as between such communities and the City of Philadelphia, and making an appropriation for the expenses of said commission,"

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the South Jersey Port District and to provide for the appointment of the South Jersey Port Commission, and to define its powers, duties and jurisdiction and making an appropriation for its expenses,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies and horse railroad companies to make annual returns to

the State Board of Assessors,' approved May third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," which amendment was itself approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' and which further amendment was approved February third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants; providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting cities of the first class and providing for the registration of voters for municipal elections,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to validate and confirm conveyances of land made in the corporate names of corporations which had expired by their own limitation or been annulled by the Legislature or otherwise dissolved prior to the execution and delivery of such conveyances, and the record 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. 11, entitled "An act authorizing any county and one or more municipalities and one or more school districts

or any of them to enter into a joint contract providing for public health service,"

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. 89, entitled "An act concerning corporations heretofore organized and now existing under any law of this State since repealed authorizing the incorporation of societies or clubs for social, intellectual and recreative purposes and maintaining, for the use and accommodation of its members, a club house and associated facilities for the playing of golf or other outdoor sports,"

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act creating a commission for the erection of an additional interstate bridge over the Delaware River between the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and a point in the State of New Jersey, making an appropriation therefor, and to repeal acts inconsistent therewith,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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. 145, entitled "An act to prescribe the duties of public officers of this State with respect to granting leaves of absence to certain veterans to attend State and national conventions of State and national organizations of former soldiers, sailors and marines,"

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. 192, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

Senate Bill No. 208, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and Development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commis-

sion, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission, and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to establish a commission to study and report upon plans for providing a comprehensive scheme of rapid passenger transit between the several communities in the counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem, as well as between such communities and the city of Philadelphia and making an appropriation for the expenses of said commission,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the South Jersey Port District and to provide for the appointment of the South Jersey Port Commission, and to define its powers, duties and jurisdiction and making an appropriation for its expenses,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies and horse railroad companies to make annual returns to the State Board of Assessors,' approved May third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,"

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. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," which amendment was itself approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' and which further amendment was approved February third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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. 248, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants; providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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. 252, entitled "An act respecting cities of the first class and providing for the registration of voters for municipal elections,"

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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 25th, 1929. }

*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. 25, entitled "An act relating to the filing of plans and specifications in the building departments of the State of New Jersey, and the various municipalities thereof and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting con-

veyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,' which act was approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act validating the sale of certain lands, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

And

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled "An act relating to the filing of plans and specifications in the building departments of the State of New Jersey, and the various municipalities thereof and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,' which act was approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-two,"

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. 107, entitled "An act validating the sale of certain lands, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

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. 123, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was 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, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal and intracounty projects in counties of the first class, and to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "Joint resolution providing for a commission to investigate and report with respect to the marking of historical places in the State of New Jersey,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation in this State,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal and intracounty projects in counties of the first class, and to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions,"

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "Joint resolution providing for a commission to investigate and report with respect to the marking of historical places 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 Judiciary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation in this State,"

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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
March 25th, 1929. }

*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. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the appointment of court criers to Supreme and Circuit Courts, and providing for the compensation thereof,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act concerning financial responsibility for damages caused by the operation of motor vehicles,"

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to provide for the creation of the New Jersey State Board of Regents and to define its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College,"

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act giving additional title to the State Agricultural College,' approved March fifteen, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate the use by educational institutions of titles indicating a relationship with the State,"

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the

appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act validating and confirming conveyances heretofore made to any lodge, subordinate lodge, society, or other body or association not incorporated at the time of said conveyances,"

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of fishing interests of the State of New Jersey," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,' which said supplement was approved September twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the employment of persons in compressed air,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved, by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county,

municipal or State funds,' which title was amended as here stated by act approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities of the second class which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than twenty thousand,' approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "Joint resolution continuing the commission created by Joint Resolution No. 5 of the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint Resolution creating a commission to survey the activities and work of the public schools and educational institutions within our States supported in whole or in part by public funds, to recommend a comprehensive program of public education and sources of revenue for its support, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the appointment of court criers to Supreme and Circuit Courts, and providing for the compensation thereof,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act concerning financial responsibility for damages caused by the operation of motor vehicles,"

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. 92, entitled "An act to provide for the creation of the New Jersey State Board of Regents and to define its powers and duties,"

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. 93, entitled "An act concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College,"

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. 94, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act giving additional title to the State Agricultural College,' approved March fifteen, nineteen seventeen,"

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. 95, entitled "An act to regulate the use by educational institutions of titles indicating a relationship with the State,"

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. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Interstate Relations.

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act validating and confirming conveyances heretofore made to any lodge, subordinate lodge, society or other body or association not incorporated at the time of said conveyances,"

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. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the appoint-

ment of commissioners for the better protection of fishing interests of the State of New Jersey," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,' which said supplement was approved September twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Senate Bill No. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the employment of persons in compressed air,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved, by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' which title was amended as here stated by act approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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 "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities of the second class which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than twenty thousand,' approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "Joint resolution continuing the commission created by Joint Resolution No. 5 of the Session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint Resolution creating a commission to survey the activities and work of the public schools and educational institutions within our States supported in whole or in part by public funds, to recommend a comprehensive program of public education and sources of revenue for its support, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor on April 1st, 1929,

Assembly Bills Nos. 17, 185, 186 and 187,

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 126, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 126 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Litwin moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 126 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 126 reconsidered.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No. 126 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Barbour asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 84, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Barbour moved that Assembly Bill No. 84 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 457, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved that Assembly Bill No. 457 be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wettstein asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 424, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Wettstein moved that Assembly Bill No. 424 be recommitted to the Committee on Unfinished Business for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Spair asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 141, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Spair moved that Assembly Bill No. 141 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

WHEREAS, The joint committee created and appointed by virtue of Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16th, 1929, subpoenaed one Frank Hague to appear before it and testify concerning matters under inquiry, on March 25th, 1929; and

WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague appeared in response to the said subpoena, and after being duly sworn, refused to answer certain questions propounded to him, on the ground that they related to his private affairs and therefore illegally invaded his constitutional rights; and

WHEREAS, The said joint committee deems the said questions so propounded to be proper and pertinent to the inquiry; and

WHEREAS, The constitutional right of the joint committee to propound questions of the kind which the said Frank Hague declined to answer and the constitutional right of the Legislature to compel the said Frank Hague to answer such questions by proceedings in contempt and to punish the said Frank Hague for

contempt in refusing to answer the said questions are now before the Court of Errors and Appeals in a cause entitled "In the matter of the application of Frank Hague for a writ of habeas corpus, on appeal from the Court of Chancery; and

WHEREAS, The right of the Legislature to propound questions of the kind which the said Frank Hague has refused to answer and the nature and extent of the contempt powers of the Legislature were argued before the Court of Errors and Appeals in the said cause orally, and in the briefs submitted; and

WHEREAS, The decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals in the said cause will enlighten the Legislature as to its constitutional right to propound the questions which the said Frank Hague has refused to answer, to compel him to answer by contempt proceedings, and to punish him for contempt; and

WHEREAS, It is inadvisable that the Legislature adjourn sine die until the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals has been rendered; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of New Jersey* (the General Assembly concurring therein), That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey request the Court of Errors and Appeals to expedite the decision of the said cause now pending both "In the matter of the application of Frank Hague for a writ of habeas corpus," insofar as is consistent with its rules and procedure, to the end that the Legislature of the State of New Jersey and the two Houses thereof may be enlightened as to their constitutional rights in the premises.

*Be it further resolved,* That a copy of this concurrent resolution, certified to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the General Assembly, be forwarded to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court forthwith by the Secretary of the Senate.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Compton moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mc-

Murray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—11.

The Speaker declared the Senate concurrent resolution concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 240, entitled "An act relating to allowances of costs and counsel fees to an attorney, solicitor, counsel or proctor, where he is an interested party,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz,

Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

In the negative was—

Mr. Gabrielson—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. 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929.

*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. 287, entitled "An act respecting banks and trust companies,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 287, entitled "An act respecting banks and trust companies,"

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

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 1st, 1929. }

*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. 40, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto," which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

With the following Senate amendments:

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

On page 2, line 24, after the word "established," insert the following:

"This act shall not effect district courts in cities of the second class having a population of over 135,000 inhabitants and that nothing in this act shall be construed to empower any person or body to decrease the salary of any sergeant-at-arms."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Kautz moved, under suspension of the rules, that Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40 be taken up on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments for Assembly Bill No. 40 were read a second time by the Clerk and were ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Kautz moved, under the suspension of the rules, that the House concur in the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40 were taken up, read a third time and the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 40 concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 355, 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 by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Knight, Vanderbach—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. 53, entitled "An act to incorporate the First Judicial District of the county of Warren in the State of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 318, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs, in counties of this State, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than nineteen thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing limited appropriations for the relief and education of certain indigent children in the cities of this State,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Young—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. Smock asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 502.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows :

By Mr. Smock :

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Siracusa asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bills Nos. 503 and 504.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bills were introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows :

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by municipalities,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

By Mr. Siracusa :

Assembly Bill No. 504, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Mr. Altman asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 505.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows :

By Mr. Altman :

Assembly Bill No. 505, 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,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 481, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers and disposal works; and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," constituting chapter thirty-six of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 59, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, and for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 370, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—36.

In the negative was—

Mr. Leap—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. 38, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Young—35.

In the negative was—

Mr. Leap—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. Gopsill requested the record on Senate Bill No. 287.

The Clerk stated that Senate Bill No. 287 awaits delivery to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Mr. Gopsill moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 287 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 139, 140 and 160,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported Senate Bill No. 110, by the following Assembly committee substitute:

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 308, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act providing for and fixing annual compensation of deputy county clerks, deputy registers of deeds and mortgages, undersheriffs and deputy surrogates, chief clerks and executive clerks in the office of county clerks, sheriffs, surrogates and registers of deeds and mortgages in the several counties of this State,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 473, 272 and 493, Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18, Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 494, Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 459,  
Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 421, with the following committee amendment:

Amend section 1, page 2, line 18, by striking out the word "now".

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 421.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 369,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 339,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 413,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 388,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 381,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 168, with the following committee amendment:

In section 1, line 11 (official copy reprint), strike out the period at the end of the line and insert the words "such salary not to exceed three thousand dollars per annum."

Which was read by the Clerk.

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the Committee Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 168.

Which motion was adopted.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendment:

Senate Bill No. 240.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act for the relief of Gertrude Clayton,"

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act for the relief of Laura V. McGee,"

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act for the relief of Jennie McDermott,"

Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of the municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act concerning receivers or collectors of taxes, and other persons charged with the collection of taxes in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 493, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by boroughs,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act providing for and fixing annual compensation of deputy county clerks, deputy registers of deeds and mortgages, undersheriffs and deputy surrogates, chief clerks and executive clerks in the office of county clerks, sheriffs, surrogates and registers of deeds and mortgages in the several counties of this State,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October 11th, 1929; establishing a commission to be known as the New Jersey Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission; and designating October 11, 1929 as General Pulaski's Memorial Day,"

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled "An act for the relief of Maude Weeks,"

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled "An act to fix and define a portion of the southerly boundary line and a portion of the westerly boundary line of the borough of Avon-by-the-Sea, in the county of Monmouth,"

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "An act to grant, remise, release, convey and confirm unto the record owner of lands and premises, the title to which has escheated to the State of New Jersey, the right, title and interest of the State of New Jersey in such lands so escheated,"

Assembly Bill No. 339, entitled "An act for the relief of John H. Enright,"

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, constituting

chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 388, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,' which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

#### As amended,

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act creating a commission for the erection of an additional interstate bridge over the Delaware River between the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and a point in the State of New Jersey, making an appropriation therefor, and to repeal acts inconsistent therewith,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 2d, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, April 2d, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Thomas Houston, pastor of the Presbyterian Evangelist Church, Fanwood, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Gopsill, Kautz, McDermott, Muir, Purdy—9.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Kautz, McDermott, Muir, Purdy—9.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 2d, 1929.

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

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, town, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving to State banks power to act in a fiduciary capacity,' approved April twelve, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-four, eighteen ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was then taken up and

Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving to State banks power to act in a fiduciary capacity,' approved April twelve, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "Supplement to 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. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-four, eighteen ninety-nine,"

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

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 293, 102, 409, 231, 382, 205, 255, 52, 317, 391, 266, 361, 315, 387, 396, 398, C. S. 57, C. S. 33, C. S. 155,

Assembly Joint Resolutions Nos. 10, 13, 18,

As correctly printed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled "A Joint Resolution making a further appropriation to effectuate the provisions of

Joint Resolution No. 3 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 be taken up on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled "A joint resolution making a further appropriation to effectuate the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 3 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled "A joint resolution making a further appropriation to effectuate the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 3 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young

—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Pursel asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 390, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Pursel moved that Assembly Bill No. 390 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be extended to Mrs. Regina Larson, mother of our present Governor, Morgan F. Larson, and that Mr. Compton, of Union County, be requested to extend to Mrs. Larson the best wishes of the House of Assembly.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the commission heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 4 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate, to be named by the President thereof, two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker of the House, and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive plan of traffic rules and regulations, and to devise a uniform scheme of administration for the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and the State traffic act,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the drainage of wet lands in northern New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—37.

In the negative was—

Mr. Young—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. 102, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agency of the State Government in this act enumerated,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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. 409, entitled "An act to provide for the completion of the vital records of New Jersey by the filing of copies of such records dated prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, with the State Registrar of Vital Statistics, and for filing and indexing the same alphabetically and in such manner as to render them readily available for reference,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 313, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Smock—3.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair,

Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

Mr. Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 313 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act concerning the control of water in brooks and streams in counties by counties, cities, townships and villages,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative was—

Mr. Hollinshed—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of a special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November, both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violations thereof,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight,

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Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 208, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March

twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Powers, Smock, Spair, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—21.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Parentini, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—23.

Mr Leap moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 208 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

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

*Resolved*, That Master Guy Gabrielson, Jr., and Miss Nancy Gabrielson, son and daughter respectively of the Speaker of the House, the Hon. Guy G. Gabrielson, be and they are hereby adopted as the children of the 1929 session of the House of Assembly

Assembly Bill No 382, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to police magistrates in cities of the second class,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse,

Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight moved that the House recess for one-half hour.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Ritten-

house, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Gopsill, Greenberg, Kautz, McDermott, Muir, Parentini, Purdy—9.

Mr. Stein asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 506.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Morrison asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission to provide for State participation in the "Light's Golden Jubilee" to be held at Dearborn, Michigan, on or about October twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and to appropriately mark the site at Menlo Park, in this State, commemorating the distinguished services of Thomas A. Edison,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929. }

*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. 210, entitled "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,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 376,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 164,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 479 and 492,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 126, with the following committee amendments:

In line four, after the word "who" add a comma and then add "after at least five years as such employee,"

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 126.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 290,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bill No. 418,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 469,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reported

Assembly Bill No. 480,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 472,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 390, with the following committee amendment:

Page 2, paragraph 3, line 1, strike out the words "five thousand dollars (\$5,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500)".

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Newcomb, Chairman of the Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions, reported Senate Bill No. 32, by the following Assembly Committee substitute.

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating 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 by the Clerk.

Mr. Newcomb, moved the adoption of the Assembly committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 32.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Sterner, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation reported

Assembly Bill No. 457 with the following Committee amendments:

Strike out the title and insert a new title as follows :

An act to enable municipalities of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under tidal waters within any such municipality and to make assessments upon lands specially benefited by such reclaiming, filling and improving.

In section 1, strike out the whole of lines, one, two, three and four and insert in lieu thereof the following :

Whenever there are lands lying under tidal waters within any municipality of this State and the board of commissioners or other governing body of such municipality shall, by resolution, determine that it is for the advantage of such municipality to reclaim, fill, and improve such lands lying under water in

In section 1, line 5, after the word "such" strike out the word "city" and insert in lieu thereof the word municipality.

In section 1, line 10, after the word "such" strike out the word "city" and insert in lieu thereof the word municipality

In section 2, line 1, after the word "under" insert the word tidal.

In section 2, line 6, strike out the word "this" and insert in lieu thereof the word its

In section 2, line 7, after the word "fill" where same first appears insert the word or

In section 2, line 8, insert the word "said" before the first word of said line 8, being the word "lands"

In section 2, line 19, add the letter s to the word "provement"

In section 4, line 2, strike out the word "reclaimed and filled lands" and insert in lieu thereof the words "reclaiming, filling or bulkheading and filling.

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Sterner moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No 457.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Senate Joint Resolution No. 11

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Senate Bill No. 145

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bills No. 89-87.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Powers, Chairman of the Committee on Interstate Relations, reported Senate Bill No. 96

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bill No. 111

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 144

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 158

Favorably without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 128

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 428, 423 and 455

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College, reported

Assembly Bill No. 235

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 8, 9 and 10,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 122,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act vesting the title to real estate of which Mary M. McDermott died seized and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in James Walsh,"

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 479, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 492, entitled "An act to validate, confirm, authorize and direct the payment of certain obligations, and/or contracts of municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of surgery, to license surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 469, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acquisition and maintaining by the State of New Jersey in conjunction with the State of Pennsylvania of toll bridges across the Delaware River and providing for free travel across the same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act authorizing the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Phillipsburg, New Jersey and Easton, Pennsylvania, providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation,"

As amended,

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating 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. 457, entitled "An act to enable municipalities of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under tidal waters within any such municipality and to make assessments upon lands specially benefitted by such reclaiming, filling and improving,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commission and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

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Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, planting, care and control of trees and shrubbery upon the public highways in the counties of the State,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to prescribe the duties of public officers of this State with respect to granting leaves of absence to certain veterans to attend State and national conventions of State and national organizations of former soldiers, sailors and marines,"

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "An act concerning corporations heretofore organized and now existing under any law of this State since repealed authorizing the incorporation of societies or clubs for social, intellectual and recreative purposes and maintaining, for the use and accommodation of its members, a club house and associated facilities for the playing of golf or other outdoor sports,"

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to validate and confirm conveyances of land made in the corporate

names of corporations which had expired by their own limitation or been annulled by the Legislature or otherwise dissolved prior to the execution and delivery of such conveyances, and the record thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act validating and confirming conveyances heretofore made to any lodge, subordinate lodge, society, or other body or association not incorporated at the time of said conveyances,"

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved, by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal and intracounty projects in counties of the first class, and to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "Joint resolution continuing the commission created by Joint Resolution No. 5 of the Session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint Resolution creating a commission to survey the activities

and work of the public schools and educational institutions within our States supported in whole or in part by public funds, to recommend a comprehensive program of public education and sources of revenue for its support, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "Joint resolution providing for a commission to investigate and report with respect to the marking of historical places in the State of New Jersey,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324 be recommitted to the committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. McMurray asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 64 which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. McMurray moved that Senate Bill No. 64 be recommitted to the committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the borough of Hopewell,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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.

Mr. Spair asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 111, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Spair moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 111 be taken up on third reading and final passage,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 111, entitled "An act validating and confirming conveyances heretofore made to any lodge, subordinate lodge, society, or other body or association not incorporated at the time of said conveyances,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—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, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 52, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof',"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy,

Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gabrielson (Speaker), Hanson—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—45.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Gopsill, Greenberg, Kautz, McDermott, Muir, Parentini, Purdy, Stein, Stewart—13.

The Speaker requested Assemblyman Leap, of Salem County, to take the chair.

Mr. Leap assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing cities, villages, towns, and counties to establish, construct, improve equip, maintain, and operate airports or landing fields,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin,

Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 391, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Lopatcong in the county of Warren, to the town of Phillipsburg, in the county of Warren,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini,

Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 35, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Young—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 Powers asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 96, which was furnished by the clerk

Mr Powers moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No 96 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Powers, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 114, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act creating a commission for the erection of an additional interstate bridge over the Delaware River between the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and a point in the State of New Jersey, making an appropriation therefor, and to repeal acts inconsistent therewith,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 31, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 reassumed the Chair and requested Mr. Kuser, of Somerset, to take the Chair.

Mr. Kuser assumed the Chair.

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties in 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 act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative was—

Mr. Edgar—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. 315, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale or mortgaging of lands and premises in which a person mentally incapacitated may have an inchoate right of dower, and provide for the determination, release or purchase of such inchoate right of dower,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for overflow of the tide, or the filling in,

of the lands contained within the bounds of any meadow company, heretofore organized by virtue of the provisions of any special or general act of the Legislature of this State; to provide funds, to defray the expenses thereof and to protect adjoining meadows, or other lands from damages, and to assess a portion of the cost thereon on such adjoining lands,' which act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 268,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled "An act providing for the construction of a permanent war memorial in the city of Verdun, France,"

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

Assembly Bill No. 396, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgage against waste or misapplication, of the income from the mortgaged lands,"

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

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In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 398, entitled "An act relative to mortgages, the foreclosure thereof and regulating proceedings on foreclosure,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Barison asked unanimous consent to offer the following amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18 on third reading.

There being no objection, consent was granted.

Page 3, section 7, after the word "commission" strike out period and insert a comma and add the following words: "and it

shall become available when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill,"

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Barison moved the adoption of the Amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18, entitled "A joint resolution for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October 11, 1929; establishing a commission to be known as the New Jersey Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission; and designating October 11, 1929 as General Pulaski's Memorial Day,"

As amended.

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barison, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—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.

Assembly Bill No. 384, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance' (Revision of 1902), approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two," which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Newcomb asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 268 which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Newcomb moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 268 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 268, entitled "An act providing for the construction of a permanent war memorial in the city of Verdun, France,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929. }

*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. 408, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessments and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929. }

*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. 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The message from the Senate was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929. }

*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. 11, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 98, entitled "An act validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 144, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 246, entitled "An act annexing to Jackson Township, in the county of Ocean, a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

**And**

Assembly Bill No. 247, entitled "An act annexing to Lakewood township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provision of an act entitled 'An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean,

and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 2d, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution, No. 16, entitled "A Joint Resolution to protect the State of New Jersey, and the inhabitants thereof, and property therein from damage by the use, diversion, or other interference with the water of interstate streams bordering on this State, or which enter or are tributary to streams flowing within this State,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17, entitled "A Joint Resolution concerning the pollution of interstate streams, and to abate the nuisance created thereby.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The message from the Senate was taken up, and

Senate Joint Resolution, No. 16, entitled "A Joint Resolution to protect the State of New Jersey, and the inhabitants thereof, and property therein from damage by the use, diversion, or other interference with the water of interstate streams bordering on this State, or which enter or are tributary to streams flowing within this State,"

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17, entitled "A Joint Resolution concerning the pollution of interstate streams, and to abate the nuisance created thereby.

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

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reports having delivered to the Governor on April 2, 1929

Assembly Bills Nos. A. J. R. No. 7, Assembly 32, 55, 210, 59, 68, 207, 229, 281, 310, 311, 314, 333, 11, 98, 138, 144, 246, 247, 408.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, without amendment:

Senate Bills Nos. 41, 59, S. J. R. No 15, 35, 96, 111, Com. Sub. for Senate No. 114.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and asks its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 38, 53, 102, 110, 205, 231, 240, 267, 306, 318, 355, 370, 378, 382, 409, 481, Com. Sub. for Assembly Bill No. 33, Committee Substitute for Assembly No. 57, A. J. R. No. 10, A. J. R. No. 13, A. J. R. No. 11, 361, 52, 255, 266, 317, 391, Committee Substitute for A. 155.

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers,

Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 67, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to incorporate the "Borough of Shiloh' in the county of Cumberland,"

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

In the affirmative—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative was—

Mr. Hollinshed—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. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Wednesday, April 3, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 291 by the following Committee Substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly No. 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' which amendment was itself approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight, moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 383,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 491,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141, with the following Committee Amendments:

Amend Section one, Page 2, Line 28, by striking out the word "officers," at end of line.

Amend Section one, Page, 2, line 28½, by striking out all of the line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "State Budget Officers."

Amend Section one, Page 2, line 29, by striking out the word "Commission."

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 141.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 324, by the following Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324:

Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bill No. 64, with the following committee amendments:

Amend page 6, line 2, by striking out words "and this act shall take effect immediately," which words follow the word "repealed."

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 64.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 180, by the following Committee Substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto cars, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 180.

Which motion was adopted.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

*To the Legislature:*

April 2d, 1929. }

In my Inaugural Message I stressed the importance of the taxation problem in this State, and announced that I would call together representatives of the various municipalities and other public-minded citizens, for the purpose of ascertaining their views and recommendations toward the solution of this problem.

I have devoted considerable study to this question, and have called into conference numerous public-spirited citizens of this State, who have freely given their time and endeavors in an effort to co-operate with me toward reaching the proper solution. Several measures have been introduced in the Legislature, representing the best thought of a number of our leading citizens and organizations, all of which possess splendid features and are offered in a sincere endeavor to bring relief to the taxpayers of this State.

Within the past few days Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 has been reported out of committee, and is now ready for disposition by the Senate. This measure meets with my unqualified approval. I believe it offers the most feasible method of attacking this vexatious problem, and is sufficiently broad and comprehensive to permit the Commission appointed thereunder to examine into and report on every phase of taxation in this State.

I recommend its adoption by the Legislature, and it is, further, my request that a reasonable appropriation be provided for in this measure so as to permit the Commission to make a full and complete study of this taxation question, in order that it may be in a position to make recommendations to the succeeding Legislature which will be of lasting benefit to the citizens of this State.

Respectfully submitted,

MORGAN F. LARSON,  
*Governor.*

Attest:

THOMAS L. HANSON,  
*Secretary to the Governor.*

Mr. Knight moved that the Governor's Message be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," which amendment was itself approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,

Assembly Bill No. 383, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled "An act providing for military participation in the celebration to be held in connection with the State Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violation of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

As amended,

And

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto cabs, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Mr. Cassini, of Essex, in place of Mr. Wilton T. Applegate, a former member of this body, from Middlesex County, during session of 1928, to serve on the Commission for Personal Property Tax.

Mr. Knight moved that House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

WEDNESDAY, April 3d, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Willard Espep Thompson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Trenton, N. J.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—43.

• Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Young—15.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 88, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thou-

sand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 195, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 223, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to enable any corporation heretofor or hereafter constituted or organized for the purpose of the enforcement of laws enacted for the protection of dumb animals, or constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of dumb animals, whether incorporated by any special act of the Legislature of this State or under the laws of this State, to amend its charter and providing the procedure therefor,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 277, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 491, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 491 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—43.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Young—15.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalaman, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—40.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Young—18.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 21, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control

of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

And

Senate Joint Resolution No 18, entitled "A Joint resolution concerning the dumping and disposal of garbage and refuse at sea, and to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

Senate Joint Resolution No 18, entitled "A joint resolution concerning the dumping and disposal of garbage and refuse at sea, and to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was itself approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance of promissory notes of cities of this State for school purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds,"

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning free public libraries,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to provide for the elimination of railroad crossings at grade on State highways, and for the improvement, relocation and reconstruction of crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and for the location and construction of new crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and providing for changes in municipal and public utility rails, lines and pipes in or on such crossings, and for the maintenance of all such crossings,"

And

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act concerning the guardianship of incompetent veterans and of minor children of disabled or deceased veterans and the commitment of veterans, and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the

maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was itself approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

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

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance of promissory notes of cities of this State for school purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds,"

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. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning free public libraries,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

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

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to provide for the elimination of railroad crossings at grade on State highways, and for the improvement, relocation and reconstruction of crossings of railroads and State highways, not at grade, and for the location and construction of new crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and providing for changes in municipal and public utility rails, lines and pipes in or on such crossings, and for the maintenance of all such crossings,"

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. 126, entitled "An act concerning the guardianship of incompetent veterans and of minor children of disabled or deceased veterans and the commitment of veterans, and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

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

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 65, 259, 493, 413, 261, 302, 168, 352, 350, 360, 367, 368, 476, 418, C. S. 271, C. S. 343, C. S. 354,

As correctly printed.

Assembly Bill No. 65, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of

1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Joint Resolution No. 3, entitled "Joint Resolution continuing and reconstituting the commission to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries and Arthur Kill in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union for the promotion in said area of commerce, manufacturing and transportation,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth,

eighteen hundred ninety-eight,' which supplement was approved April eighth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—33.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 493, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by boroughs,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 413, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 261, entitled "An act to amend and to supplement an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning wills," approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six,' which supplement was approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State; and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 302, entitled "An act relative to bridges now or heretofore or hereafter erected over canals in this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,' which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Kuser asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 372, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

With Senate amendments, as follows:

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Amend page 1, section 1, line 11, by striking out the word "who" after the word "members."

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 372 be advanced to second reading, under suspension of the rules.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 372, to amend page 1, section 1, line 11, by striking out the word "who" after the word "members."

Was read a second time and ordered to a third reading and

On motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 372 were taken up, read a third time, and the Speaker put the question, "Will the House concur in Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 372?"

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—38.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 372 concurred in.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for 30 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliam, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—38.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Litwin, McDermott, Morrison, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Young—20.

Mr. Kuser asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 21.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Kuser:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 21, entitled "Assembly Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and four citizens to be selected by the Governor, two of whom shall be representatives of the Outdoor Advertising Association of New Jersey, one of the Federation of Women's Clubs and one of the Gardens' Clubs in this State, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing outdoor advertising should be enacted,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Siracusa moved that Rule 67 of the House Rules be suspended and that the Committee on Ways and Means be relieved from further custody of Senate Bill No. 37, due to the absence of a majority of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means.

Upon a *viva voce* vote being taken, the Speaker declared the motion carried.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 92, 93, 94, 95,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported Senate Bill No. 252,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bill No. 501,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bills Nos. 81, 117, 159, C. S. for 194, 202, 222, S. J. R. 16, S. J. R. 17,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, delivered to the desk of the Clerk

Senate Bill, No. 37.

Mr. Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Assembly Bill No. 486, by the following committee substitute.

Which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to permit recognized organizations, composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines of the military, naval or air service of the United States, to use State armories for the holding of military and other affairs,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Mr. Edgar moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 486.

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Assembly Bill No. 242, with the following committee amendments:

Which were read by the Clerk.

Section 1, line 1, after the words "secretary or" insert the word "district".

After the words "board of education" insert the words "in any township".

Section 1, line 3, after the words "and has" omit the words "or shall have" and insert in lieu thereof the word "now".

Section 1, line 4, after the words "secretary or" insert the word "district".

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 242.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Senate Bill No. 225,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled "An act to incorporate the fifth judicial district of the county of Bergen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to permit recognized organizations, composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines of the military, naval or air service of the United States, to use State armories for the holding of military and other affairs,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to provide for the creation of the New Jersey State Board of Regents and to define its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College,"

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act giving additional title to the State Agricultural College,' approved March fifteen, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate the use by educational institutions of titles indicating a relationship with the State,"

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting cities of the first class and providing for the registration of voters for municipal elections,"

Senate Bill No. 81, entitled "An act concerning financial responsibility for damages caused by the operation of motor vehicles,"

Senate Bill No 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' which title was amended as here stated by act approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 222, entitled "An act authorizing the sale and conveyance to the city of Hackensack in the county of Bergen of lands situate therein owned by the State of New Jersey and no longer needed for military purposes,"

Senate Joint Resolution No 16, entitled "A joint resolution to protect the State of New Jersey, and the inhabitants thereof, and property therein from damage by the use, diversion or other interference with the water of interstate streams, bordering on this State, or which enter or are tributary to streams flowing within this State,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17, entitled "A joint resolution concerning the pollution of interstate streams, and to abate the nuisance created thereby,"

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' comprising chapter one fifty-two of the Laws of nineteen seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise asked for the record on Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved that Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110 be recommitted to the Committee on Highways for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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. Kuser moved that Rule 67 of the House rules be suspended and that the Committee on Ways and Means be relieved from custody of Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, due to the absence

of a majority of the members of the Committee on Ways and Means.

Upon a *viva voce* vote being taken, the Speaker declared the motion carried.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, delivered to the desk of the clerk Senate Joint Resolution No. 12.

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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.

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the sale of lands by cemetery companies,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel,

Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 354, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality, governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—40.

In the negative was—

Mr Cassini—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. 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

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In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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. Barison offered the following concurrent resolution, which was read by the clerk :

WHEREAS, Very serious charges have recently appeared in the public press relative to unlawful and vicious conditions existing in the county of Atlantic (which charges have been supported by affidavits from nonpolitical sources); therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the committee operating under the authority of Chapter J. R. 1 of the Laws of 1929, be advised that it is the will of the Legislature that the committee proceed forthwith to investigate the conditions alleged to be prevalent in the county of Atlantic.

Mr. Knight moved that the resolution of Mr. Barison be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cemeteries,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini,

McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—39.

In the negative was—

Mr. Kalamen—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. 368, entitled "An act to permit municipalities maintaining no hospital or institution for the observation of persons charged with misdemeanor or disorderly conduct to contract with other municipalities for their maintenance during observation,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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.

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and nonresident children in this State,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Muir, Otto, Peters, Siracusa, Stelle, Summers—17.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Cassini, Haines, Hanson F. J., Knight, Leap, McWilliams, Newcomb, Pursel, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein—14.

The Speaker declared Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 lost.

Miss Haines moved that the vote by which Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 481, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers and disposal works; and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers,' approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," constituting chapter thirty-six of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 371, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of

insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mrs. Stelle asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 435, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mrs. Stelle moved that Assembly Bill No. 435 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 422,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 498, 497, 499, 500,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported the following Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110:

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Wise moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Sterner, Chairman of the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 260,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the Joint Commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mechanics' Lien Commission,' in order to further revise the present mechanics' lien laws, and for the purpose of further inquiring and ascertaining what legislative enactments are necessary concerning the laws relating to mechanics' liens,"

Assembly Bill No. 422, 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),"

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),'

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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. 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

And

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act

entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, entitled "A joint resolution concerning the dumping and disposal of garbage and refuse at sea, and to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

Senate Bill No. 260, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities bordering upon the Atlantic Ocean to create and regulate a separate fund for the operation of radio stations and/or municipal convention halls in said municipalities,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; and report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 26, entitled "An act concerning the care and custody of minor children,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa,

Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 476, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State real estate commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wise—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 418, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz,

Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asks its concurrence therein :

Assembly Bills Nos. 293, 315, 384, 387, 396, 398.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same without amendments :

Senate Bills Nos. 31, 67, 119, 268.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor on April 3d, 1929,

Assembly Bills Nos. 88, 94, 195, 223, 258, 277, 481, 371 and 372, with Senate amendments,

Having passed both Houses, were this date delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same :

I certify that these bills originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Saturday, April 6th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet Monday, April 8th, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted,

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

SATURDAY, April 6th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

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

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., April 8th, 1929.

MONDAY, April 8th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Frank Kingdon, Pastor of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, of East Orange, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—58.

Absent—

None.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills reported Assembly Bills 440, 421, 126, 492, 366, 344, 494 as correctly printed.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk.

Trenton, New Jersey, March 22d, 1929.

Mr. Fred'k A. Brodesser,  
House of Assembly,  
Clerk's Office,  
Trenton, N. J.

*My dear Mr Brodesser*—I am in receipt of copy of Resolution adopted by the House of Assembly, in behalf of my brother, the late Col. Anthony R. Kuser.

Thanking you very kindly, I am,

Yours very truly,

J. L. KUSER.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk.

200 Barton Avenue,  
Palm Beach, Fla.  
February 22d, 1929.

*Dear Sir:*

Mrs. Fuld asks me to express to you and to the Speaker and the members of the House of Assembly her grateful appreciation of their kind resolution of sympathy on the death of her late husband.

Very respectfully,  
MICHAEL SCHAAP.

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Young asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No. 507. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' "

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 321,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No 28,

Favorably, without amendment

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 77,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 115,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 61 and 157,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No 307,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No 126,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No 419,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 78,

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

Assembly Bill No. 458,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An act relating to the making and keeping of the records in the office of the clerk, register of deeds, and mortgages and surrogates of the counties of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "A supplement to an act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

And

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled "An act for the payment of a bonus to each soldier, or a dependent or dependents thereof, who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the war between the United States and the German Empire and its allies,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was itself approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of fishing interests of the State of New Jersey," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,' which said supplement was approved September twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Bill No. 61, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving to State banks power to act in a fiduciary capacity,' approved April twelve, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Senate Bill No. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-four, eighteen ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act concerning the guardianship of incompetent veterans and of minor children of disabled or deceased veterans and the commitment of veterans, and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

And

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Siracusa asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 161, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Siracusa moved that Assembly Bill No. 161 be recommitted to the committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of conducting a public hearing.

Which motion was adopted.

The following announcement was sent to the desk and read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means announces a public hearing on Assembly Bill No. 161 on Tuesday, April 9th, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Assembly Chamber.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
April 3d, 1929.	

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner

of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 92, entitled "A supplement to an act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 124, entitled "An act to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 127, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees,"

Assembly Bill No. 128, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees and their dependents,"

Assembly Bill No. 129, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of county clerk's employees in counties of the first class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 174, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 224, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women' (Revision of 1870),"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 34, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of sergeants-at-arms and court criers in counties of the first class in this State."

Assembly Bill No. 93, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing

a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 301, entitled "An act for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr Kuser asked unanimous consent to withdraw Assembly Bill No 411 from the files of the House There being no objection, consent was granted and the bill was withdrawn.

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 92, entitled "An act to provide for the creation of the New Jersey State Board of Regents and to define its powers and duties,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—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.

Senate Bill No. 93, entitled "An act concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College,"

Was taken up, and was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein—26

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Greenberg, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Stein, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—24.

Mr. Young, moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No 93 was lost be reconsidered

Mr Leap moved that the motion be laid on the table

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate the use by educational institutions of titles indicating a relationship with the State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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.

Mr. Gopsill asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Gopsill moved, under suspension of the rules, that the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308 be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendments.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill offered, under suspension of the rules, the following amendments to the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308 on second reading.

In paragraph one, line three, strike out the words "equal to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "not exceeding."

In paragraph one, line seven, strike out the words "salary equal to" and insert in lieu thereof the words "compensation not exceeding."

In paragraph one, line nine, after the word "employed" insert a comma in place of the semi-colon, and following words "such annual compensation of said officers and employees to be fixed and determined from time to time within the limit aforesaid by the County Clerk, Register of Deeds and Mortgages, Sheriff or Surrogate in whose office they are respectively employed, who shall certify to the same to the County Treasurer or other disbursing officer of the county;"

Mr. Gopsill moved, under suspension of the rules, the adoption of the amendments to the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill moved, under suspension of the rules, that the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, as amended be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, entitled "An act providing for and fixing annual compensation of deputy county clerks, deputy registers of deeds and mortgages, undersheriffs and deputy surrogates, chief clerks and executive clerks in the office of county clerks, sheriffs, surrogates and registers of deeds and mortgages in the several counties of this State,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Gopsill under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Litwin, Newcomb, Pierson, Stelle, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Bucino, (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Compton, McWilliams—2.

Mr. Knight moved that the house recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz,

Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Compton and McWilliams—2.

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

*Be it resolved*, That the House of Assembly has learned with a great deal of happiness, that the Hon. Thomas M. Gopsill, a member of this body, has just had the happy privilege of being the father of a twenty-pound, rattling, bouncing, baby boy and

*Be it further resolved*, That in view of this unusual occurrence, the House of Assembly desires to congratulate this wonderful gentleman from Monmouth County and that a copy of this Resolution be spread in full upon the minutes, in order that this occurrence will go down in history.

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

*Be it resolved*, That the House of Assembly at this time learns with a great deal of gratification of the recent marriage of the Hon. Leroy R. Baxter, a member of this body, and

*Be it further resolved*, That the House of Assembly feels it proper and fitting that a copy of this Resolution, duly attested to by the Speaker of the House and the Clerk respectively, be forwarded to Assemblyman Baxter, forthwith.

Mr. Sterner asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 28, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Sterner, moved that Assembly Bill No. 28 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment

**Which motion was adopted.**

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

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring)*, That the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly forthwith, Assembly Bill No. 138, for the purpose of further consideration.

Assembly Bill No 440, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson, (Speaker), Gopsil, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hanson, Wise—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 421, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 126, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State,' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, McDermott, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Bethke, Hollinshed, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Newcomb, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Spair Wettstein, Wise—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. 492, entitled "An act to validate, confirm, authorize and direct the payment of certain obligations, and/or contracts of municipalities of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Litwin, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Stelle—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.

Mr. Powers asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following Joint Resolution was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, as follows:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22, entitled "A joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to revise the Federal Income Tax Law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions."

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "An act providing for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceedings of the Spanish-American War Veterans of the Department of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sternér, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 344, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act concerning municipalities,' ap-

proved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled "An act for the relief of Maude Weeks,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Carty, Duszynski, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Muir, Siracusa, Wise, Young—11.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "Joint resolution continuing the commission created by Joint Resolution No. 5 of the session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled

'Joint Resolution creating a commission to survey the activities and work of the public schools and educational institutions within our States supported in whole or in part by public funds, to recommend a comprehensive program of public education and sources of revenue for its support, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 3d, 1929. }

*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. 64, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 70, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision, 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

With the following Senate Amendments:

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Amend section two of Assembly Bill Number Sixty-four, line three, by changing the word "one" to "two" between the end of the bracket and the word "year" in line four.

Line six, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line nine, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line eleven, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Was read for the first time by the Clerk and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 64 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Amend section two of Assembly Bill Number Sixty-four, line three, by changing the word "one" to "two" between the end of the bracket and the word "year" in line four.

Line six, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line nine, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line eleven, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Were taken up, read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 64 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Amend section two of Assembly Bill Number Sixty-four, line three, by changing the word "one" to "two" between the end of the bracket and the word "year" in line four.

Line six, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line nine, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Line eleven, change the word "one" after the bracket and before the word "year" to "two."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 70:

In section one, line one, strike out the words "the second class of" and insert after the word "State" the following: "having a population of between two hundred thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants."

Paragraph one, line five, strike out the word "judge" and the comma following:

Line six, after the word "court" insert the following: "except the judge thereof."

Line twelve, strike out the words "the judge or" at the end of the line.

Line thirteen, strike out the word "other"

Were read by the Clerk for the first time and ordered to have a second reading.

Mr. Weber moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No 70 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 70:

In section one, line one, strike out the words "the second class of" and insert after the word "State" the following: "having a population of between two hundred thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants."

Paragraph one, line five, strike out the word "judge" and the comma following:

Line six, after the word "court" insert the following: "except the judge thereof."

Line twelve, strike out the words "the judge or" at the end of the line.

Line thirteen, strike out the word "other."

Were taken up, read a second time, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Weber moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 70 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 70.

In section one, line one, strike out the words "the second class of" and insert after the word "State" the following: "having a population of between two hundred thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants."

Paragraph one, line five, strike out the word "judge" and the comma following:

Line six, after the word "court" insert the following: "except the judge thereof."

Line twelve, strike out the words "the judge or" at the end of the line.

Line thirteen, strike out the word "other."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Weber, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Haines, Huelsenbeck, and Miss Jones—3.

The Speaker declared the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No 70 concurred in.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourn it adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 9th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon.

Mr. Knight asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following Concurrent Resolution was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Judiciary, as follows:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted,"

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 412, 414, 416, 420, 482,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 84 with the following committee amendments:

Amend section one on page one, line seven, by inserting after the word "lines" the following: ", the county board of elections in counties of the first class and"

And by inserting after the word "municipality" in line seven, the following: "in counties other than counties of the first class"

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 84.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported Senate Bill No. 289.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 404,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 484 and 506,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Senate Bill No. 248,  
Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 426, with the following Committee Amend-  
ments:

On page two, line nineteen, after the word "twenty-seven"  
strike out the period, insert a comma, and strike out the bracket.

On page 2, line 20, at the start of said line insert the following:  
"excepting counties bordering on the Atlantic Ocean."

On page two, line twenty-six, at the end of said line strike out  
the bracket.

Mr. Kautz moved the adoption of the committee amendments  
to Assembly Bill No. 426.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and  
Canals, reported

Senate Bill No. 273,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health,  
reported

Senate Bills Nos. 11 and 237.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Leap, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corpora-  
tions, reported

Senate Bill No. 257,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means,  
reported

Senate Bills Nos. 220, 100, 259 and 211,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported  
Senate Bill No. 191,

Favorably, without amendment

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Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No 162,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No 217,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No 146,

Favorably, without amendment

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 192 and 193,

Favorably, without amendment

Assembly Bill No 412, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Somerdale, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Valley in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No 416, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Lindenwold, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 420, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Hill, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 482, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No 404, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning warehouse receipts, and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Assembly Bill No 506, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to Circuit Court judges in counties of the first class in this State,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 426, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved February twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants; providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to provide for the elimination of railroad crossings at grade on State highways, and for the improvement, relocation and reconstruction of crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and for the location and construction of new crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and providing for changes in municipal and public utility rails, lines and pipes in or on such crossings, and for the maintenance of all such crossings,"

Senate Bill No 11, entitled "An act authorizing any county and one or more municipalities and one or more school districts or any of them to enter into a joint contract providing for public health service,"

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,' approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four, and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 257, entitled "An act validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance of promissory notes of cities of this State for school purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds,"

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen."

Senate Bill No. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Senate Bill No. 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the South Jersey Port District and to provide for the appointment of the South Jersey Port Commission, and to define its powers, duties and jurisdiction and making an appropriation for its expenses,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 191, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," which amendment was itself approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' and which further amendment was approved February third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the employment of persons in compressed air,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 3d, 1929.	

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

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to enable counties of this State, which have no county hospital, to aid and assist in supporting and maintaining contagious buildings and pavilions permanently maintained by any hospital or hospitals located in such county,"

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Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, as amended by act approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and to amend certain sections of said act which were amended by chapter two hundred and thirteen, Public Laws of New Jersey, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at page four hundred and sixty-seven, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-nine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-six, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,' approved April twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto,"

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act authorizing the correction of errors and omissions which have occurred or may occur in the apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes on gross receipts of street railways, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in this State."

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Senate Bill No. 279, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to enable counties of this State, which have no county hospital, to aid and assist in supporting and maintaining contagious buildings and pavilions permanently maintained by any hospital or 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 Public Health.

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

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

Senate Bill No 212, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, as amended by act approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and to amend certain sections of said act which were amended by chapter two hundred and thirteen, Public Laws of New Jersey, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at page four hundred and sixty-seven, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-nine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-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 243, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit, approved April twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto,"

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. 256, entitled "An act authorizing the correction of errors and omissions which have occurred or may occur in the apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes on gross receipts of street railways, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in this State,"

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

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, 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 Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second read and referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 279, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning trust companies' (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 Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No 280, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning banks and banking' (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 Banking and Insurance.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 433 and 434,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 433, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of painting, the use of paints containing certain materials and for other purposes,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the sale of paints; to provide for true labels for the same when offered for sale; for the enforcement of this act by the State chemist; for penalties for the violation of the same, and for other purposes,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same without amendments:

Senate Joint Resolution No 3 and Senate Bill No 26.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asks its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 65, 168, 259, 261, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 271, Assembly Bill Nos. 302, 352, Committee Substitute for Assembly No 354, 360, 367, 368, 413, 418, 476, 493, 350.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reports having delivered to the Governor on April 8th, 1929:

Assembly Bill No 40 with Senate Amendments

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, April 9th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rabbi Nachman S. Arnoff, of the Beth E. Synagogue, of Camden, N. J.

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

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Hames, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Micolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini,

Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino; Compton, Greenberg, Kautz, Purdy and Roder—7.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 443, 449, 309, 218, 485, 369, 405, 381, 235, 244, 268, 298, 338, 373, 461, 181, 305, 422, 399, 364, 472, 479, 501, 474, 390, 383, 412, 414, 416, 420, 482, 320, Committee Substitute 486, Committee Substitute 324,

Correctly printed.

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

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 9th, 1929. }

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

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 57, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the issuance of a special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November, both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violations thereof,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No 110, entitled "An act fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs, in counties of this State, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than nineteen thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants,"

Assembly Bill No. 225, entitled "An act to provide for the taxation of real and personal property of this State for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, development, extending and equipping State charitable, hospital,

relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions and appurtenances thereto,"

Assembly Bill No. 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,'"

Assembly Bill No. 267, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 355, 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. 382, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to police magistrates in cities of the second class,'"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Assembly Bill No. 451, with the following Committee Amendments:

Section one, line eight, strike out the brackets.

Section one, line eight, after the word "farms" add the following: "on game sanctuaries and game refuges."

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Morrison moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 451.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

As amended,

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

Mr. Spair asked for the record on Assembly Bill No 138, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Spair, moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 138 was passed be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J , Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 138 reconsidered.

Mr. Spair moved that Assembly Bill No. 138 be recommitted to the Committee on Municipal Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight asked for the record on Committee Substitute to Assembly Bill No. 33, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that the vote by which Committee Substitute to Assembly Bill No. 33 was passed be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J , Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33 reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33 be recommitted to the committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

The following announcement was sent to the desk and read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means announces a public hearing on Assembly Bill No. 292, on Monday, April 15th, 1929, at 3 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bill No 258,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 161,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No 45, with the following committee amendments :

On page one, paragraph one, line two and one-half, after the word "now" in said line insert the words "or hereafter".

On page one, paragraph one, line three, after the word "thousand" in said line, insert the words "inhabitants, upon the passage of this act".

On page one, paragraph one, line six, strike out the words "twelve hundred dollars" and the figures "(\$1200)" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-four hundred dollars".

On page one, paragraph one, line ten, add the following: "The tenure of any person now holding the position of court crier, pursuant to the provisions of the act of which this act is amendatory, shall terminate upon the passage hereof, and said position or employment is hereby vacated, and the new appointment thereto shall be made by the county clerk upon the taking effect of this act"

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 45.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reports Senate Bill No. 123,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Smock, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads and Canals, reports Senate Bill No. 213,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code and providing penalties for violations,"

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

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning free public libraries,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the appointment of court criers to Supreme and Circuit Courts, and providing for the compensation thereof,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

As amended,

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies and horse railroad companies to make annual returns to the State Board of Assessors,' approved May third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation

of the provisions hereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Carty, Duszynski, Mercolino, Parentini, Vanderbach—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 449, entitled "An act concerning trust funds created by public subscription for the support and maintenance of widows and children of deceased members of the police and fire departments of municipalities of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Mesrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Leap requested unanimous consent to amend Assembly Bill No 141 on third reading. There being no objections consent was granted.

Mr. Leap offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 141, on third reading, and moved their adoption:

Amend page two, line twenty-nine, between the comma, after the word "officers" and the word "and" add the following words "members of The South Jersey Port Commission, and its Secretary, Treasurer and Attorney."

Which were read by the Clerk.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Hames, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young.  
Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative was—

Mr. Gabrielson (Speaker)—1.

Mr. Barison requested unanimous consent to amend Assembly Bill No. 141 on third reading. There being no objection, consent was granted.

Mr. Barison offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 141, on third reading, and moved their adoption.

On page two, line thirty, after the comma following word "Jersey" insert the following "the members of the Tenement House Commission and the Secretary of the Tenement House Commission"

Which were read by the Clerk.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Young—31

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Jones, Rittenhouse, Stelle—5.

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, McMurray, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein—19.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hollinshed, Kuser, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Young—8.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 141, as amended, lost.

Mr. Spair moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 141 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize a conveyance of certain State lands situated in the township of Ewing, Mercer County,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 218, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act appointing a commission to purchase the Old Tavern House in the borough of Haddonfield, making an appropriation for the payment of the same and providing for the care and management thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," which amendment was itself approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Spair, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—21.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Parentini, Pierson, Pursel, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach—16.

The Speaker declared Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 lost.

Mr. Stewart moved that the vote by which Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinsched, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Wise moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinsched, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams,

Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Compton, Greenberg, Kautz, Purdy, Roder—7.

Assembly Bill No. 369, entitled "An act to grant, remise, release, convey and confirm unto the record owner of lands and premises, the title to which has escheated to the State of New Jersey, the right, title and interest of the State of New Jersey in such lands so escheated,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison,

Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Wise moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise moved that the House recess for 30 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hanson, Kautz, McDermott, Parentini, Purdy, Roder—11.

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

WHEREAS, The two charming daughters of the Hon. Mrs. Emma Peters, member of this House, are here as visitors; and

WHEREAS, Their presence here serves to relieve the drab routine of this House; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved*, That the privileges of the floor be granted to the daughters of the said Hon. Mrs. Emma Peters.

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, planting, care and control of trees and shrubbery upon the public highways in the counties of the State,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No 244, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison,

Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Kuser, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and fifteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Gabrielson, Kalamen, Stewart, Summers, Wise—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.

Assembly Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to authorize and enable small land owners to drain and improve their lands,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hames, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Leap asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following concurrent resolution was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Leap:

WHEREAS, Application will be made to the Congress of the United States for permission to construct a bridge across the Delaware River at a point near Pennsgrove, New Jersey, and Wilmington, Delaware, suitable to the interests of navigation, which, if enacted into law, will grant such franchise to the Delaware and New Jersey Bridge Corporation and others; and

WHEREAS, It is deemed highly desirable that a bridge be constructed across the Delaware River at this point for the development of the entire southern section of the State of New Jersey, and in the interests of interstate communications; and

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey is not in a financial position to co-operate with the State of Delaware in the construction of the very desirable public improvement; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Legislature of the State of New Jersey do recommend to the Congress of the United States the prompt passage of such act, and be it

*Further resolved*, That an official copy of this resolution, signed by the Speaker, and attested to by the Clerk of the House,

respectively, be forwarded to each member in Congress from this State, to the Vice-President of the United States and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker requested Mr. Muir, of Union County, to take the chair.

Mr. Muir assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 338, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelzenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

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

*Resolved*, That the Speaker appoint a committee of six members to arrange for social night with Mrs. Stelle, as chairman.

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning motor vehicles bailed, rented or leased, without a driver, to be operated by the bailee, or lessee, his agent or servant, for purposes other than the transportation of passengers for hire, and their operation upon public highways,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," which amendment was approved March thirty-first,

one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' which amendment was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 182, 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,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson, Hollinshed, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Edgar, Hanson, Wise—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.

Assembly Bill No. 422, 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),"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 9th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Be it resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That Senate Bill No. 268 be recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Siracusa moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 9th, 1929. }

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

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly forthwith Assembly Bill No. 138, for the purpose of further consideration.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Mercolino asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 316, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Mercolino moved, under suspension of the rules, that Assembly Bill No. 316 be placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act appropriating money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of Morris Canal and Banking Company, and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 364, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Lorenz, Pierson, Stelle—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acquisition and maintaining by the State of New Jersey in conjunction with the State of Pennsylvania of toll bridges across the Delaware River and providing for free travel across the same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred twelve,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Mercolino, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Syracuse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Greenberg, Kautz, Litwin, McDermott, Parentini, Purdy, Roder—11.

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters,

Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—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 and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Wise moved that the Speaker sign Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110 and the clerk deliver same forthwith to the Senate.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 479, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 501, entitled "An act to incorporate the fifth judicial district of the county of Bergen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Vanderbach—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. 474, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Egg Harbor City part of the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved, under suspension of the rules, that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "An act for granting permission to construct a bridge across the Delaware River at a point near Pennsgrove, New Jersey, and Wilmington, Delaware,"

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

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, entitled "An act for granting permission to construct a bridge across the Delaware River at a point near Pennsgrove, New Jersey, and Wilmington, Delaware,"

Was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hol-linshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Senate Bill No. 78, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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.

Senate Bill No. 77, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was itself approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Hollinshed, Young—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. 273, entitled "An act to provide for the elimination of railroad crossings at grade on State highways, and for the improvement, relocation and reconstruction of crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and for the location and construction of new crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and providing for changes in municipal and public utility rails, lines and pipes in or on such crossings, and for the maintainance of all such crossings,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Mesrs Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Huelsenbeck, Pierson, Stelle, Vanderbach—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 Joint Resolution No. 4, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer inter-municipal, inter-county and interstate projects, to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions and to provide for the financing of such a commission,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 16, entitled "A Joint Resolution to protect the State of New Jersey, and the inhabitants thereof, and property therein from damage by the use, diversion, or other interference with the water of interstate streams bordering on this State, or which enter or are tributary to streams flowing within this State,"

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

In the affirmative—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Mr. Young asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 93, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Young moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 93 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Young moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 93 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Bill No. 93 reconsidered.

Mr. Young moved that Senate Bill No. 93 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 93, entitled "An act concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Otto, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Vanderbach—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 Joint Resolution No 18, entitled "A joint resolution concerning the dumping and disposal of garbage and refuse at sea and to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members who are to serve on the committee to arrange for a social night to be held on Wednesday evening, April 17th, 1929, 8:30 P. M.:

Assemblywoman Stelle, of Essex, as Chairman; Assemblywoman Summers, of Passaic; Assemblywoman Haines, of Essex; Assemblywoman Peters, of Bergen; Assemblywoman Carty, of Hudson, and Assemblywoman Jones, of Essex.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 478, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," amended April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 220 and 221,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 177, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 488, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 488.

Which motion was adopted.

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bill No. 198,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 97,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 172, with the following committee amendments:

Line 1, after the words "shores of the" add "Raritan River and".

Line 2, section 1, after the words "extent of the pollutions" add "including trade wastes".

Line 3, section 1, after the words "waters of the" add "Raritan River and".

Line 3, section 2, after the words "waters of the" add "Raritan River and".

Line 1, section 3, strike out the word "ten" and "(10,000)", insert in lieu thereof the words "fifteen" and "(\$15,000)".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 172.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 47, with the following committee amendments:

Paragraph 1, line 1. Between the word "been" and the word submitted" insert the words "or may hereafter be".

Paragraph 1, line 10. Strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the word "two".

Paragraph 3, line 2. After the words "they shall" insert the following: "determine what statute for the establishment of a county park system or county park commission applicable to the county shall be submitted at the referendum requested and the fact that the provisions of any act may have been submitted and rejected at a previous referendum shall not prevent said board of freeholders from again submitting such rejected act and".

Paragraph 3, line 3. After the comma, after the word "election" insert the following: "said board of freeholders shall".

Paragraph 3, line 3. After the word "certify" strike out the words "such fact".

Paragraph 3, line 4. Strike out the word "and" after the word "county".

Paragraph 3, line 10. Insert the following between the words "as" and "certified", "determined upon and".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Senate Bill No. 47.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 9th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning the distribution for advertising and educational purposes of a comprehensive book entitled 'New Jersey—Life, Industries and Resources of a Great State,'"

Senate Bill No. 129, entitled "An act concerning employments and promotions in police departments of municipalities of this State,"

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 282, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Burlington,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning the distribution for advertising and educational purposes of a comprehensive book entitled 'New Jersey—Life, Industries and Resources of a Great State,'"

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. 129, entitled "An act concerning employments and promotions in police departments of municipalities of this State,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee of Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 282, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (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 of Banking and Insurance.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Burlington,"

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

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 9th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commission appointed under Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the report of the said joint commission,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commis-

sion appointed under Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the report of the said joint commission,"

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

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 9th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Senate Bill No 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of members of boards of chosen freeholders, directors of boards of chosen freeholders and county supervisors in certain counties of this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to limit the time within which persons claiming under certain deeds may contest the validity of the titles to land acquired by persons claiming under certain judicial sales or the priority of certain liens,"

Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize banks and trust companies to establish branch offices or agencies for the transaction of their business,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

And

Senate Bill No. 291, entitled "An act accepting the gift of Foster M. Voorhees of certain lands known as Hill Acres, situate at High Bridge, Hunterdon County, New Jersey, together with the buildings thereon, and the furnishings, books, rugs, pictures, tools, stock, horses, wagons and automobiles thereon, to be used for forestry or similar purposes,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate Message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of members of boards of chosen freeholders, directors of boards of chosen freeholders and county supervisors in certain counties of this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

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. 99, entitled "An act to limit the time within which persons claiming under certain deeds may contest the validity of the titles to land acquired by persons claiming under certain judicial sales or the priority of certain liens,"

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. 143, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

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. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize banks and trust companies to establish branch offices or agencies for the transaction of their business,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

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

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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. 288, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision), 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. 291, entitled "An act accepting the gift of Foster M. Voorhees of certain lands known as Hill Acres, situate

at High Bridge, Hunterdon County, New Jersey, together with the buildings thereon, and the furnishings, books, rugs, pictures, tools, stock, horses, wagons and automobiles thereon, to be used for forestry or similar purposes,"

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

Mr. Knight moved that the house recess until 7:30 P. M.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—46

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Greenberg, Kautz, Leap, McDermott, Newcomb, Parentini, Purdy, Roder—12.

Mr. Kuser asked unanimous consent to amend Senate Bill No. 94 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Kuser offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 94 on third reading:

Committee amendments proposed to Senate Bill No. 94 on third reading:

Strike out paragraph two, and all of line one.

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 94 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 94, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act giving additional title to the State Agricultural College,' approved March fifteen, nineteen seventeen,"

As amended,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Edgar asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 473, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr Edgar moved that Assembly Bill No. 473 be recommitted to the committee on Militia for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted

Senate Bill No 146, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to the employment of persons in compressed air,' approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment

Senate Bill No. 64, entitled "An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

As amended,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments and requests its concurrence therein

Senate Bill No. 89, entitled "An act concerning corporations heretofore organized and now existing under any law of this State since repealed authorizing the incorporation of societies or clubs for social, intellectual and recreative purposes and maintaining, for the use and accommodation of its members, a club house and associated facilities for the playing of golf or other outdoor sports,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F J , Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Miss Haines asked unanimous consent to amend Senate Bill No. 126 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Miss Haines offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 126, on third reading, which were read by the clerk:

On page four, line thirteen, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof of the word "such".

Page four, line fifteen, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Page four, line seventeen, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Page four, line nineteen, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

On page four, line twenty-one, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

On page four, line twenty-three, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such."

On page four, line twenty-six, strike out the word "each" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Miss Haines moved the adoption of the amendments to Senate Bill No. 126 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 126, entitled "An act concerning the guardianship of incompetent veterans and of minor children of disabled or deceased veterans and the commitment of veterans, and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

As amended,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Stein moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried!

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—41.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

Senate Bill No. 159, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' which title was amended as here stated by act approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hol-

linshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 61, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act giving to State banks power to act in a fiduciary capacity,' approved April twelve, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 157, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-four, eighteen ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 17, entitled "A joint resolution concerning the pollution of interstate streams, and to abate the nuisance created thereby,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 287, entitled "An act respecting banks and trust companies,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 requested Mr. Litwin, of Essex County, to take the Chair.

Mr. Litwin assumed the Chair.

Senate Joint Resolution No 8, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal and intracounty projects in counties of the first class, and to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Powers asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No 22.

The Clerk announced that Assembly Joint Resolution was on the desk attached to a committee report.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22,

Favorably, and without amendment.

Mr. Powers moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 22, entitled "A joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to revise the Federal Income Tax Law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions,"

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

Mr Powers moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 22, entitled "A joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to revise the Federal Income Tax Law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Powers, under suspension of rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 145, entitled "An act to prescribe the duties of public officers of this State with respect to granting leaves of absence to certain veterans to attend State and national conventions of State and National organizations of former soldiers, sailors and marines,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 158, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved, by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 390, entitled "An act authorizing the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Phillipsburg, New Jersey, and Easton, Pennsylvania, providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 81, entitled "An act concerning financial responsibility for damages caused by the operation of motor vehicles,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative was—

Mr. McWilliams—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.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Senate Bill No. 220, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Carty, Cassini, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kuser, Litwin—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 9th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 be advanced to second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recom-

mendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

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

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Mr. Barison moved that the motion of Mr. Kuser be laid on the table.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion of Mr. Barison be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser's motion was then adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and providing for the appointment of a commission to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation and the system of control of the finances of the several county and municipal governments of the State; to ascertain all the sources of revenue of the several counties and municipalities; to determine whether there exists the most practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and what economies can be effected which will result in a reduction of county and municipal expenditures and taxes; to report the result of such investigation, together with recommendations thereon, to the Governor and the Legislature, and making an appropriation for such purposes,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kuser, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No 438 which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No 438 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 383, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J, Hollinshed, Huel- senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Litwin, Marini, Mc- Williams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—  
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In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 486, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to permit recognized organizations, composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines of the military, naval or air service of the United States, to use State armories for the holding of military and other affairs,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 412, entitled “An act to incorporate the borough of Somerdale, in the county of Camden,”

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Gabrielson (Speaker)—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. 414, entitled “An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Valley in the county of Camden,”

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Sir-

cusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Gabrielson (Speaker), Vanderbach—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.

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Lindenwold, in the county of Camden,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Gabrielson, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. 420, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Hill, in the county of Camden,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Gabrielson (Speaker), Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. 482, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty; Gabrielson (Speaker), Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 436, by the following committee substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 436, 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 by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 436.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise moved the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported Assembly Bill No. 438, by the following Committee Substitute:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 438, 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-eight,"

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee substitute for Assembly Bill No. 438.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bill No. 212,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 495,

Favorably, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 436, 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,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 438, 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-eight,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, in consideration of a conveyance by said Corporation or one of its subsidiaries, to the State of New Jersey, or its nominee, of lands owned by said company or companies in the City of New Brunswick, and in the Township of North Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 212, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, as amended by act approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and to amend certain sections of said act which were amended by chapter two hundred and thirteen, Public Laws of New Jersey, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at page four hundred and sixty-seven, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-nine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-six, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it be to meet Thursday, April 11th, 1929, at 12 o'clock, noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to meet Saturday, April 13th, 1929, at 12 o'clock, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet Monday, April 15th, 1929, at eight o'clock P. M.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asks its concurrence therein :

Assembly Bills Nos 126, 344, 366, 421, 440, 492, 494, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 308, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18, Assembly Bill No. 381.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendments :

Senate Bills Nos. 92, 95, 144, Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, Senate Joint Resolution No. 9.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reports having delivered to the Governor on April 9th, 1929;

Assembly Bills Nos. 92, 93, 124, 127, 128, 129, 174, 224, 301, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bills Nos. 34, 110, 225, 266, 267, 355, 382, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bills Nos. 57, 64 and 70, with Senate amendments,

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled, 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a Superintendent thereof together with the officers and men who shall constitute

the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith, passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, amended April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 220, 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. 221, entitled "An act to prevent the vending, burning or exploding of toy pistols, firecrackers, squibs and other explosives,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled a further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight) approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight),

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act relating to the purity of the waters of the Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays,"

As amended.

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit

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unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to establish a commission to study and report upon plans for providing a comprehensive scheme of rapid passenger transit between the several communities in the counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem, as well as between such communities and the city of Philadelphia and making an appropriation for the expenses of said commission,"

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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THURSDAY, April 11th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Saturday, April 13th, 1929, at 12 o'clock, noon.

SATURDAY, April 13th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names.

Messrs. Powers, Bethke and Spair.

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

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem*. declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock, April 15th, 1929.

MONDAY, April 15th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Fred Clare Baldwin, former pastor of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church of East Orange, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—56.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Greenberg—2.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following announcement was sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

EAST ORANGE, N. J., April 15th, 1929.

*Hon. Wm. B. Knight:*

I hereby request and designate you to act as Speaker *pro tem.* for the session to be held Monday, April 15th, 1929, at 8 P. M., during my absence temporarily.

GUY GEORGE GABRIELSON,

*Speaker.*

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 10, 160, 167, 172, 175, 236, 325, 348, 376, 385, 410, 423, 459, 506,

As correctly printed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 15th, 1929. }

*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. 3, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a fund for the retirement upon pension of certain employees of the boards of education in school districts in first class counties in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 38, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents,"

Assembly Bill No. 53, entitled "An act to incorporate the First Judicial District of the county of Warren in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four,' which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 79, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

Assembly Bill No. 131, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court attendants in counties of the second class of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 199, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 205, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one

thousand nine hundred and three," approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,

And

Assembly Bill No. 370, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Senate Bill No. 252, entitled "An act respecting cities of the first class and providing for the registration of voters for municipal elections,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huel- senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, New- comb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, McDermott, Merco- lino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—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.

The Speaker assumed the chair and made the following an- nouncement: Due to a serious railroad accident, which detained me from 3 P. M. until my arrival here, I was prevented from opening the session at 8 o'clock to-night, for which I apologize to the members of the House of Assembly.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 194, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 10, entitled "Joint resolution providing for a commission to investigate and report with respect to the marking of historical places in the State of New Jersey,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation in this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Siracusa asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 508.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No. 508, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, as amended by an act approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and as further amended by an act approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and as further amended by an act approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,' approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 6, entitled "An act validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district of this State,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 requested Mr. Kuser, of Somerset County, to take the chair.

Mr. Kuser assumed the chair.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9, entitled "An act to validate and confirm conveyances of land made in the corporate names of corporations which had expired by their own limitation or been annulled by the Legislature or otherwise dissolved prior to the execution and delivery of such conveyances, and the record thereof,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Bethke asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 280, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Bethke moved that Assembly Bill No. 280 be recommitted to the Committee on Banking and Insurance for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Bethke asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 283, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Bethke moved that Assembly Bill No. 283 be recommitted to the Committee on Banking and Insurance for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 11, entitled "An act authorizing any county and one or more municipalities and one or more school districts or any of them to enter into a joint contract providing for public health service,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 20, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning marriages' (Revision of 1910), approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray,

McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 49, entitled "An act to validate ordinances adopted by municipalities on or after April ninth, nineteen hundred twenty-one,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Jones, Litwin, Lorenz, Stelle—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.

Senate Bill No. 50, 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 by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—42.

In the negative was—

Mr. Litwin—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. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini,

Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 410, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 495, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that Assembly Bill No. 495 be recommitted to the Committee on Militia for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Huelsenbeck asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 509.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Huelsenbeck :

Assembly Bill No. 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 423, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative was—

Mr. Litwin—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. 506, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams,

Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Stein moved that Assembly Bill No. 506 be signed by the Speaker and delivered to the Senate forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Young asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 74, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Young moved that the rules be suspended and that the Committee on Public Health be relieved of Senate Bill No. 74 forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Young moved that Senate Bill No. 74 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Stein, Wise—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.

Mr. Cassini asked unanimous consent to amend Assembly Bill No. 385 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Cassini offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 385, on third reading, which were read by the clerk:

Amend section one by striking out said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

1. Section four hundred and thirty of the act to which this is an amendment be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

430. If the judicial officer shall determine that the patient is insane and has sufficient estate to pay for his full maintenance as fixed by the board of managers or board of chosen freeholders, as the case may be, or if the person or persons legally liable for his support, as herein provided, are able to pay for his maintenance, fixed as aforesaid, said judicial officer, after determining the legal settlement of such patient, may, in his discretion, commit such patient to any State or county institution for the care and treatment of the insane in this State. In the final order of commitment he shall direct that the care and maintenance of such patient in the institution designated in said order shall be paid out of the estate of the patient or by the person or persons chargeable by law with his support, or by contract, as the case may be, and such order shall specify the per capita cost of maintenance as fixed from time to time by such institution, which shall be paid thereunder and shall, in the discretion of the judicial officer, contain such direction as may seem proper concerning security to be given for such payment. If a patient on final hearing is unable to pay the minimum rate fixed at said institution for nonindigent patients, but patient or his or her wife, husband, parents, grandparents, children or grandchildren, or any of them, is or are able to pay a part of the rate fixed for the maintenance of said patient, the judicial officer shall order that said patient be committed to the institution as an indigent patient chargeable to the county or to the State, as provided in the act to which this act is an amendment, and on reasonable notice to the persons to be charged, may further order that said patient or his or her wife or husband, parents, grandparents, children or grandchildren, or any of them, pay monthly in advance to the chief executive officer of the institution in which the patient is confined in the case of State indigent patients, for the use of said institution, or to the

county treasurer of the county chargeable in the case of county indigent patients, such part of the cost of the maintenance of such patient as to said judicial officer may seem just. If the said county treasurer shall actually receive from the said indigent patient, or his or her chargeable relatives, as aforesaid any money in excess of that paid by the county in support of said patient he shall pay such excess to the chief executive officer of the institution in which said patient is confined, for the use of said institution.

Mr. Cassini moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 385 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Spair asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 510.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Spair :

Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled "An act to fix and define a portion of the southerly boundary line and a portion of the westerly boundary line of the borough of Avon-by-the-Sea, in the county of Monmouth,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 and was read by the clerk :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 15th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

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

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That Senate Bill No. 144 be recalled from the Governor for further consideration.

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Siracusa moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—42.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate concurrent resolution concurred in.

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act for the relief of Jennie McDermott,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, Morrison, Newcomb, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson, Leap, McWilliams, Otto, Wise—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.

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act vesting the title to real estate of which Mary M. McDermott died siezed and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in James Walsh,"

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

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In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Marini, Peters, Purdy—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.

Mr. Lorenz moved that Assembly Bill No. 376 be signed by the Speaker and delivered to the Senate forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Barison asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Barison served twenty-four hours' notice on the House, as required by House Rule No. 67, that he would introduce a motion to relieve the Miscellaneous Business Committee from further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 4.

The Speaker directed the clerk to make the necessary entry in the Journal.

Mr. Barison asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Barison served twenty-four hours' notice on the House, as required by House Rule No. 67, that he would introduce a motion to relieve the Miscellaneous Business Committee from further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5.

The Speaker directed the clerk to make the necessary entry in the Journal.

Mr. Barison asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Barison served twenty-four hours' notice on the House, as required by House Rule No. 67, that he would introduce a motion to relieve the Miscellaneous Business Committee from further consideration of Assembly Joint Resolution No. 6.

The Speaker directed the clerk to make the necessary entry in the Journal.

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State, and constituting a municipal board of fire and police commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such board, and vesting in such board certain powers of management and appointment now vested in other departments or offices in such cities, and providing for the maintenance of such board," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,'"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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.

Mrs. Summers moved that Assembly Bill No. 325 be signed by the Speaker and delivered to the Senate forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the construction, in whole or in part, of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other devices necessary and proper to protect the riparian lands and other taxable property of the State in the municipalities located in Monmouth County, and bordering on Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay from Compton's Creek to Whale Creek,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 172, entitled "An act relating to the purity of the waters of the Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Stewart asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Ritzenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Stewart moved that the vote by which Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 reconsidered.

Mr. Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled, "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," which amendment was itself approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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.

Assembly Bill No. 167, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class in this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson, Wise—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. 348, 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),"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 "A supplement to an act concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 105, entitled "An act concerning the support and education of children born out of wedlock,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Miss Haines asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Haines moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—28.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Knight, Leap, McMurray, Newcomb, Rittenhouse, Smock, Wettstein—7.

The Speaker declared that the motion of Miss Haines to take from the table Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 lost.

Assembly Bill No. 457, entitled "An act to enable municipalities of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under tidal waters within any such municipality and to make assessments upon lands specially benefitted by such reclaiming, filling and improving,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hanson F. J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stein, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor on April 15th, 1929,

Assembly Bill No. 53,

Having passed both Houses, were this date delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills, with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bill No. 126.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, without amendments:

Senate Bill No. 252, Senate Joint Resolution No. 8.

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

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 16th, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

TUESDAY, April 16th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. R. Siegart, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, Ramsey, N. J.

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

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini—7.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 351, 484, 488, 419, 480, 178, 475, 253, 264,

As correctly printed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 15th, 1929. }

*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 36, entitled "A further 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. 156, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

Assembly Committee Substitute for Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 110, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 155, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 244, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 271, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State, and to regulate the same,' approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Assembly Bill No. 302, entitled "An act relative to bridges now or heretofore or hereafter erected over canals in this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 309, entitled "An act to authorize a conveyance of certain State lands situated in the township of Ewing, Mercer County,"

Assembly Bill No 360, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 421, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and

eighteen,' which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Assembly Bill No. 473, by the following committee substitute:

Which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of any municipality of this State,"

Mr. Edgar moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 473.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 503 and 504,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported Assembly Bill No. 495, by the following committee substitute:

Which was read by the Clerk.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, now in the occupation of the Trustees of Rutgers University of New Jersey,"

Mr. Edgar moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 495.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 108, with the following committee amendments:

Which were read by the clerk.

Amend section 1, line 2, by striking out "one-tenth (1/10)" and inserting in lieu thereof "one-twentieth (1/20)".

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 108.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Assembly Bill No. 365,

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 83,

Favorably, **without amendment.**

Mrs. Stelle, Chairman of the Committee on Social Welfare, reported

Senate Bill No. 198,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Bills Nos. 496 and 507,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 21, with the following committee amendments:

Which were read by the Clerk.

Line 3, after the word "be" strike out the word "a".

Line 4, change the word "representative" to "representatives".

Line 4, strike out the words "one of the".

Line 5, strike out the words "Federation of Women's Clubs, and one of the Garden Clubs of this State," and insert in lieu thereof the following words "two representatives of the New Jersey Committee for the Restriction of Outdoor Advertising".

Amend the title thereof, line 5, after the word "Jersey" strike out the following "one of the Federation of Women's Clubs and one of the Garden Clubs of this State" and substitute in lieu thereof the following: "Two representatives of the New Jersey Committee for the restriction of Outdoor Advertising."

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 21.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 446 with the following Committee Amendments:

Amend the title of said act by inserting in line 2 of the title before the word "real" the word "the".

Amend the title of said act, line 2, by striking out the word "law" and insert in lieu thereof the word "profession".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 4, before the word "real" insert the word "the".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 4, strike out the word "law" and insert in lieu thereof the word "profession".

On page 1, paragraph 2, line 6, before the word "commission" in said line insert the word "license".

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 446.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bills Nos. 143, 214, 76, 288 and 248,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 186,

Favorably, without amendment.

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

Senate Bill No. 200,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 487 with the following Committee Amendment:

Omit lines 7 to 12, page 4, up to and including the word "obtained".

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Gopsill, moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 487.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance reported Assembly Bill No. 490 with the following committee amendments:

Which were read by the clerk.

In line 1, section 1, after the word "organized" and before the word "under" insert the words "or licensed"; strike out comma after the word "supplement".

Strike out all of line 2 and the first five words of line 3 which five words read as follows: "doing business within this State".

In line 5, section 2, after the word "licensed" and before the word "to" insert the following "by the Secretary of State".

Mr. Gopsill, moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 490.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 276, 204 and 179,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 170 with the following Assembly committee amendments,

Amend page 1, section 1, line 17 by striking out after the word "attorneys" the following: "and of all other employees".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the Assembly committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 170.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled, "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of any municipality of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 503, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by municipalities,"

Assembly Bill No. 504, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey, in the township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, now in the occupation of the Trustees of Rutgers University of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918),"

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Morris,'"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 21, entitled "A joint resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and four citizens to be selected by the Governor, two of whom shall be representatives of the Outdoor Advertising Association of New Jersey, two representatives of the New Jersey Committee for the Restriction of Outdoor Advertising, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the

subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing outdoor advertising should be enacted,"

As amended,

'Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled "An act authorizing the State University of New Jersey to provide for instruction in the principles and practice of the real estate profession,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled "A supplement to an act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to authorize counties to appropriate moneys for the maintenance of charitable hospitals in such counties,"

As amended,

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning the distribution for advertising and educational purposes of a comprehensive book entitled 'New Jersey—Life, Industries and Resources of a Great State,'"

Senate Bill No. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 143, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Senate Bill No. 76, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of members of boards of chosen freeholders, directors of boards of chosen freeholders and county supervisors in certain counties of this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 248, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants; providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities of the second class which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than twenty thousand,' approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commission appointed under Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the report of the said joint commission,"

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance busi-

ness in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

And

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

As amended.

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 15th, 1929. }

*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. 492, entitled "An act to validate, confirm, authorize and direct the payment of certain obligations, and/or contracts of municipalities of this State,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 501, entitled "An act to incorporate the fifth judicial district of the county of Bergen,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 15th, 1929. }

*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. 30, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drain-

age of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for appointment of an Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission and to define its powers and duties,' being chapter forty-nine of the laws of nineteen eighteen, approved February fourteen, nineteen eighteen, and supplements and amendments thereto,"

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the construction of theatres, opera houses, grandstands and other public entertainment, in the municipalities of this State, which have no local building supervision,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 293, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 233, entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for appointment of an Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission and to define its powers and duties,' being chapter

forty- nine of the laws of nineteen eighteen, approved February fourteen, nineteen eighteen, and supplements and amendments thereto,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the construction of theatres, opera houses, grandstands and buildings used for motion picture purposes, and other public entertainment, in the municipalities of this State, which have no local building supervision,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 293, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 15th, 1929. }

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

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment

of wages when given as security for any such loan or advance-  
ment,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred  
and fourteen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled "An act for the relief of Elwood  
B. Moore,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is re-  
quested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled  
'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public  
schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and manage-  
ment thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine  
hundred and three,"

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

Senate Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled  
'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making  
of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred  
dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment  
of wages when given as security for any such loan or advance-  
ment,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred  
and fourteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a  
second reading and referred to the Committee on Banking and  
**Insurance.**

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled "An act for the relief of Elwood  
B. Moore,"

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

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its  
Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 9th, 1929. }

*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. 152, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act relating to testamentary trusts,"

Senate Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed October ninth, nineteen twenty-eight,

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties,"

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. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second read and referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five."

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

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act relating to testamentary trusts,"

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. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (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 of Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed October ninth, nineteen twenty-eight,

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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 15th, 1929. }

*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. 141, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State other than counties of the first class,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 249 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No. 294, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Senate Bill No. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to provide for the control and use of county roads in this State,"

And

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

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

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State other than counties of the first class,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen twenty-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. 249, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing

and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

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. 294, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was 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. 295, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,'" approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Was 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. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District,'" and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to provide for the control and use of county roads in this State,"

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

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for

the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

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

Mr. Kautz asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No. 511. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read for the first time by the title, as follows:

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninetyeight," and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,' which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Mr. Kautz moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 511 be advanced to second reading without reference and without printing.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,' which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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. 117, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Röder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Wise asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No. 512. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to Committee on Judiciary:

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs, and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,' which amendment was approved October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Mr. Bethke asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No. 513. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, was ordered printed and referred to Committee on Militia:

Assembly Bill No. 513, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the employment of disabled soldiers, sail-

ors, marines and nurses, in the service of the State or municipalities thereof, and providing a penalty for violation thereof,' approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' and which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hillinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 announced that because unanimous consent had not been obtained from either majority leader or the minority leader to introduce Assembly Bill No. 508 the clerk is hereby instructed to withdraw the said bill from the files of the House of Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 121, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young 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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 122, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

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

In the affirmative—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 annex to the city of Ocean City, in the county of Cape May, meadow lands contiguous thereto,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Kuser—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.

The Speaker requested Mr. Compton, of Union County, to take the chair.

Mr. Compton assumed the chair.

Senate Bill No. 192, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Mrs. Summers asked unanimous consent to amend Senate Bill No. 193 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mrs. Summers offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 193 on third reading :

On page 2, section 2, line 1, strike out the following: "2. This act shall take effect immediately."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mrs. Summers moved the adoption of the amendments to Senate Bill No. 193 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 193, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mrs. Summers, under suspension of the rules, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalaman, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—38.

In the negative was—

Mr. Young—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 amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 87, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act; and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining

their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 257, entitled "An act validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance of promissory notes of cities of this State for school purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds,"

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

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 112, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to prohibit the catching of eels during certain months of the year in the seaside waters of the townships of Dennis and Upper in the County of Cape May,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 100, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Mr. Marini asked unanimous consent to amend Senate Bill No. 45 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Marini offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 45 on third reading:

In the first line of the title strike out the words "An act to amend" and substitute in lieu thereof the words "A supplement to".

In section 1 strike out lines 1 and 2.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Marini moved the adoption of the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 45 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 45, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to the appointment of court criers to Supreme and Circuit Courts, and providing for the compensation thereof,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Marini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 47, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Stelle, Stein,

Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Edgar moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini—7.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 34, by the following Assembly committee substitute:

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissioners in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Which was read by the clerk.

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Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Wise, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, reported Senate Bill No. 85,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Compton, Chairman of the Committee on Taxation, reported

Senate Bill No. 256,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 464, with the following committee amendments:

Amend section 1, line 10, by striking out after the word "of" the words "four thousand five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the words "four thousand". In same section, same line, after the numeral "four" strike out the numeral "five" and insert in lieu thereof the numeral "naught".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 464.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 502 and Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bill No. 291,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 509,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 293,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, with the following committee amendments:

Amend the title on page 1, line 6, after the word "Labor" by striking out the word "approved" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "passed".

Amend the title on page 1, line 7, after the word "sixteen" by striking out all of the balance of the line and all of line 8.

Section 2, line 2, strike out the word "who".

Section 2, line 3, strike out the word "who".

Section 3, line 3, strike out the words "inspectors and".

Page 2, line 4, after the comma, after the word "labor" strike out the following words: "and the director shall" and all of lines 5 and 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "and the director shall perform, under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor, the duties devolving upon the Department of Labor or the Commissioner of Labor, with relation to the enforcement of the laws, rules and regulations governing the employment of women and children".

On page 2, section 5, line 3, strike out after the word "necessary" all of the balance of line 3, and all of line 4.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 464, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean having a population of not less than twenty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,'"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission to provide for State participation in the "Light's Golden Jubilee" to be held at Dearborn, Michigan, on or about October twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and to appropriately mark the site at Menlo Park, in this State, commemorating the distinguished services of Thomas A. Edison,"

Assembly Bill No. 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

And

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissioners in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 85, entitled "An act to provide for the control and use of county roads in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act authorizing the correction of errors and omissions which have occurred or may occur in the apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes on gross receipts of street railways, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in this State,"

Senate Bill No. 291, entitled "An act accepting the gift of Foster M. Voorhees of certain lands known as Hill Acres, situate at High Bridge, Hunterdon County, New Jersey, together with

the buildings thereon, and the furnishings, books, rugs, pictures, tools, stock, horses, wagons and automobiles thereon, to be used for forestry or similar purposes,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 293, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER, }

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 15th, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over five thousand,"

Assembly Bill No. 120, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 132, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals,' approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty,"

With the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

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Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95:

Insert a new section between sections five and six on page two to be known as section six, as follows:

"6. This act shall not apply to or be effective in municipalities in counties wherein criminal judicial district courts are or may hereafter be established."

Change number of section six to section seven.

Add at end of section new number seven the following:

"This act shall take effect immediately."

Were read by the clerk.

Mr. Otto moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95:

Insert a new section between sections five and six on page two to be known as section six, as follows:

"6. This act shall not apply to or be effective in municipalities in counties wherein criminal judicial district courts are or may hereafter be established."

Change number of section six to section seven.

Add at end of section new number seven the following:

"This act shall take effect immediately."

Were taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Otto moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95:

Insert a new section between sections five and six on page two to be known as section six, as follows:

"6. This act shall not apply to or be effective in municipalities in counties wherein criminal judicial district courts are or may hereafter be established."

Change number of section six to section seven.

Add at end of section new number seven the following:

"This act shall take effect immediately."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Otto, under suspension of the rules, read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 95 concurred in.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120:

On line seven, after the word "certificate" insert a comma instead of the period, and then add "and shall also index the same in a separate block index, to be kept in said office, under the block and lot number as shown in the certificate, if the property is described by lot and block."

Also add "2. This act to take effect immediately."

Were read by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120:

On line seven, after the word "certificate" insert a comma instead of the period, and then add "and shall also index the same in a separate block index, to be kept in said office, under the block and lot number as shown in the certificate, if the property is described by lot and block."

Also add "2. This act to take effect immediately."

Were taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

## Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120:

On line seven, after the word "certificate" insert a comma instead of the period, and then add "and shall also index the same in a separate block index, to be kept in said office, under the block and lot number as shown in the certificate, if the property is described by lot and block."

Also add "2. This act to take effect immediately."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huel- senbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker declared Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 120 concurred in.

## Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 132 as follows:

Page 2, section 1, line 30, after the word "animals", insert the words "in any criminal district court of the county where the defendant resides or in which the offense was committed, or, if no such court".

Page 2, section 2, line 3, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 5, line 77, between the words "before" and "justice" insert the words "any criminal district court".

Page 5, line 79, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 6, line 94, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Were read by the clerk.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 132 as follows:

Page 2, section 1, line 30, after the word "animals", insert the words "in any criminal district court of the county where the defendant resides or in which the offense was committed, or, if no such court".

Page 2, section 2, line 3, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 5, line 77, between the words "before" and "justice" insert the words "any criminal district court".

Page 5, line 79, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 6, line 94, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Were taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 132 as follows:

Page 2, section 1, line 30, after the word "animals", insert the words "in any criminal district court of the county where the defendant resides or in which the offense was committed, or, if no such court".

Page 2, section 2, line 3, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 5, line 77, between the words "before" and "justice" insert the words "any criminal district court".

Page 5, line 79, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Page 6, line 94, between the words "any" and "justice" insert the words "criminal district court".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barbour, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 132 concurred in.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk.

April 15th, 1929.

*Mr. Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk of the House of Assembly:*

DEAR SIR—On behalf of the members of my family and of myself, I wish to express our deep appreciation to the members of both Houses of the Legislature for their resolution of sympathy upon the death of my father.

Very truly yours,

DRYDEN KUSER.

Mr. Barbour moved that the communication be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Smock asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 299, which was furnished by the clerk.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 16th, 1929.

*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. 299, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation for

the construction in whole or in part of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper in order to protect the riparian lands and taxable properties of this State, in municipalities within the county of Ocean, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, from destruction by encroachment of the Atlantic Ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Smock moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 299 be advanced to second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 299, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation for the construction in whole or in part of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper in order to protect the riparian lands and taxable properties of this State, in municipalities within the county of Ocean, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, from destruction by encroachment of the Atlantic Ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Was taken up, under suspension of the rules, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Smock moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 299 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 299, entitled "An act appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation for the construction in whole or in part of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper in order to protect the riparian lands and taxable properties of this State, in municipalities within the

county of Ocean, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, from destruction by encroachment of the Atlantic Ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Smock, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Smock moved that Senate Bill No. 299 be signed by the Speaker and be delivered to the Senate forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker requested Miss Jones, of Essex County, to take the chair.

Miss Jones assumed the chair.

Senate Bill No. 225, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' comprising chapter one fifty-two of the Laws of nineteen seventeen,"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to create the South Jersey Port District and to provide for the appointment of the South Jersey Port Commission, and to define its powers, duties and jurisdiction and making an appropriation for its expenses,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 212, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, as amended by act approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and to amend certain sections of said act which were amended by chapter two hundred and thirteen, Public Laws of New Jersey, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at page four hundred and sixty-seven, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-nine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-six, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise  
—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 222, entitled "An act authorizing the sale and conveyance to the city of Hackensack in the county of Bergen of lands situate therein owned by the State of New Jersey and no longer needed for military purposes,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Compton, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz,

Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Barbour moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—48.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini—10.

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years, and to authorize certain judges to order that such judgment shall not operate as a disqualification of such persons for any office, and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such, and providing for the revocation of such order,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, New-

comb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Barbour moved that Assembly Bill No. 351 be signed by the Speaker and be delivered to the Senate forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to Circuit Court judges in counties of the first class in this State,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

**In the negative—None.**

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Sterner asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Bill No. 514.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Sterner:

Assembly Bill No. 514, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "A supplement to an act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

**In the affirmative were—**

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

**In the negative—None.**

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 480, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Rittenhouse—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. Mercolino asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 316, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Mercolino moved that Assembly Bill No. 316 be placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Mercolino offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 316 on second reading.

Which was read by the clerk.

On page 1, section 1, strike out all of lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"1. Any attorney filing any pleading or other paper in the nature of a pleading, in any action of law, shall file same in duplicate, together with an additional copy for each additional party affected, and the clerk of the court with whom the said pleadings or paper in the nature of a pleading are filed shall mail a copy thereof to the adverse party or his attorney within seventy-two hours of the filing of said pleadings or paper in the nature of a pleading, with the said clerk; *provided, however*, that nothing herein contained shall apply to any summons and complaint.

A fee of fifty cents shall be taxed to the party filing said pleadings or paper in the nature of a pleading covering costs of mailing."

Mr. Mercolino moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 316.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 316, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Mercolino, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 178, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage, and for alimony and the maintenance of children' (Revision of 1907),"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gobierson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir,

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Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative was—

Mr. Stein—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. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber—26.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Rittenhouse, Pursel, Roder, Smock, Sterner, Wettstein, Young—8.

Assembly Bill No. 475, entitled "An act providing for chambers or offices for Justices of the Supreme Court,"

Was taken up, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 253, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, which further amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 264, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair,

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Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Assembly No. 33, as amended, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, as amended, be advanced and taken on third reading and final passage,

**Which motion was adopted.**

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus; under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight moved that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, as amended, be signed by the Speaker and be delivered to the Senate forthwith.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 16th, 1929. }

*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. 21, entitled "An act to make a married woman solely responsible for her torts,"

Assembly Bill No. 61, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 121, entitled "An act concerning public parks and places,"

Assembly Bill No. 255, entitled "An act to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the borough of Hopewell,"

Assembly Bill No. 315, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the sale or mortgaging of lands and premises in which a person mentally incapacitated may have an inchoate right of dower, and provide for the determination, release or purchase of such inchoate right of dower,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 324, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act concerning contagious and in-

fectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State; and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 350, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 361, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties in 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 act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 16th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "Joint resolution empowering the Governor to appoint a farm relief committee to investigate the public market needs of New Jersey agriculture and report its findings with recommendations to the Legislature and to provide an appropriation to defray the expenses thereof,"

And

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission of seven members, to be

appointed by the Governor, to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the drainage of wet lands in northern New Jersey,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 16th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session on Tuesday, the twenty-third day of April, instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a State Director of Railroads, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Joshua E. Borton, of the county of Burlington.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Senate Bill No. 297,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 505,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bills Nos. 241, 247, 292, 152,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser offered the following Assembly concurrent resolution, which was read by the clerk, and adopted:

WHEREAS, It would appear that serious abuse of the reciprocal privileges accorded to foreign motor trucks engaged in interstate transportation now exists; and

WHEREAS, This is harmful to those interests engaged in intrastate transportation and to the best interests of New Jersey; therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles be requested to exercise more vigorous supervision regarding the violation of the reciprocal privileges accorded to foreign motor trucks, at the ports of entry and exit of the State.

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported Senate Bill No. 262,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Siracusa, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 141,

Favorably, without amendment.

The Speaker requested Mr. Gopsill, of Monmouth County, to take the chair.

Mr. Gopsill assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 505, 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 taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled 'An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District,'" and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective

water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the construction of theatres, opera houses, grandstands and other public entertainment, in the municipalities of this State, which have no local building supervision,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State other than counties of the first class,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen twenty-six,"

Senate Bill No. 292, entitled "An act for the relief of Elwood B. Moore,"

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed October ninth, nineteen twenty-eight,

And

Senate Bill No. 141, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 497, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No. 497 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 498, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No. 498 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 499, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No. 499 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 500, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that Assembly Bill No. 500 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of amendment.

**Which motion was adopted.**

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same without amendments:

Senate Bills Nos. 6, Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 9, 11, 20, 28, 49, 50, 105, 162, Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 194, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 10 and 11.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asks its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 10, 160, 167, 172, 175, 236, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bills Nos. 291, 325, 348, 376, 410, 423, 457, 459, 506.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor, on April 16th, 1929,

Assembly Bills Nos. 3, 131, 492, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 13, 21, 36, 38, 61, 76, 79, Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 110, 121, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bills Nos. 155, 156, 199, 205, 244, 255, Committee Substitute for 271, 302, 309, 315, 320, Second Committee Substitute for Assembly Bills Nos. 324, 350, 360, 361, 370, 421, 501,

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Wednesday, April 17th, 1929, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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WEDNESDAY, April 17, 1929.

House met at 11 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. John Goorley, Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, Trenton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—26.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Powers, Purdy, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Weber—32.

The clerk announced that there was not a quorum present.

Mr. Knight moved that the house recess until 12.30 P. M.,

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle,

Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Roder—14.

**Mr. Knight** moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the clerk:

NEW JERSEY INTERSTATE BRIDGE AND TUNNEL  
COMMISSION

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
CANAL AND VARICK STREETS  
NEW YORK CITY

April 16, 1929.

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

GENTLEMEN:

In view of the complications which seem to have developed as to the continuance or non-continuance of the present membership of the New Jersey Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission which represented the State of New Jersey in the building of the Holland Tunnels and the Delaware Bridge, my duty to the State demands that I make clear to your honorable body that the loyal, efficient and honorable service given to these two great projects by its present membership from the inception of the work to the present time, with Holland Tunnels not yet completed, warrants the retaining of each of the members of the Commission in his present status, until the final work has been done. This will be accomplished by the end of this year.

I cannot consent to become a member of any new commission because I do not wish, at this date, to be burdened with a responsibility of an interruption caused by a reorganization.

It is my firm conviction that the interests of the State will be better served by not disturbing the present commission than by the disintegration of this present, splendid, effective and experienced organization.

Respectfully,

THEODORE BOETTGER,

*Chairman.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and filed,

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 16th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Concurrent resolution for the continuation of the Joint Commission appointed under a concurrent resolution of the Legislature of 1928, for the purpose of inquiring into the question of the elimination or alteration of railroad crossings.

WHEREAS, The Joint Commission appointed under the concurrent resolution adopted by the Legislature of 1928 has made a report to the effect that it would seem fair and just, and in the public interest, that legislation be enacted providing for the compulsory elimination or alteration of railroad crossings on State Highways and that the cost and expense thereof be equally divided as near as may be between the State and the railroad companies affected; and as to the elimination or alteration of railroad crossings on highways other than those included in State Highway System that the cost and expense should be divided equally between the railroad companies and the public, meaning the users of the highways, and that a means should be provided to pay the public share thereof and that the matter of elimination or alteration of railroad crossings is essentially a State problem, and

WHEREAS, By the enactment into law of Senate Bill No. 273, now Chapter 88, P. L. 1929, the recommendation of the commission as to the compulsory elimination or alteration of railroad crossings on highways included in the State Highway System is carried out in accordance with said recommendation, and

WHEREAS, A means of financing the cost and expense of elimination or alteration of railroad crossings on public highways other than those included in the State Highway System, should be provided before the enactment of legislation for that purpose,  
*Be It Resolved, by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring):*

1. There shall be appointed by the President of the Senate two members of the Senate, and by the Speaker of the House of Assembly, two members of the House, who shall constitute

a Joint Commission for the purpose of inquiring into the question of financing the public share of the cost of the alteration or elimination of railroad crossings on public highways other than those included in the State Highway System, on the basis of equal division of the cost thereof between the public and the railroad companies affected, and to make a report thereon at the next regular session of the Legislature including the formulation and presentation of an act for that purpose and to provide means for the financing of the public share of the cost and expense thereof.

2. The Commission shall organize by the selection of a chairman and secretary, and is authorized to request the State Highway Commission, the railroad companies and the Board of Public Utility Commissioners to furnish such information, cooperation and assistance as they can reasonably render for the accomplishment of this concurrent resolution.

3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Mr. Barison moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Mr. Knight moved that Mr. Barison's motion be laid on the table,

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker put Mr. Knight's original motion, that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution,

Which motion was adopted, and the resolution was concurred in.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported,

Assembly Bills Nos. 426, 290, 297, 511, 357, 393, 394, 395, 397, 37, 77, 388, 495, 84, 365, 496, 321, 507, 437, 452, 458, 464, 374, 84, C. S. 180, C. S. 478, C. S. 473, A. J. R. 21, as correctly printed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
 SENATE CHAMBER,  
 April 17th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 62, entitled "An act authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality,"

Assembly Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 352, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the sale of lands by cemetery companies,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 367, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning cemeteries,' approved April twenty-first one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 378, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing limited appropriations for the relief and education of certain indigent children in the cities of this State,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 412, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Somerdale, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 413, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 414, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Valley in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 416, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Lindenwold, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 418, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 420, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Pine Hill, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 443, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 449, entitled "An act concerning trust funds created by public subscription for the support and maintenance of widows and children of deceased members of the police and fire departments of municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 461, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 482, entitled "An act to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden,"

Assembly Bill No. 506, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," amended April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Haines, Litwin—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. 426, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved February twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Leap, Vanderbach—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. Altman asked unanimous consent to amend Assembly Bill No. 290 on third reading.

There being no objection, consent was granted.

Mr. Altman offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 290 on third reading:

Which was read by the Clerk.

Page 17, line 2, after the word "nine", add the following:

And furthermore this act shall not affect the practice of osteopathy or chiropractic as they are now practiced.

Mr. Altman moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 290 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Altman moved that Assembly Bill No. 290 lie over,

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Pierson asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 511, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Pierson moved that the rules be suspended, and that Assembly Bill No. 511 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,' which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pierson, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State Boards of Health and a Bureau of Vital Statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by act approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen and as further amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker requested Mrs. Summers, of Passaic County, to take the chair.

Mrs. Summers assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 393, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Young—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. Leap asked unanimous consent to amend Assembly Bill No 394 on third reading:

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Leap offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 394 on third reading:

Amend page 1, lines 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 by striking out the following words:

"WHEREAS, A bill of complaint has lately been exhibited against you in our Court of Chancery by \_\_\_\_\_ to be relieved touching the matters therein contained:

Therefore we command you, if you intend to make a defense, that you file an answer to said bill in the office of the clerk of our court at Trenton, on or before the expiration of twenty days

from and after the \_\_\_\_\_ day of (return day) and in default thereof such order or decree will be made against you as the court shall think equitable and just."

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Leap moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 394 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 394, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,' which said supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 395, entitled "An act relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgages against loss,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson,

Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Rittenhouse, Young—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.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bills Nos. 512 and 514,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restriction, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,' which amendment was approved October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 514, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 512 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage, without printing.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting author-

ity to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,' which amendment was approved October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight moved that the House recess until 2:15 P. M.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, Morrison, Muir, Parentini, Roder—15.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 99 and 163,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 107, with the following Assembly committee amendments:

Section 1, by striking out the word "the" at the end of line 10, striking out all of line 11 and the following words in line 12P: "prior to the date of the passage of this act; *provided, further,*".

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee Amendments to Senate Bill No. 107.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1,

Favorably without amendment.

Mr. Edgar, Chairman of the Committee on Militia, reported

Assembly Bill No. 513,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted,"

And

Assembly Bill No 513, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the employment of disabled soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses, in the service of the State or municipality thereof, and providing a penalty for violation thereof, approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to limit the time within which persons claiming under certain deeds may contest the validity of the titles to land acquired by persons claiming under certain judicial sales or the priority of certain liens,"

Senate Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act validating the sale of certain lands, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 17th, 1929. }

*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. 54, entitled "An act to promote the public health and safety; to provide for the elimination of unsanitary and unsafe structures now used for dwelling purposes in cities of the first class in this State; to authorize the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation, of such structures, together with the land upon which they stand; the construction thereon of new dwellings, and to provide for the letting of the same and of apartments therein at reasonable rentals,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to promote the public health and safety; to provide for the elimination of unsanitary and unsafe structures now used for dwelling purposes in cities

of this State; to authorize the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation, of such structures, together with the land upon which they stand; the construction thereon of new dwellings, and to provide for the letting of the same and of apartments therein at reasonable rentals,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 17th, 1929. }

*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. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland tunnel commission and defining its powers and duties,"

And

Senate Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the abandonment of navigation upon the Morris Canal and providing for the dismantling of the canal and the disposition of portions of the property, the title to which is now held in trust for the State of New Jersey by the Morris Canal and Banking Company upon terms and compensation fixed by said Morris Canal and Banking Company, and providing for the review of said terms and compensation by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New Jersey, and further providing for the management and control of such property pending the disposition thereof,' approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate Message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

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. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

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. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the abandonment of navigation upon the Morris Canal and providing for the dismantling of the canal and the disposition of portions of the property, the title to which is now held in trust for the State of New Jersey by the Morris Canal and Banking Company upon terms and compensation fixed by said Morris Canal and Banking Company, and providing for the review of said terms and compensation by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New Jersey, and further providing for the management and control of such property pending the disposition thereof,' approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
April 16th, 1929.	

*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. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of seventy years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

And

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, and to repeal certain sections thereof,

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of seventy years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

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. 221, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading, and referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations.

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, and to repeal certain sections thereof,

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, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 17th, 1929. }

*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 263, entitled "An act concerning salaries in certain second-class cities of this State,"

With the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263:

In line nine, after the word "presented" add the following words, "by the appointing official, board, commission or body."

In line twelve, after the word "commission" commence a new sentence reading as follows: "nothing in this act contained shall be construed to authorize the decreasing of the salary of any officer, employees or person holding position."

Were read by the clerk.

Mrs. Summers moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263:

In line nine, after the word "presented" add the following words, "by the appointing official, board, commission or body."

In line twelve, after the word "commission" commence a new sentence reading as follows: "nothing in this act contained shall be construed to authorize the decreasing of the salary of any officer, employees or person holding position."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mrs. Summers moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 263 :

In line nine, after the word "presented" add the following words, "by the appointing official, board, commission or body."

In line twelve, after the word "commission" commence a new sentence reading as follows: "nothing in this act contained shall be construed to authorize the decreasing of the salary of any officer, employees or person holding position."

Were taken, and, on motion of Mrs. Summers, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 263 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 17th, 1929. }

*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. 125, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for

the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 381, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 391, entitled "An act to annex a portion of the township of Lopatcong in the county of Warren, to the town of Phillipsburg, in the county of Warren,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 479, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

All with the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate Message was taken up, and Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 125:

On page one, paragraph one, line three, before the word "more" in said line, insert the following: "now or hereafter."

On page one, paragraph one, line four, before the word "eight" in said line, insert the following: "not less than six thousand nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line five, before the word "five" in said line, insert "not less than four nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line six, at the end of said line add the following: "provided, however, that in cities located in counties of the first class, having a population of between thirty thousand and sixty thousand inhabitants, in which there is now, or may hereafter be constituted and established a district court, the judges of such courts shall each receive an annual salary of not less than thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) nor more than

five thousand dollars (\$5,000); which said salaries shall be fixed by resolution of the governing body of any such cities."

Were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 125 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly No. 125:

On page one, paragraph one, line three, before the word "more" in said line, insert the following: "now or hereafter."

On page one, paragraph one, line four, before the word "eight" in said line, insert the following: "not less than six thousand nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line five, before the word "five" in said line, insert "not less than four nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line six, at the end of said line add the following: "*provided, however,* that in cities located in counties of the first class, having a population of between thirty thousand and sixty thousand inhabitants, in which there is now, or may hereafter be constituted and established a district court, the judges of such courts shall each receive an annual salary of not less than thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) nor more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000); which said salaries shall be fixed by resolution of the governing body of any such cities."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 125 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly No. 125:

On page one, paragraph one, line three, before the word "more" in said line, insert the following: "now or hereafter "

On page one, paragraph one, line four, before the word "eight" in said line, insert the following: "not less than six thousand nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line five, before the word "five" in said line, insert "not less than four nor more than."

On page one, paragraph one, line six, at the end of said line add the following: "*provided, however,* that in cities located in

counties of the first class, having a population of between thirty thousand and sixty thousand inhabitants, in which there is now, or may hereafter be constituted and established a district court, the judges of such courts shall each receive an annual salary of not less than thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) nor more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000); which said salaries shall be fixed by resolution of the governing body of any such cities."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 125 concurred in.

Senate Amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294:

Paragraph one, line two, strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line three, strike out the word "state".

Line four, strike out the words "ment, in detail" and insert in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line six, after the words "in said statement, a" strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line eleven, strike out the period and add "*provided, however,* that this act shall not apply to any municipality having a population of less than five thousand "

Were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294, be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294:

Paragraph one, line two, strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line three, strike out the word "state".

Line four, strike out the words "ment, in detail" and insert in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line six, after the words "in said statement, a" strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line eleven, strike out the period and add "*provided, however,* that this act shall not apply to any municipality having a population of less than five thousand."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294:

Paragraph one, line two, strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line three, strike out the word "state".

Line four, strike out the words "ment, in detail" and insert in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line six, after the words "in said statement, a" strike out the word "statement" and substitute in lieu thereof the word "summary".

Line eleven, strike out the period and add "*provided, however,* that this act shall not apply to any municipality having a population of less than five thousand."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Marini under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Stein, Sterner, Pursel, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate Amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 294 concurred in.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 38:

On page one, line nine, after the word "mortgages" in said line strike out the semicolon, and insert the following: "on real estate located within the State of New Jersey".

Were read by the clerk.

Mr. Pierson moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 381 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 381:

On page one, line nine, after the word "mortgages" in said line strike out the semicolon, and insert the following: "on real estate located within the State of New Jersey".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Pierson moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 381 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Assembly No. 381:

On page one, line nine, after the word "mortgages" in said line strike out the semicolon, and insert the following: "on real estate located within the State of New Jersey."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pierson under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs: Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolini, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 381, concurred in.

Senate amendment to Assembly No. 391 :

Amend Assembly 391 by striking out the words "the within boundaries, viz" and inserting in lieu thereof "the boundaries hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby set off from the township of Lopatcong and annexed to and included in the town of Phillipsburg, said territory being described as follows:."

Was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Pursel moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 391 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendment to Assembly No. 391 :

Amend Assembly 391 by striking out the words "the within boundaries, viz" and inserting in lieu thereof "the boundaries hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby set off from the township of Lopatcong and annexed to and included in the town of Phillipsburg, said territory being described as follows:."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Pursel moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 391 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendment to Assembly No. 391 :

Amend Assembly 391 by striking out the words "the within boundaries, viz" and inserting in lieu thereof "the boundaries hereinafter described, be and the same is hereby set off from the township of Lopatcong and annexed to and included in the town of Phillipsburg, said territory being described as follows:."

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pursel under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair,

Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 391 concurred in.

Senate amendments to Assembly No. 479:

Amend line six, section thirty-five after the word "Cecil" by striking out the following: "(Wey-"

Amend line seven, section thirty-five, by striking out the following: "mouth),"

Were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 479 be advanced to second reading.

Which motion was adopted

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 479:

Amend line six, section thirty-five, after the word "Cecil" by striking out the following: "(Wey-"

Amend line seven, section thirty-five, by striking out the following: "mouth),"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 479 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 479:

Amend line six, section thirty-five, after the word "Cecil" by striking out the following: "(Wey-"

Amend line seven, section thirty-five, by striking out the following: "mouth),"

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lit-

win, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

**In the negative—None.**

The Speaker declared Senate Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 479 concurred in.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 346,

**Favorably, without amendment.**

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 272,

**Favorably, without amendment.**

Mr. Kautz, Chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported Senate Bill No. 254,

**Favorably, without amendment.**

Assembly Bill No. 346, entitled "An act relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this State,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted, and to have a third reading.

Senate No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, and to repeal certain sections thereof,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that the Committee on Public Health be relieved from further custody of Senate Bill No. 294.

**Which motion was adopted.**

Mr. Knight moved that Senate Bill No. 294 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 397, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Court of Chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 37, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, approved March thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. 77, entitled "An act to amend 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, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 388, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the court of chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Smock, Young—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. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, in consideration of a conveyance by said Corporation or one of its subsidiaries, to the State of New Jersey, or its nominee, of lands owned by said company or companies in the City of New Brunswick, and in the Township of North Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Haines, Litwin, Pierson.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight asked for the record on Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Was taken up, read a third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bethke, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—28.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Kuser, Litwin, Mercolino, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach, Young—11.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 84 lost.

Mr. Barbour moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 84 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918),"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker requested Mr. Altman of Atlantic County, to take the Chair.

Mr. Altman assumed the Chair.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled, "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of any municipality of this State."

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 21, entitled "Assembly Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and four citizens to be selected by the Governor, two of whom shall be representatives of the Outdoor Advertising Association of New Jersey, one of the Federation of Women's Clubs and one of the Gardens' Clubs in this State, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing outdoor advertising should be enacted,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 496, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Morris,'"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray,, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel,

Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 143, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Duszynski, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Edgar, Kalamen—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. 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Leap, Marini, McWilliams, Newcomb, Stewart, Wettstein—7.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—26.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 321 lost.

Mr. Smock moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 321 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled "An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District," and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners; and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up and read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

• Senate Bills Nos. 54, 55, 56,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 54 be advanced to second reading,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to promote the public health and safety; to provide for the elimination of unsanitary and unsafe structures now used for dwelling purposes in cities of this State; to authorize the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation, of such structures, together with the land upon which they stand; the construction thereon of new dwellings, and to provide for the letting of the same and of apartments therein at reasonable rentals,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 55 be advanced to second reading,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 56 be advanced to second reading,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of seventy years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,'"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 437, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pierson under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Spair asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 141 which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Spair moved that Assembly Bill No. 141 be recommitted to the committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

The Speaker resumed the chair and requested Mr. Leap, of Salem County, to assume the chair.

Mr. Leap assumed the chair.

Assembly Bill No. 452, 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,'"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Mercolino under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 54 which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 54 be taken up a third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to promote the public health and safety; to provide for the elimination of unsanitary and unsafe structures now used for dwelling purposes in cities of this State; to authorize the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation, of such structures, together with the land upon which they stand; the construction thereon of new dwellings, and to

provide for the letting of the same and of apartments therein at reasonable rentals,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said bill, and that the Clerk carry it to the Senate and inform the Senate that the House of Assembly has passed that same, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 55, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 55 be taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 55, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker,) Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Micolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 292, entitled "An act for the relief of Elwood D. Moore,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 458, entitled "An act for the payment of a bonus to each soldier, or a dependent or dependents thereof, who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the war between the United States and the German Empire and its allies,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mrs. Summers, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker resumed the Chair.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto cars, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Barbour asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 84, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Barbour moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 84 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner,

Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Barbour moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 84 was lost be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and Assembly Bill No. 84 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barbour, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Gabrielson, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. Siracusa asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 23. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following Joint Resolution was introduced and was read for the first time by the title:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 23, entitled "Joint Resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, two members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and two master electricians to be appointed by the Governor of the State of New Jersey, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the question of the licensing of master electricians in this State and the formulating of legislation in connection therewith,"

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No 23 be advanced to second reading forthwith.

Which motion was adopted

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 23, entitled "Joint Resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, two members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and two master electricians to be appointed by the Governor of the State of New Jersey, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the question of the licensing of master electricians in this State and the formulating of legislation in connection therewith,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No 23 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 23, entitled "Joint Resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate, two members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and two master electricians to be appointed by the Governor of the State of New Jersey, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the question

of the licensing of master electricians in this State and the formulating of legislation in connection therewith,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Siracusa asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No. 515. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title, ordered printed and referred to committee as follows:

By Mr. Siracusa:

Assembly Bill No. 515, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Pursel, Roder, Stein, Stewart—21.

Senate Bill No. 256, entitled "An act authorizing the correction of errors and omissions which have occurred or may occur in the apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes on gross receipts of street railways, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in this State,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Rittenhouse, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Syracuse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 241, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the construction of theatres, opera houses, grandstands and other public entertainment, in the municipalities of this State, which have no local building supervision,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Sira-

cusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 260, entitled "An act authorizing municipalities bordering upon the Atlantic Ocean to create and regulate a separate fund for the operation of radio stations and/or municipal convention halls in said municipalities,"

Was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 214, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Powers, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 85, entitled "An act to provide for the control and use of county roads in this State,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Jones, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 83, entitled "An act concerning the distribution for advertising and educational purposes of a comprehensive book entitled 'New Jersey—Life, Industries and Resources of a Great State,'"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kautz under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 248, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter

having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants; providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Marini under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative was—

Mr. Gabrielson—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 Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the Joint Commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mechanics' Lien Commission,' in order to further revise the present mechanics' lien laws, and for the purpose of further inquiring and ascertaining what legislative enactments are necessary concerning the laws relating to mechanics' liens,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, the rules were suspended, and it was read for the third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Pierson, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—25.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hand, Kalamen, Litwin, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Siracusa, Sterner, Weber—10.

The Speaker declared Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 lost.

Mr. Litwin, moved that the vote by which Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 464, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean having a population of not less than twenty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants," approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,'"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Smock, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Stein, Wise—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.

Mr. Wise moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships reported

Assembly Bill No. 445.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 497 with the following Committee Amendment.

Page three, paragraph five, line one, strike out the words: "July fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine." and substitute the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty."

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendment to Assembly Bill No. 497.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 498, with the following Committee amendments:

On page three, after paragraph six, add the following:

"7. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to apply to any person performing labor which is to be paid for within two weeks from the date of performance, and payment for which labor does not exceed the sum of two hundred dollars, nor to any person furnishing materials on any building the cost of which in the aggregate shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars."

Page three, paragraph seven, line one, strike out the numeral "7" and substitute the numeral "8".

Page three, paragraph eight, line one, strike out the numeral "8" and substitute the numeral "9".

Page three, paragraph eight, line one, strike out the words "July fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine" and substitute the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty"

Which were read by the Clerk:

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 498.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 499, with the following committee amendments:

Page one, paragraph two, line one, strike out the words "July fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine" and substitute the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 499.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 500, with the following committee amendments:

Page one, paragraph two, line one, strike out the words "July fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine" and substitute the words "February first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No. 500,

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 17th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 343, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 440, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Wettstein sent the following report to the desk which was read by the Clerk:

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

By the terms of Joint Resolution No. 4, approved March 28, 1927, the undersigned were,

“appointed and constituted commissioners of the State of New Jersey to confer with like commissioners representing the State of Delaware, for the purpose of framing a compact or agreement between the said States and legislation consequent thereon, to be submitted to the Legislature of said two States for action thereon, looking to the final adjustment of all controversies relating to the boundary line between said States and to their respective rights in the Delaware River and Bay.”

The said commissioners were directed to report at the then present or some subsequent session of the Legislature.

A similar resolution was adopted by the Delaware Legislature and commissioners appointed thereunder, and subsequently the Joint Commission met, organized and held two sessions without definite result.

Afterwards, two members of the Delaware Commission died, two resigned, and at the 1929 Session of the Delaware Legislature the Governor was authorized to appoint a new commission.

There have been two meetings of the Joint Commission, as now constituted, one in Wilmington and one in Bridgeton, without reaching an agreement.

Your commission respectfully recommends that the matter of the boundary line controversy between the two States be referred to the Attorney-General to the end that appropriate action be taken in the Supreme Court of the United States to fix and determine the boundary line between New Jersey and Delaware from the Pennsylvania line, through the Delaware River and Bay, to the Atlantic Ocean.

The Delaware commissioners have given assurance that they will make a similar recommendation to the Governor of Delaware.

Respectfully submitted April 16, 1929.

(Signed) WALTER H. BACON,  
 (Signed) J. FORMAN SINICKSON,  
 (Signed) JOSEPH N. FOWLER,  
 (Signed) AUGUSTUS J. MEERWALD,  
 (Signed) J. GILBERT BORTON,

*Commissioners.*

Mr. Knight moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Siracusa, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 196.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported°

Senate Bills Nos. 144, 147, 294 and 74,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 445, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 498, entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),'

As amended.

Assembly Bill No. 499, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled '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,"

As amended.

And

Assembly Bill No. 500, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

As amended.

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Senate Bill No. 294, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy of this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Senate Bill No. 74, entitled "An act to enable counties of this State, which have no county hospital, to aid and assist in supporting and maintaining contagious buildings and pavilions permanently maintained by any hospital or hospitals located in such county,"

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same with amendments and requests its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 47, 94, 45.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendments:

Senate Bills Nos. 87, 100, 112, 117, 120, 121, 122, 150, 192, 202, 211, 212, 222, 225, 257, 299.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and requests its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 178, 253, 264, 297, 357, 393, 395, 426, 475, 511, Committee Substitute for Assembly 478, Committee Substitute for Assembly 33.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reports having delivered to the Governor on April 17th, 1929.

Assembly Bills Nos. 306, 352, 367, 378, 412, 413, 414, 416, 418, 420, 443, 449, 461, 482, Committee Substitute for Assembly 62, Committee Substitute for Assembly 343 and 440, 95 with Senate amendments, 120 and 132 with Senate amendments.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Barison, of Hudson County, moved that all bills and resolutions passed by the House be signed forthwith by the Speaker, and sent forthwith by the Clerk to the Senate, and that Rule 73 of the House be suspended for the remainder of the session,

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess until 8 15 P M

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened at 8:15 P. M Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—38

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stewart, Vanderbach and Young—20.

Mr. Knight moved that pursuant to the previous arrangements Mrs. Stelle be requested by the Speaker to assume the chair in order to conduct the social session, which motion was adopted

The Speaker requested Mrs Stelle to take the chair.

Mrs. Stelle assumed the chair, and the House recessed during the social session.

The Speaker resumed the chair and

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—38.

**Absent—**

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Gopsill, Greenberg, Huelsenbeck, McDermott, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Powers, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stewart, Vanderbach, Young—20.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted :

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Saturday, April 20th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it adjourn to meet Monday, April 22d, 1929, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Knight moved the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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SATURDAY, April 20th, 1929.

At 12 o'clock noon the House met.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Powers, Spair and Bethke.

Mr. Powers, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., April 22d, 1929.

MONDAY, April 22d, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. David J. Spratt, Pastor of the Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church of North Plainfield, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, Roder, McDermott—3.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills reported Assembly Bills Nos. 239, 139, 140, 307, 509, 339, 446, 320, 433, 434, 455, A. J. R. 16, as correctly printed.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk.

April 17th, 1929.

*To the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, State House, Trenton, N. J.:*

GENTLEMEN—An unfortunate circumstance has developed due to the introduction and action upon a bill to revise the Commission having charge of the completion of construction and operation of the Holland Tunnel.

It has been my pleasure to serve the State of New Jersey in connection with the building of the tunnel for a period of nineteen years. During the years of construction the burden of the work has naturally fallen upon the four representatives of the

New Jersey Interstate Bridge & Tunnel Commission selected from North Jersey, and in view of the fact that the construction is so near completion I cannot see any reason for disturbing the personnel of the Commission and believe that those who have done this work should be permitted to continue in office until the completion of the work

I would not feel it in keeping with good taste to accept an appointment to the new Commission unless it continued in office until completion of the tunnels those who have been most active in its construction.

Respectfully,

WELLER H. NOYES

Mr. Knight moved the communication be received and filed

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Otto offered the following concurrent resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved by the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No. 95 be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of further consideration.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call,

Which motion was carried

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—55.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, McDermott and Roder—3

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties

for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker made the following announcement:

Pursuant to the provisions adopted by concurrent resolution providing for a continuation of the Railroad Grade Crossing Elimination Commission, he appointed Mr. Gopsill, of Monmouth, and Mr. Morrison, of Middlesex, as members to represent the House of Assembly.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 22d, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the House of Assembly (The Senate concurring), That Assembly Bill No. 95 be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of further consideration.*

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Stewart asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 122, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved that Assembly Bill No. 122 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act for the relief of Gertrude Clayton,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act for the relief of Laura V. McGee,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Miss Jones asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 147, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Jones moved that Senate Bill No. 147 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 307, entitled "An act relating to the making and keeping of the records in the office of the clerk, register of deeds, and mortgages and surrogates of the counties of this State,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Edgar, Kalamen, Stein—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. Stewart asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 152, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved that Senate Bill No. 152 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to make a preliminary survey for the purpose of thereafter constructing an interstate vehicular bridge from Staten Island across Raritan Bay to a point in the northerly part of Monmouth County, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Sterner, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 293, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a civil service commission, and defining its powers and duties,'" approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,' which said supplement was approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Wettstein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Haines, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Sterner, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Otto asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 95, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Otto moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 95 was passed be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Otto asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to amend Assembly Bill No. 95 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Otto offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 95 on third reading, which was read by the Clerk:

Amend title to Assembly Bill No. 95 by striking out the words "five thousand" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one thousand".

Mr. Otto moved the adoption of the amendment of Assembly Bill No. 95 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Otto moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 95, as amended, be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 95, entitled "An act to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over one thousand,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Otto, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Stewart asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 516.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and read for the first time by the title:

By Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill No. 516, entitled "An act to validate proceedings heretofore had by school districts authorizing the issuance of bonds,

Mr. Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and Assembly Bill No. 516 be advanced to second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 516, entitled "An act to validate proceedings heretofore had by school districts authorizing the issuance of bonds,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No 516 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 516, entitled "An act to validate proceedings heretofore had by school districts authorizing the issuance of bonds,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Wise presented the report of the commission appointed under Joint Resolution No 11 of the Session of 1928 (P. L. 1928, p 805) "to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries, and Arthur Kill, in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union, for the promotion, in said area, of commerce, manufacturing and transportation," and moved that the said report be received and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 254, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, and to repeal certain sections thereof,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Kalamen, Rittenhouse—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. 339, entitled "An act for the relief of John H. Enright,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Gopsill, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—  
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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 22d, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the Governor be requested to return Senate Bill No. 162 for further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Hand moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Stein offered the following concurrent resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No. 320, forthwith; for the purpose of further consideration.

A message was received from the Senate, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 22d, 1929

*Mr Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following joint resolution:

Assembly joint Resolution No. 18, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October 11th, 1929; establishing a commission to be known as the New Jersey Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission; and designating October 11th, 1929, as General Pulaski's Memorial Day,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 22d, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 33, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and, as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department, and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor,' approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

Assembly Bill No. 235, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulating, planting, care and control of trees and shrubbery upon the public highways in the counties of the State,' approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 268, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 325, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State, and constituting a municipal Board of Fire and Police Commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such board, and vesting in such board certain powers of management and appointment now vested in other departments or offices in such cities, and providing for the maintenance of such board," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven',"

Assembly Bill No. 387, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for overflow of the tide, or the filling in, of the lands contained within the bounds of any meadow company, heretofore organized by virtue of the provisions of any special or general act of the Legislature of this State; to provide funds, to defray the expenses thereof and to protect adjoining meadows, or other lands from damages, and to assess a portion of the cost thereon on such adjoining lands,' which act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 494, entitled "An act for the relief of Maude Weeks,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 511, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto,' which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

All without amendment

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 22d, 1929. }

*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. 164, entitled "An act authorizing and regulating the use of probation and the suspension of sentence in certain courts and providing for the appointment of probation officers and defining their powers and duties (Revision of 1929),"

And

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to establish Juvenile and Domestic Relations Courts, defining their jurisdiction, powers and duties, and regulating procedure therein (Revision of 1929),"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Miss Jones asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 164 which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 164 be advanced to second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "An act authorizing and regulating the use of probation and the suspension of sentence in certain courts and providing for the appointment of probation officers and defining their powers and duties (Revision of 1929),"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Huelsenback moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 164 be advanced to third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 164, entitled "An act authorizing and regulating the use of probation and the suspension of sentence in certain courts and providing for the appointment of probation officers and defining their powers and duties (Revision of 1929),"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenback, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Sirock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Huelsenbeck asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 165, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 165 be advanced to second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to establish Juvenile and Domestic Relations Courts, defining their jurisdiction, powers and duties, and regulating procedure therein (Revision of 1929),"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 165 be advanced to third reading and final passage

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 165, entitled "An act to establish Juvenile and Domestic Relations Courts, defining their jurisdiction, powers and duties, and regulating procedure therein (Revision of 1929),"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 22d, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring) that the Governor be and is hereby requested to return to the House of Assembly, Assembly Bill No 320, forthwith, for the purpose of further consideration.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Hand asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 446, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr Hand asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to amend Assembly Bill No. 446, on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Hand offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 446 on third reading, which were read by the clerk:

Amend the title by striking out the words "State University of New Jersey" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Rutgers College".

Section 1, line 1, after the word "the" strike out the words "State University of New Jersey" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Rutgers College".

Section 2, line 2, after the word "department" insert the words "instruction in the principles and practice of the profession" and also strike out the word "law".

Section 2, line 3, after the word "the" strike out the words "State University of New Jersey" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Rutgers College".

Section 2, line 4, after the word "the" strike out the words "State University".

Section 2, line 5, strike out the words "of New Jersey" and insert in lieu thereof "Rutgers College".

Mr. Hand moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No 446 on third reading,

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 446, entitled "An act authorizing the State University of New Jersey to provide for instruction in the principles and practice of the real estate profession,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Hand, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marin, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, D'Elia, Mercolino, Parentini, Vanderbach—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.

Miss Haines asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Haines moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 was lost be taken from the table,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalafnen, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Knight, Leap, McWilliams, Newcomb, Purdy, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—14.

Miss Haines moved that the vote by which Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 was lost be reconsidered,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson, F. J., Knight, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Purdy, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—14.

The Speaker declared Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22 reconsidered.

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 22, entitled "An act to regulate the employment of resident and nonresident children in this State,"

Was taken, and, on motion of Miss Haines, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Siracusa, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Hanson, F. J., Knight, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Siracusa asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 517. There being no objection, consent was granted.

Assembly Bill No. 517, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented,"

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker requested Mr. Gopsill to take the chair.

Mr. Gopsill assumed the chair.

Mr. Stein asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 320, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Stein moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 320 was passed be reconsidered.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Stein asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to amend Assembly Bill No. 320 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Stein offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 320 on third reading which was read by the Clerk.

Amend Section 1, line 1, after the word "population," strike out the words "according to the last State census".

Mr. Stein moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 320 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gop-sill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Carty, Mercolino, Vanderbach—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. 433, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of painting, the use of paints containing certain materials and for other purposes,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mrs. Stelle, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Litwin, Mercolino, Newcomb, Peters, Powers, Siracusa, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach—17.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Compton, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—23.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 433 lost.

Assembly Bill No. 434, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the sale of paints; to provide for true labels for the same when offered for sale; for the enforcement of this act by the State chemist; for penalties for the violation of the same, and for other purposes,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mrs. Stelle, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Litwin, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Summers—18.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Hand, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Siracusa, Stelle, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—19.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 434 lost.

Mrs. Stelle moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 434 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Wise moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 23, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

Assembly Bill No. 455, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commission and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Pier-son, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Wettstein, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 115, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of fishing interests of the State of New Jersey," approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy,' which said supplement was approved September twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Huelsenbeck, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. Wise moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means reported

Assembly Bill No. 192,

With the following committee amendments :

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 5, strike out the words "nine thousand dollars" and the figures "\$9,000" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "eight thousand dollars (\$8,000)".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 192.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 515,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 49,

With the following committee amendments :

On page 1, strike out all of paragraph 2.

On page 2, paragraph 3, change the figure 3 to the figure 2.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Baxter moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 49.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 25,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 171, 174,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 295,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 290 and Senate Bill No. 182,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Leap, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 221,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Assembly Bill No. 517,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Senate Bill No. 147,

With the following committee amendment :

Amend section 2, line 5, by striking out the words "remaining members" and in lieu thereof insert the word "Governor".

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee Amendment to Senate Bill No. 147.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported  
Senate Bill No. 152,

With the following committee amendment :

Paragraph 3, line 2, strike out the words "remaining member" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Governor".

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee Amendment to Senate Bill No. 152.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Assembly Bill No. 90,

With the following committee amendments:

On line 3, after the word "person" insert "whether acting or assuming to act on his or her own behalf".

On line 3, strike out the word "the" and insert instead the word "as".

On line 3, between the words "any" and the word "corporation" insert "co-partnership, firm association or".

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 90.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 28,

With the following committee amendment:

Section 17, line 11½, after the word "committee" add the words "or State Committee".

Which was read by the clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved the adoption of the committee amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act relating to the compensation of judges of the Court of Common Pleas in certain counties of this State,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 515, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commissions and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

As amended,

Assembly Bill No. 517, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896),

approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented,”

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘A supplement to an act entitled “An act for the punishment of crimes” (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,’ approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,”

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 28, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘An act to regulate elections’ (Revision, 1920), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,”

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 25, entitled “An act relating to the filing of plans and specifications in the building departments of the State of New Jersey, and the various municipalities thereof and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof,”

Senate Bill No. 171, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘An act concerning building and loan associations’ (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,”

Senate Bill No. 174, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘An act concerning building and loan associations’ (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,”

Senate Bill No. 295, entitled “A supplement to an act entitled ‘An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,’ approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,”

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled “An act relating to testamentary trusts,”

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled “An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland tunnel commission and defining its powers and duties,”

As amended,

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended.

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Burlington,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reported having delivered to the Governor on April 22, 1929, Assembly Bills Nos. 381 with Senate amendments, 125, 263, Committee Substitute for Assembly 294, 391, 479, 325, Committee Substitute for Assembly 33, 511, A. J. R. 18, 235, 268, 387, 494

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asks its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 37, 77, 84, 365, 388, 397, 437, 452, 458, 464, 495, 496, 507, Committee Substitute for Assembly 180, Committee Substitute for Assembly 473, A. J. R. No. 21, 316, 140, 307, 509, 139, 239, A. J. R. No. 16, Assembly Concurrent Resolution 1, A. J. R. No. 23, 394.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, all without amendments:

Senate Bills Nos. 54, 55, 85, 143, 214, 248, 256, 260, 292, 241, 297, Committee Substitute for Senate 83, 164, 165, 254, Committee Substitute for Senate 293.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

TUESDAY, April 23d, 1929.

House met at twelve o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. Walter Shearer, Pastor of the Bethel Lutheran Church of Trenton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—52.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucinino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Litwin, McDermott and Roder—6.

Mr. Stewart moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills reported Assembly Bills Nos. 28, 445, 467, 513, 515 and 517 as correctly printed.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 23d, 1929. }

*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. 245, entitled "An act to regulate fishing by vessels, other than those engaged in the taking of menhaden, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean, within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, with shirred or purse seines, otter or beam trawls, and to require a license for such fishing,"

And

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "A further 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,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to regulate fishing by vessels, other than those engaged in the taking of menhaden, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean, within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, with shirred or purse seines, otter or beam trawls, and to require a license for such fishing,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "A further 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 read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 23d, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following Joint Resolution:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "Joint resolution concerning the boundary line between the States of New Jersey and Delaware in the Delaware River and Delaware Bay,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "Joint resolution concerning the boundary line between the States of New Jersey and Delaware in the Delaware River and Delaware Bay,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 23d, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 422, 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),"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," amended April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,

And

Assembly Bill No. 484, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to Circuit Court judges in counties of the first class in this State,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 23d, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following Joint Resolution:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22, entitled "A joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to revise the Federal Income Tax Law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reports Senate Bill No. 286.

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Siracusa, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reports Senate Bill No. 203.

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Senate Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 10, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities' (Revision of 1924),"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Gapsill under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 56, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of seventy years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Miss Haines, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of members of boards of chosen freeholders, directors of boards of chosen freeholders and county

supervisors in certain counties of this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 107, entitled "An act validating the sale of certain lands, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Weber, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Spr.), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative were—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments and request its concurrence therein.

Mrs. Peters asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 108, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mrs. Peters asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to amend Senate Bill No. 108 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mrs. Peters offered the following Assembly amendment to Senate Bill No. 108 on third reading which were read by the clerk.

Amend Senate No. 108, section 1, line 1, by adding a comma after the word "State" and inserting the following words: "other than a county having a population in excess of five hundred thousand".

Mrs. Peters moved the adoption of the amendment to Senate Bill No. 108 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Mrs. Peters moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 108 be taken up on third reading and final passage,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to authorize counties to appropriate moneys for the maintenance of charitable hospitals in such counties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mrs. Peters, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Hüelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pier-son, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 128, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks," approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Piereson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 144, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Piereson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Jones, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No. 182, entitled "An act relating to testamentary trusts,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Jones, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 179, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pierson, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 186, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Newcomb, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Leap, Marini, Parentini, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Wise—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. 198, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Rittenhouse, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Sir-

cusca, Smock, Stellè, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 200, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities of the second class which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than twenty thousand,' approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seven,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Wettstein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 289, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Pursel, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck,

Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 217, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," which amendment was itself approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-four,' and which further amendment was approved February third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Purdy, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,' approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four. and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Mercolino, Parentini, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Vanderbach—16.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 74, entitled "An act to enable counties of this State, which have no county hospital, to aid and assist in supporting and maintaining contagious buildings and pavilions permanently maintained by any hospital or hospitals located in such county,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. Knight moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names.

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—50.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Greenberg, Hanson, F. J., McDermott, Roder, Spair, Vanderbach—8.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, The hour of the day having arrived which has been fixed for a joint session as provided for by the Senate and the House of Assembly by concurrent resolution,

*Be it Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House of Assembly is hereby directed to forthwith notify the President of the Senate that the House of Assembly awaits the presence of the Senate in the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Barison moved that the vote of Mr. Kalamen on Senate Bill No. 237 be stricken from the records and that the Speaker declare said bill lost.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the motion of Mr. Barison be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 237 was passed be reconsidered

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hol-

linshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Bill No. 237 reconsidered and placed back on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 258, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning free public libraries,' approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Rittenhouse, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Miss Jones asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 232, which was furnished by the clerk.

Miss Jones moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 232 was lost be taken from the table.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 262, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed October ninth, nineteen twenty-eight,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kautz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—45.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Duszynski, Parentini, Vanderbach—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise  
47.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hanson, McDermott, Roder, Spair, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—11.

Mr. Knight moved that the House do now arise for the purpose of going into joint session for the purpose of electing a State Director of Railroads to fill the unexpired term of the late Joshua E. Borton, of Burlington County.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened after the joint session.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Casini, Compton, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

Absent—

Messrs. Bucino, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hanson, Jones, Leap, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Stein—11.

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his secretary, as follows:

Which was read by the clerk.

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,	
<i>To the Legislature:</i>	April 23d, 1929.	

After several years of serious study of the water situation of this State there has been submitted for the approval of the Legislature Senate Bill No. 98.

This bill proposes to give general supervision over all sources of potable and public water supplies of the State, to the end that the same may be developed for the general public use, and in principle offers a solution of this very vexing problem.

In my opinion some action for the proper conservation and development of the potable water supplies of this State is appropriate at this time, and if such a measure is adopted by the Legislature it will receive my approval.

I earnestly recommend to the Legislature serious study and consideration of this problem, in order that definite action may be taken at this time.

Respectfully submitted,  
MORGAN F. LARSON,  
*Governor.*

Attest:

THOS. L. HANSON,  
*Secretary to the Governor.*

Mr. Stein moved that the message from the Governor be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Siracusa asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 237, which was furnished by the Clerk

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and Senate Bill No. 237 be taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 237, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State,' approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four, and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinsbed, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Haines, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Lorenz, Mercolino, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Vanderbach—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.

Senate No. 272, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Lorenz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No 163, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Newcomb, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 286, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Compton, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 requested Mr. Gopsill, of Monmouth County, to take the Chair.

Mr. Gopsill assumed the Chair.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Burlington,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Newcomb, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Young—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 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision, 1920), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Carty, Duszynski, Gopsill, Kalamen, Powers, Rittenhouse, Spair, Vanderbach—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 255,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 298,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Cassini, Chairman of the Committee on Towns and Townships, reported

Senate Bill No. 215, with the following Committee amendments, which were read by the Clerk:

Page 5. After section nine add a new section to read as follows:

10. All expenditures to be made by said park commission and all appointments of any officers and employees except the president, vice-president and secretary of said park commission, shall be made by and with the approval of the board of chosen freeholders of the county.

Change the number of sections 10-11 and 12 to sections 11-12 and 13, respectively.

Mr. Cassini moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 215,

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 288, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smoek, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr Speaker:*

April 23d, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred seventeen,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 496, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Morris,'"

And

Assembly Bill No. 507, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning town-

ships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 255, entitled "A further 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. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the abandonment of navigation upon the Morris Canal and providing for the dismantling of the canal and the disposition of portions of the property, the title to which is now held in trust for the State of New Jersey by the Morris Canal and Banking Company upon terms and compensation fixed by said Morris Canal and Banking Company, and providing for the review of said terms and compensation by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New Jersey, and further providing for the management and control of such property pending the disposition thereof,' approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

And

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

As amended.

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 294, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini,

McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 141, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Rittenhouse, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 152, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsen-

beck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Vanderbach—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Barison asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to amend Senate Bill No. 147 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Barison offered the following Assembly Amendment to Senate Bill No. 147 on third reading:

Which were read by the Clerk.

In section one, strike out the name of "Robert S. O. Lawson" and insert in lieu thereof the name "John F. Boyle".

Mr. Barison moved the adoption of the Assembly Amendment to Senate Bill No. 147 on third reading.

The ayes and nays being called for by a viva voce vote the Speaker declared the amendments offered by Mr. Barison to Senate Bill No. 147 on third reading lost.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 147, as amended, be taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Huelsenbeck, Kala-

men, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Marini asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 215, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 215 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 215, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Marini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gop-sill, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Huelsenbeck, Pierson, Rittenhouse—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein:

Mr. Smock asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 321.

Which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Smock moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 321 was lost be taken from the table.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—33.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Smock moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 321 was lost be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Mr. Smock asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to amend Assembly Bill No. 321 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Smock offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 321 on third reading, which were read by the clerk:

On page 2, line 23, after the word "estate" in said line insert the following: "*provided, however, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any person, firm, partnership, association or corporation which as a bona fide owner or lessor shall perform any of the aforesaid acts with reference to property owned by them, and*".

Mr. Smock moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 321 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Smock moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 321, as amended, be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 321, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Smock, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker); Gopsill, Hand, Hollins-hed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No. 515, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revisions of 1896), approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollins-hed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Ritten-

house, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 517, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huel-senbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210, entitled "An act to establish a commission to study and report upon plans for providing a comprehensive scheme of rapid passenger transit between the several communities in the counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem, as well as between such communities and the City of Philadelphia, and making an appropriation for the expenses of said commission,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 23d, 1929.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Bill No. 493, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by boroughs,"

With the following Senate amendment.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 493 was read by the clerk:

Amend page 1, line 12, by adding the following words: "*Provided, however,* that said ordinance shall otherwise be within the power of the municipality and shall have otherwise been duly adopted".

Mr Leap asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 493, which was furnished by the Clerk

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 493 be advanced to second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 493.

Amend page 1, line 12, by adding the following words: "*Provided, however*, that said ordinance shall otherwise be within the power of the municipality and shall have otherwise been duly adopted".

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No 493 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 493

Amend page 1, line 12, by adding the following words: "*Provided, however*, that said ordinance shall otherwise be within the power of the municipality and shall have otherwise been duly adopted".

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 493 concurred in.

Mr. Muir asked for the record on Assembly Bill No 177.

Which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Muir moved that Assembly Bill No. 177 be recommitted to the committee on Judiciary for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 445, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth; one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine."

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Edgar, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Compton, Edgar, Garbrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative was—

Mr. Bethke—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. 513, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the employment of disabled soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses, in the service of the State or municipalities thereof, and providing a penalty for violation thereof,' approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Bethke, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 467, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Weber, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Mercolino and Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Wednesday, April 24, 1929, at twelve o'clock noon.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor, April 23, 1929, Assembly Bills No. A. J. R. No. 22, Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 478, and Assembly Bills Nos. 484, 91, 496 and 507.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos 339, 455, 320, 446, 516, 28 and Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 22

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendment:

Senate Bills Nos 115, 56, 76, 128, 144, 179, 182, 186, 196, 198, 200, 217, 289, 141, 163, 286, 288, Committee Substitute for Senate No 290, 294.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same with amendments and asked its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos 95, 10, 107, 170, 108.

Mr Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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WEDNESDAY, April 24th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George E. St Claire, Assistant Pastor, St. Michaels P. E. Church, of Trenton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, McMurray, McWilliams, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—23.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Haines, Hanson, Huelsenbeck,

Kautz, Leap, Letzgus, Litwin, Lorenz, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wise—35.

The Clerk announced there was not a quorum present .

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess until 2 P. M.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Compton, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini, Roder—11.

Mr Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills reported Assembly Bills Nos. 192, 193, 194 and 514 as correctly printed

Mr. Leap offered the following report of the Joint Committee created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929

Mr. Knight moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

This Joint Committee was created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929. The original resolution conferred on the Committee the following powers:

“to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further to make a general survey of the finances of the State, excluding, however, any investigation of the Department of Banking and Insurance authorized under the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 1, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.”

The amendatory resolution conferred upon the Committee the following powers:

“to make a survey of all questions of public interest; to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State, county or municipal official, State, county or municipal department, State, county or municipal commission, State, county or municipal board, or State, county or municipal body, to report whether the functions of such officials, departments, commissions, boards and bodies have been or are being lawfully and properly discharged for the purpose of obtaining information relative thereto as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; to ascertain what departments or activities of the State, county and municipal governments may be curtailed, consolidated or eliminated and to report its findings as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly

may deem necessary and proper; to make a general survey of the finances of the State, counties and municipalities and to report its findings as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper."

The committee organized June 14, 1928. Clarence E. Case was elected Chairman, and Thomas L. Hanson, Secretary.

Mr. Case was succeeded as Chairman by Albert R. McAllister on February 14, 1929.

Mr. Hanson was succeeded as Secretary by Charles R. Blunt on January 17, 1929, and he was succeeded as Secretary by S. Rusling Leap on March 18, 1929.

The Committee has been attended by Russell E. Watson as counsel, with whom has been associated Thomas B. Davidson, John H. Miller, Jr., David A. Nimmo, Emil W. A. Schumann and Benjamin Dowden, and by Joseph S. Fishkind as Stenographer.

In addition to its executive sessions, the committee has held forty-four public hearings, has examined three hundred thirty-five witnesses and has taken about 8,200 pages of testimony.

The Committee submits the following report of its proceedings to this date:

### Primary Election

The Committee investigated the primary election held in Jersey City, Hoboken and Bayonne in May, 1928. Many violations of the election law and many irregularities opposed to the intent and spirit of the law, if not its letter, were disclosed.

There were found 116 voters who voted in the Democratic primary in 1927 and in the Republican primary in 1928, and five who voted in the Republican primary in 1927 and in the Democratic primary in 1928. These are clear violations of the election law.

Forty-eight Democratic election officers, functioning as such in the May, 1928, primary election, voted in the Republican primary, with the acquiescence, if not the connivance, of the Republican board members in the districts in which they were serving. Nine voters who had filed applications for appointment

as Democratic election officers at the May, 1928 primary, voted in the Republican primary. Twenty-seven Jersey City members of the Hudson County Democratic County Committee voted in the Republican primary. More than one thousand Democrats, who signed Democratic nominating petitions for the May, 1928 primary, in which they declared themselves Democrats, voted in the Republican boxes in that primary. These likewise are clear violations of the election law, inasmuch as these voters were all members of the Democratic party, and were prohibited by the act from voting in the Republican primary.

The evidence showed that approximately 22,000 Democrats voted in the Republican primary. Many of these voters were subpoenaed, all of whom defended their vote on the ground that they had not participated in the primary election of either party in 1927.

The Committee endeavored to ascertain whether this wholesale voting of Democrats in the Republican primary was the result of a conspiracy, but was unable to obtain tangible legal evidence to that effect. Almost without exception the witnesses examined by the Committee were evasive and vague in testifying. For example: Richard A. Murphy, of 138 South street, Jersey City, New Jersey, a then member of the Hudson County Grand Jury, who voted in the Republican primary, testified that he voted for a majority of the Democratic candidates at the 1927 general election, but was unable to recall for which party he voted in 1926 or 1925. He was uncertain as to his party affiliations. He was then confronted with his signature to the petition of William A. Bremner for nomination to membership in the Hudson County Democratic Committee, signed by him in March, 1928, in which he certified that he was a member of the Democratic party and that he intended to affiliate with the Democratic party at the next election.

Otto Kerber of 619 Grand street, Jersey City, New Jersey, another then member of the Grand Jury, whose wife was a member of the Democratic County Committee, testified that he had voted the Democratic ticket since 1920, notwithstanding which he voted in the Republican primary in 1928. His reason for vot-

ing in the Republican primary in 1928 was, "Because I wanted to, I had some friends on there I wanted to vote for."

As a result of the testimony of these two witnesses, the Grand Jury then in office was relieved from the consideration of the 1928 primary election cases.

Henry Waring of 203 13th street, Jersey City, New Jersey; a Democrat, voted in the Republican box, "Because I just felt I was going to vote that way."

Arthur J. Foley, a lieutenant of the Hudson County Police, a member of the Hudson County Democratic Committee, voted in the Republican Primary. When asked whether he was a Democrat or a Republican, he testified, "Well, I don't know. At night time I changed my mind, at twelve o'clock. I had some friends I wanted to vote for."

The cases of those who voted in the Democratic Primary in 1927 and in the Republican Primary in 1928, of the election officers who voted in the opposite boxes and of County Committee members who voted in the opposite boxes, were referred to the Attorney-General, then in charge of the Hudson County Prosecutor's office, for appropriate action. To this date no indictments have been found. The Committee is advised that these matters are still before the Grand Jury.

Nothing can be done by way of legislation with reference to such cases. The law is specific and sufficiently broad. It is law enforcement that is needed.

The cases of approximately 22,000 Democrats who did not vote in either primary in 1927 and who voted in the Republican primary in 1928 present a situation which requires Legislative action. Under the construction of the law contended for by those who assert the validity of these votes, it is possible for voters, who are in fact members of the opposite party and who did not participate in the primary of the preceding year, to vote in the primary of the party of which they are not in fact members and if sufficiently numerous, to nominate the candidates of the party to which they are opposed. This is unfair to the primary contestants, contrary to the spirit and intent of the election law, unethical and opens the door to political corruption.

Paragraph 361 of the election law provides that no voter shall be allowed to vote in the ballot box of a political party if the name

of such voter appears in the primary poll book of another political party as made up at the next preceding primary election

Paragraph 362 provides that if a voter is registered and did not vote in the party primary of any other political party at the last preceding primary election, he shall be allowed to vote in the party primary in which he offers to vote.

Paragraph 364 provides that in case a voter desires to vote in the same political party box in which he voted at the next preceding primary election and is challenged, he shall take an oath or affirmation that he is a member of the political party in the ballot box of which he voted at the next preceding primary election; that at the last election for members of the General Assembly at which he voted, he voted for a majority of the candidates of the said party, and that he intends to support the candidates of said party at the ensuing election. If the person so challenged refuses to take the oath or affirmation he is not entitled to vote at the primary election.

The Committee recommends that Paragraphs 361 and 362 be amended so as to provide that no voter shall be allowed to vote in the ballot box of a political party if the name of such voter appears in the primary poll books of another political party as made up at the last two preceding primary elections, and that if a voter is registered and did not vote in the party primary of any other political party at the last two preceding primary elections he shall be allowed to vote in party primary in which he offers to vote.

The Committee further recommends that Paragraph 364 be amended so as to provide that in case the vote of any voter desiring to vote in a primary election is challenged, he shall take an oath or affirmation that he is a member of the political party in the ballot box of which he desires to vote, and that at the last general election for members of the general assembly he voted for a majority of the candidates of the said party nominated for national, state and county offices, and that he intends to support the candidates of that party at the ensuing election, and that if he refuses to take the oath or affirmation, he shall be not entitled to vote at the primary election.

The effect of such an amendment would be that a voter, in order to vote in a certain party primary, would have to show, not only that he did not vote in the party primary of any other political party at the last two preceding primary elections, but that he voted at the last general election for a majority of candidates of the party in the primary of which he desires to participate. In order to change from one party to another, a voter would not only have to refrain from voting in the primary of his original party for two years, but he would have to perform the positive act of voting at a general election for a majority of the candidates of the party of which he desires to become a member.

This would tend to prevent a repetition of the frauds which were practiced so extensively in the May, 1928, primary in Hudson County.

The evidence showing that Democratic election officers voted in Republican primary ballot boxes, with the acquiescence or connivance of their Republican colleagues, presents a state of facts even more serious. The purity of any election depends in large measure upon the faithfulness, intelligence and honesty of the election board, particularly in the counting of the votes. When election officers are so blind to the letter of the law and so morally incapable of comprehending its spirit that they violate it and permit it to be violated in this manner, what assurance is there that they are honest in the performance of their most important duty, the counting of the votes? Such conduct destroys faith in the capacity and moral integrity of the election boards involved.

The investigation made by the Committee confirms what is common knowledge, that it ought to be the policy of the election laws to confine the duties of district election boards, as far as possible, to mechanical acts. The boards ought to have a minimum of discretion and judicial or quasi-judicial power.

This Committee recommends that legislation be enacted providing for the use of voting machines. It is not intended here to discuss the arguments for the use of voting machines, such as increased speed in voting, secrecy of the ballot, the elimination of marked and spoiled ballots, immediate and permanent returns, and the prevention of costly recounts, or those contra. This single phase of the problem is emphasized. The evidence before

the Committee shows such a lack of comprehension of legal duty and moral obligation on the part of many election boards as to warrant a well-justified fear, if not a belief, that these boards were wholly derelict in the performance of their duty. The use of voting machines would take from the district boards the duty of counting the votes, the one most open to serious wrong doing, and would substitute a mechanical contrivance insuring an honest count.

The Committee further recommends that the offices of members of the district election boards and members of the county committees be forfeited if the holder thereof votes in the current primary election of another party than that with which he is affiliated and that legislation to this effect be enacted.

The Committee further recommends that legislation be enacted providing that no holder of any public office, excepting school teachers, shall be eligible to membership in district boards of election.

#### Payroll Padding

The Committee spent considerable time in investigating the Jersey City and Hudson County payrolls and examined many witnesses with reference thereto.

Payrolls for Hudson County and for Jersey City, as of May 15, 1928, were introduced into evidence

The annual payroll for Hudson County amounted to \$4,305,-644.48, paid to 2,152 employees.

The annual payroll for Jersey City amounted to \$8,544,026.70, paid to 3,760 employees, exclusive of the payroll of the Board of Education.

The testimony shows that a considerable part of this money is wasted. Many witnesses were examined whose testimony leads this Committee to conclude that many persons on the payroll perform no service or inadequate service for the compensation which they receive.

An outstanding case was that of Alfred H. Mansfield, an employee of the Hudson County Board of Health, who served as a health inspector at a salary of \$4,000 per year. He has worked in that capacity for twenty-five years. He was unable to give the Committee the name and address of the owner of any place

that he had ever inspected, and testified that he had never made a complaint or arrest, and that if a man has a job he is "supposed to get the vote out."

Mansfield testified on July 5, 1928. He was recalled on September 10, 1928. The testimony disclosed that in July, County Supervisor O'Neill ordered that he make written reports of his work. These reports were subpoenaed and it was then discovered that Mansfield, in three instances, prepared bi-weekly reports in advance of the period purporting to be covered and filed them with the Board of Freeholders when the required time arrived.

Sheriff Coppinger of Hudson County has under him a staff of thirty employees who receive approximately \$122,000 per year. He had utterly no knowledge of the duties supposed to be performed by those subordinates and the salaries which they received. There was no check of any kind designed to make sure that the County received its money's worth in services for this payroll.

It costs Hudson County approximately \$18 each for the services of process of various kinds by the Sheriff, although the fees received by the County are only between \$10 and \$5 each. This is due to the failure on the part of some of those employed as process servers to do their share, or in some instances, any of the work.

Chauffeurs are paid, in many instances, from \$3,000 to \$3,500 per year.

It costs Jersey City approximately \$83,500 per year for salaries for telephone service, elevator service and the operation of the heating plant in the City Hall, and the cleaning of it. This sum is expended for salaries for the maintenance of the City Hall, exclusive of the repairs—clearly an exorbitant sum.

According to the testimony of Commissioner Potterton, it costs Jersey City \$7,300 per acre per annum, for salaries for the maintenance of fourteen parks, containing thirty-seven acres of land, likewise an exorbitant sum.

Hudson County pays approximately \$202,000 per year for salaries for the maintenance of its Court House, not including the services of "County mechanics" who repair it. Six of these employees are listed as cuspidor cleaners. That the expenditure of

this sum of money for this purpose is a gross waste of public funds needs no argument. The custodian of the Court House, John F. Callahan, was unable to give to the Committee any clear or convincing explanation of the need for the large number of Court House employees, or of their individual duties.

The Superintendent of County Mechanics, James Doody, has seventy men on his payroll who receive approximately \$127,000 per year. It is the duty of these men to make repairs on the approximately seventy-five County buildings. A more unbusinesslike system of administration than that presented by Superintendent Doody's testimony could not be imagined. The men are not employed by the Superintendent of the Department. They are employed by the Board of Freeholders without the request of the Superintendent whether they are needed or not and he does the best he can to keep them busy. The system requires no written requisition for work in the various county buildings. No record of the work done is kept by the Superintendent and no report of work done is made to the Board of Freeholders. There is no timekeeper, there are no time cards or clocks, and no record of the time worked by the individual employees or spent in the various operations is kept. The only supervision of the employees of this department, to determine whether the work which they do is necessary and their pay reasonable, or whether they work at all, is that of Superintendent Doody and his assistant, who depend upon personal visits to the seventy-five county buildings and their eyesight to see that their subordinates are usefully employed. The Board of Freeholders has no way of knowing whether the money expended in this department is wisely or necessarily expended.

No attention is paid to seasonal demands. Seasonal employees, such as tree trimmers, park laborers, firemen and heater men are employed the year round. A street laborer is paid \$1,700 per year for keeping two blocks of the highway clean. He testified, "If boxes would fall off a truck and block the road, it would be my job to keep the road clear." This is an illustration of the wasteful expenditure of public funds for unnecessary labor.

The Committee recommends that the legislature consider legis-

lation intended to prevent or to render more difficult the waste of public money by what is properly called "payroll padding."

Taxation has become one of the most important public problems. The cost of State, county and municipal government has increased progressively in recent years at an alarming rate. Taxation is becoming an increasingly heavy burden upon the home-owner, the tenant, the farmer, the businessman and upon industry. It is one of the factors that has caused certain kinds of industry to leave this section of the country and which tends to prevent certain other kinds of industry from locating here. It is impossible to discontinue expenditures for public improvements constructed by the State, counties and municipalities. They are necessary to our manner of living and the expeditious conduct of our business affairs. The most effectual method of decreasing State, municipal and county taxation is the introduction of economy and greater efficiency into government. The most vulnerable points in the armor of the high cost of government are the public payroll, pensions and tenure of office.

This Committee recommends that legislation be enacted imposing upon the Civil Service Commission the duty of supervising State payrolls and county and municipal payrolls where the act is operative, and the responsibility of certifying that all employments under its jurisdiction are necessary, that the holder of each position renders a necessary and adequate service, and that the compensation received is reasonable, with severe penalties for any violation of duty in these respects. Such legislation should also aim to eliminate, as far as possible, part-time employment in the public service by the consolidation of existing part-time positions

### Civil Service

Shortly after its organization, the Committee subpoenaed the payrolls of the City of Jersey City and of the County of Hudson, and the Civil Service records of the employees of Jersey City and Hudson County, all as of May 15, 1928.

The Jersey City payrolls were furnished by the City Clerk in response to the subpoena. The Hudson County payrolls were produced by the Board of Freeholders. The Civil Service lists

of both Jersey City and Hudson County were produced by the Trenton Office of the Civil Service Commission.

A comparison was made of the City and County payrolls as submitted by the City Clerk and the Clerk of the Board of Freeholders, with the Civil Service lists submitted by the Trenton office of the Civil Service Commission. The following discrepancies and irregularities were found:

*As to Jersey City*

Names on City payroll and not on Civil Service list	207
Names on Civil Service list and not on City payroll	199
Instances of variance in salary between the City payroll and the Civil Service list	276
Total	682

Testimony was taken as to these matters on December 20, 1928, and Theodore Smith, chairman of the Civil Service Commission in charge of the Hudson zone and Elmer S. Parsells, Chief Clerk of the Jersey City office, testified.

After the testimony was taken a further comparison of the City and County lists with the Civil Service lists was made, which disclosed the following additional discrepancies and irregularities:

*As to Jersey City*

Number of temporary employees on the city payroll	317
Number of temporary employees on the Civil Service list	172
Difference	145
Number of temporary employees on the City payroll over four months	264
Number of temporary employees on the Civil Service list over four months	128
Difference	136
Number of discrepancies first above noted	682
Total for Jersey City	963

It should be noted that the Civil Service law authorizes the employment of temporary employees in an emergency for not

more than two months, which may be extended for a further period of not more than two months, making a total period of four months for which employees may be legally temporarily employed.

*As to Hudson County*

Names on County payroll and not on Civil Service list	104
Names on Civil Service list and not on County payroll	132
Instances of variance in salary between the County payroll and the Civil Service list	47
Number of temporary employees on the Civil Service list over four months	38
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Total for Hudson County	321
Total for Jersey City	963
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Total number of discrepancies between the Jersey City and Hudson County payrolls and the Civil Service lists and irregularities	1284

Mr. Smith testified that he had been a member of the Commission for about nine years and Chairman for about eight years. He said that the State was divided into zones, and that each member of the Commission was in charge of a zone. He was in charge of the Hudson County Zone, having jurisdiction over Jersey City and Hudson County, with a branch office in the City Hall of Jersey City.

He testified that the original reports of the Commission were kept in Trenton, that duplicate records concerning each zone were kept in each zone office, and that under this system Jersey City's office kept duplicate records and transmitted the originals to the main office of the Commission at Trenton.

It was originally the intention that the branch offices should handle routine matters of local interest, but the practice has developed in such manner that each branch is an independent unit and each Commissioner supreme in his domain. The result of this procedure is a personal Civil Service administration in each zone in accordance with the notions of the Commissioner assigned thereto. There is no warrant in the law for this system of administration and the Commission must accept responsibility for this perversion of the law.

Mr. Smith was questioned concerning the discrepancies and irregularities enumerated in the items first above set forth, his explanation was that the Trenton records were not up to date. He said that all data concerning Civil Service employees in the Hudson County zone were reported to the Trenton office by the Jersey City office and that the Trenton office did not keep up its records accurately and completely.

It appeared that the system of keeping records was very lax and that it was possible for the Jersey City office to violate the Civil Service act or to permit it to be violated by the City or County administration, without the Trenton office having any record of such violations.

Several violations of the Civil Service law were shown to exist and were brought to Mr. Smith's attention. Among these were cases of persons in public employ in Jersey City and Hudson County who had never taken a Civil Service examination, as required by the statute; persons who were temporarily in the public employ longer than four months without having taken an examination; persons assigned to perform duties other than those properly pertaining to the position to which they were originally appointed; and the promotion of an employee without taking an examination.

Several employees were found in the City Clerk's office of Jersey City who were paid for every day in the year for keeping ballot boxes in repair. Their names did not appear on the Civil Service records. Their payrolls were not submitted to the Civil Service commission for certification. They were employed and paid in violation of law. The significance of this appears when we understand that Mr. Parsells, Chief Clerk of the Hudson County Zone office, was similarly employed by the city contrary to the Civil Service law, as will be reported presently.

More than forty persons were employed in the Water Department of Jersey City of whose employment there was no record either in the Jersey City office or in the Trenton office.

Mr. Smith testified that no check or comparison of the records of the Trenton office and the various zone offices had been made during the period of his service on the Commission.

He said that after the organization of this Committee a check and comparison had been made of the records of all of the zone offices with the Trenton office, which showed more errors and irregularities existing in the other zone offices than were found in the records of the Jersey City office.

An itemized list of all the irregularities found to exist in the Jersey City lists was submitted to the Civil Service Commission by the Committee. After an examination of it, the Commission submitted to the Committee a statement explaining the discrepancies and irregularities. The gist of the explanation was that a check and comparison of the Trenton records and the Hudson zone records had been made and that the two sets of records had been brought into unity. The fact remains that on May 15, 1928, the condition of the records of the two offices was as above set forth.

On March 21, 1929, the Commission submitted to the Committee a list of discrepancies between the Hudson County payroll and the Trenton office list, disclosed by its own examination. The variances and discrepancies enumerated in this list number 251, some of a minor nature, but substantially of the same kind as those appearing in the City list. In its letter submitting this list the Civil Service Commission made the following statement:

"As a matter of fact, while the Trenton office records are looked upon as the official records, under the plan of administration of the Commission the local office records must be recognized as the final and controlling records since payrolls are submitted to and checked in the local office, an opportunity is had to continually check the records against the payroll as submitted."

The vice of this plan appears in the operation of the Hudson County Zone office. It is possible for the Commissioner in charge of the Zone office, or his assistant, to violate the Civil Service law without the Trenton office having any notice or knowledge of it. Not only is it possible, but in fact, it was done.

It further appeared that Mr. Smith had been frequently appointed a condemnation commissioner in Hudson County and that he had received from \$8,000 to \$10,000 in fees.

Mr. Elmer S. Parsells, Chief Clerk of the Jersey City office, was questioned with reference to the functioning of the Jersey City office. Mr. Parsells had charge of the routine work of the office under the supervision of Mr. Smith.

It was shown that Mr. Parsells had been employed by the City of Jersey City and had been paid "on claim" for a period of at least two years, a salary of \$150 a month. "On claim" means that he submitted a verified bill for his services each month which was approved for payment by resolution of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, and that his name did not appear on the regular Jersey City payroll or on the Civil Service list.

That he was, in fact, being paid as a Jersey City employee, in addition to his compensation as an employee of the State Civil Service Commission, was discovered by the Committee accidentally. Mr. Parsells at first denied that he was employed by the City, but being confronted with the evidence in the possession of the Committee, he admitted the fact.

When asked what service he rendered the city, he said he served as clerk to the police and fire reserves. He testified that the work which he did for the City was outside of his hours as clerk in the Civil Service department. His testimony describing the services rendered to the City was very vague. His memory was faulty and his answers were evasive. Whether in fact he rendered service to the City or not, his employment was a direct violation of the Civil Service law. He had taken no examination and his name did not appear on the City payroll, which it was the duty of the Civil Service Commissioner to certify.

Mr. Smith, being recalled to the stand, testified that he knew that Mr. Parsells occupied this position and admitted that in so doing he was violating the Civil Service law, and that his two positions were incompatible.

Whether there was any connection of cause and effect between the secret and unlawful employment of Mr. Parsells by the City, and the discrepancies and irregularities brought out by the testimony, is a matter of deduction. It is a fact that the Civil Service law was being inefficiently administered in Jersey City and in Hudson County and that Mr. Parsells, responsible for the routine of the Hudson County zone office, was himself violating

the Civil Service law for his own profit with the connivance of Jersey City officials.

The evidence showed a lack of cooperation and coordination between the Trenton office and the various zone offices and that there was no adequate supervision or control of the various zone offices by the Board of Civil Service Commissioners, as a whole.

The Commission has published no report since 1923 containing complete or satisfactory data as to the numbers of employees and the amounts of the payrolls in the municipalities and counties where the law applies. Statistical data of this kind are important and if maintained from year to year they would furnish valuable information to public officials and to the public about the increase in the number of public employees and the growing cost of city and county administration. In rendering its report, such figures as to the growth of the State service are given. No figures of value as to the municipalities and counties are published.

It is stated in subsequent reports that data for the cities and counties are unavailable and this is significant. The place to get this kind of information is from the payrolls or the records in the zone offices. If this information is not available, it should be. Here too the zone system has broken down.

The annual reports of the Commission frequently refer to the classification of positions in the city and county services. The Civil Service law provides that such classification of positions shall be made for each county and city service and that uniform salary schedules shall be prepared and submitted to the various city and county authorities. It cannot be determined from the annual reports of the Commission for what cities and for what counties such a classification of salary schedules has been worked out and presented. The Committee is informed that no such classification and salary schedule scheme has been prepared for either Hudson County or Jersey City. The rules of the Commission show that there is authority for a different and what appears to be a useless plan of grading positions according to the salary which happens to be paid. The law makes it the duty of the Commission to provide a classification and to suggest salary schedules for all the cities and counties in which the law

applies. This duty, imposed upon the Commission by law, has not been performed in Hudson County or in Jersey City.

The Civil Service law was originally adopted in 1908. Since then it has been amended and supplemented scores of times with resulting confusion. The law as it now stands provides one system of administration for the State service and another substantially different for the city and county service. As pointed out under the title, "PAYROLL PADDING," there is nothing in the law that gives authority to the Commission to disapprove the creation of a new position, or a hundred new positions for that matter in any department, or division of the Government even though there is the clearest kind of evidence that the position or positions are not required to carry on necessary public business.

The Civil Service law should be rewritten and codified.

Responsibility for administration should be centered in the chief executive officer of the Commission. His authority and responsibility should be similar to that of the Commissioner of Education, and the activities of the Commission should be limited to matters of policy and appeals from removal and investigations.

The Committee recommends that legislation be enacted prohibiting the practice heretofore existing by which each zone office is virtually an independent unit and requiring that the Board function as an administrative body through the concerted action of all of its members directing, controlling and supervising the operations of the zone offices; providing that the Civil Service Commission be limited to the determination of matters of policy, to the hearing of appeals, and to conducting investigations and rendering decisions thereon; providing that the chief executive officer of the Commission be given the authority and charged with the responsibility of administering the Civil Service law in accordance with policies established by the Commission, and that he be placed in charge of the technical and professional administrative work in both the Trenton office and in such zone offices as may be maintained, and that the Civil Service law be rewritten, so that it be one comprehensive document.

### Bus Franchise Fees

Testimony was taken with reference to the failure of bus operators to report correctly their gross receipts, as required by Section 3 of the Kates Act, as amended by Chapter 144 of the Laws of 1926, particularly operators on the Bergen Avenue line and the Central Avenue line in Jersey City. The testimony showed that the operators on these lines habitually under-reported their gross receipts.

An audit of the records of these two lines was made for the Committee by J Emory Mills, of Mills & Company, Public Accountants and Auditors, of 42 Broadway, New York City. The records for the four weeks ending September 29, 1928, were available and disclosed that the gross receipts for that period were under-reported. Some prior records had been destroyed, but enough remained to show that the gross receipts of the operators of these two lines were grossly under-reported for the four years beginning January 1, 1925.

The gross receipts of the Bergen Avenue line for the four weeks ending September 29, 1928, amounted to \$40,399.91, of which only \$25,706.27 was reported.

On the Central Avenue line for the same period the gross receipts amounted to \$28,366.41, of which only \$20,180.20 was reported.

From available records and information for the first eight months of 1928, it appeared that the gross receipts of the Bergen Avenue line were at least \$331,218.29, of which only \$155,632.60 was reported, a loss to the City in taxes of \$8,789.19. The average gross receipts for the first eight months of 1928 were at least \$40,000 a month. Applying this monthly average for the period between January 1, 1925, and ending September 1, 1928, the underpayment of taxes on this line amounted to \$46,963.76.

From available records and information it appeared that the gross receipts for the Central Avenue line for the first eight months of 1928, amounted to at least \$233,784.14, of which only \$123,645.38 was reported. The monthly average of gross receipts for this period on this line was at least \$29,000. Assum-

ing this amount as the average monthly receipts for the period beginning January 1, 1925, and ending September 1, 1928, the underpayment of taxes for this period for this line amounts to at least \$32,218.40.

The evidence shows that the bus operators on these two lines made no effort to report accurately their gross receipts as required by the statute. Officials of the lines admitted that the gross receipts reports were mere estimates. In many cases the operators of different buses reported identical gross receipts for the same month. For instance, the operators of twelve different buses on the Bergen Avenue line reported gross receipts for the month of April, 1928, of \$420.40 for each bus. In each case the affidavits attached to the report were taken by Charles A. Tatem, a clerk in the Jersey City Jitney Bureau. Many instances of this kind were found. It is so incredible that so many buses could give gross receipts of identical amounts that the possibility of coincidence is eliminated. The only inference that can be drawn is that there existed a conspiracy to defraud the City.

Section 3 of the Act provides that any person who shall falsely take oath to the statement of gross receipts required to be filed shall be guilty of perjury.

The City employed a staff of twelve inspectors and starters whose duty it was to inspect the buses for cleanliness and safety. No effort was made by the City to check the number of passengers carried or the receipts, as is done by private corporations. There was a complete lack of effort to safeguard the interests of the City, the officials in charge wilfully shutting their eyes to prima facie evidence of false reporting of gross receipts, sufficient to arouse in the mind of any reasonable and honest man strong suspicion of wrongdoing—certainly sufficient to put any honest public employee upon inquiry. The inspectors could have checked the collections, in addition to their other duties. Had this been done the interests of the City would have been protected without additional cost.

The Committee recommends that legislation be enacted providing that in the larger cities inspectors shall be appointed whose duty it shall be to inspect buses operated on lines wholly within

the city for cleanliness and safety, and also to check and supervise the reports of the number of passengers carried and fares collected, and making violation of this duty a misdemeanor.

The Committee further recommends that legislation be enacted making it the duty of bus operators to file with the City Clerk duplicate copies of their daily reports to bus owners of fares collected and the number of passengers carried, and making violation of this duty a misdemeanor.

### Campaign Contributions

The testimony shows that in Hudson County, Jersey City and in Hoboken, a pro rata part of the salaries of public employees, not holding appointive offices, the terms of which are fixed by law, is systematically collected for campaign purposes. The Committee was unable to ascertain the ultimate depository of this fund from which it is finally disbursed. Retired police officers testified they contributed to this fund a portion of salary increases which they received, pursuant to legislative enactment, and also made regular, periodic contributions to campaign funds. Several employees testified to the payment of three per cent. of their annual salary.

Having in mind the amount of the Hudson County and Jersey City payroll, more than \$13,000,000 per annum, it is at once apparent how inimical it is to the public interest that so huge a fund should be collected each year and disbursed by officials who render no accounting and are subject to no audit. This system is a violation of Section 406 of the Election Law, which reads as follows:

“No holder of any public office or position not filled by election by voters shall contribute to the nomination or the election of any person to public office or position; provided that this prohibition shall not apply to any person holding an appointive office or position, the term of which is fixed by law. No person shall invite, demand or accept payment or contributions from such persons for campaign purposes.”

The Committee makes no recommendation of further legislation under this title because the statute law above cited applies.

### Municipal Finances

Jersey City maintains very large bank balances, usually in excess of \$20,000,000, which are deposited in various Jersey City banks. These deposits appear to be made by favor and not by rule, there being no relation between the City deposits and the capital and the surplus of the institution, or between City deposits and the total deposits of the institution. The average interest received by the City on these bank balances is three per cent.

The maintaining of such large bank balances is unnecessary, costly, and is the result of abuse of official discretion reposed in the Board of Commissioners by the law.

The principal reason for these large balances is the City's method of financing its delinquent taxes.

Section 22, of Chapter 192 of the Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 295 of the Laws of 1921, provides that tax revenue bonds may be issued for delinquent taxes, which, with their renewals, shall not run for a longer period than four years after the 31st day of December of the year in which the taxes against which such bonds are issued become delinquent. It is further provided that the receipts of all delinquent tax revenue bonds of any fiscal year shall be set aside and applied to the retirement of tax revenue bonds of that year, until the bonds issued against the delinquent tax revenues of that year are paid.

The purpose of these provisions of the law is to require municipalities to collect their delinquent taxes within four years or to reappropriate them in the budget and raise them by tax levy.

Jersey City pursues the policy of issuing tax revenue bonds for three years and six months, within six months of the legal limit, without any provision for earlier retirement or payment, in whole or in part.

The experience of Jersey City is that seventy per cent. of its delinquent taxes are collected during the first year of delinquency, from fifteen to twenty-four per cent. during the second year of delinquency, and that only from six to fifteen per cent. remain delinquent in the third year. In the light of this experience, it would be the part of wisdom for Jersey City, in issuing tax revenue bonds, to make seventy per cent. payable at the end of

one year, fifteen per cent. payable at the end of the second year and fifteen per cent. payable at the end of the third year.

The statute provides for renewals of the bonds, if necessary, provided that the entire term is not more than four years.

The average rate of interest paid by the City upon tax revenue bonds is four per cent.

The funding of 1926 delinquent taxes is an illustration of how this system works. At the end of 1926, delinquent taxes for that year amounted to \$5,100,000. On February 1, 1927, the City issued tax revenue bonds for that amount, maturing August 1, 1930. In August, 1928, the City had collected, of the 1926 delinquent taxes, \$4,435,000, which it had on deposit in banks, leaving only \$665,000 uncollected. The bonds still had two years to run. The City officials construe the act above referred to, providing that the receipts of all delinquent taxes shall be set aside and applied to the retirement of tax revenue bonds, as requiring that the receipts be held in banks, in cash. The City, therefore, had in hand, in August, 1928, \$4,435,000, which, under its construction of the statute, it was required to keep until the maturity of the bonds, on August 1, 1930. It receives on its bank balances an average rate of three per cent. It pays on tax revenue bonds an average rate of four per cent. By this method of financing, the city is losing on this one item, \$44,350 per year or \$88,700 for the two years beginning August 1, 1928.

The City had outstanding, in August, 1928, a grand total of tax revenue bonds, for delinquent taxes, amounting to \$16,550,000 against which it had reserves in cash of \$13,248,784, held in bank by reason of this wasteful financial policy, the cost to the city being \$132,487 per annum.

By adjusting its borrowings so that the maturity dates would correspond with the normal time of the receipt of delinquent taxes, as indicated by previous experience, most of this money would be saved.

Jersey City, like other municipalities, also borrows money in anticipation of the receipt of taxes and issues therefor tax anticipation notes. During the first half of the year it borrows in anticipation of taxes payable June 15, and during the second half of the year it borrows in anticipation of taxes payable De-

ember 15. In August, 1928, Jersey City had issued and outstanding \$3,100,000 of tax anticipation notes, borrowed in anticipation of 1928 taxes.

This money was borrowed from banks, notwithstanding that Jersey City had on deposit reserves for tax revenue bonds of \$13,248,784. It could have borrowed its own funds, as is done by other cities, under similar circumstances, notably Newark.

The wastefulness of this system of finance is apparent when we consider that Newark paid for interest on current loans in 1927, \$346,314.52, while Jersey City paid \$948,533.82.

The Committee recommends no additional legislation. It is necessary that the terms of such municipal obligations be discretionary with the governing body, within certain limits, in order to meet changing financial conditions. No hard and fast rule should be laid down. The Jersey City governing body abuses its discretion under the law and pursues an uneconomic and costly policy of municipal borrowing for which they are responsible to their constituents.

### School Attendance

At the end of June, 1928, twenty-seven per cent. of Jersey City's total public school enrolment was on part time:

In 1927, according to the figures compiled by the State Department of Public Instruction, the percentage of part time was 24.3 per cent. This compares with 4 per cent. for Bayonne, 1.3 per cent. for Camden, 5.6 per cent. for New Brunswick, 3 per cent. for Newark, 7.6 per cent. for Passaic, 4 per cent. for Paterson and .1 per cent. for Trenton.

This condition is due to the fact that there has been virtually no school construction since 1924. There is no financial excuse for it, because Jersey City's borrowing capacity for school purposes is \$20,000,000.

Section 9 of the School Law empowers the Commissioner of Education with the advice and consent of the State Board of Education, to direct the County Collector to withhold funds received by him from the State, from any district that refuses or neglects to obey the law or the rules or directions of the State Board of Education, or the Commissioner of Education. Here

is a practical method of compelling school districts to supply sufficient school construction to keep part time attendance within reasonable limits, to be prescribed by the Commissioner of Education and the State Board of Education. Neither the Commissioner nor the State Board has exercised the power conferred upon them by this section in this instance.

The Committee recommends that it be made mandatory for the Commissioner of Education, with the advice and consent of the State Board of Education, to prescribe rules and regulations defining part time and that, within certain limits, part time be taken in account in the distribution of State school funds.

### Moving Picture Theatre Collections

The moving picture theatres in Hoboken and Jersey City pay large amounts in connection with the non-enforcement of Sunday closing laws.

Samuel Tammen testified that he collected \$5,400 per year from eight theatres in Hoboken, as the agent of John Delaney, inspector of licenses in Hoboken, and paid the sum collected to him.

In Jersey City, Joseph E. Bernstein was the collector. He collected between \$50,000 and \$60,000 per year.

Frederick H. Mertens, a theatre owner, testified that he attended a meeting of theatre owners at Joseph E. Bernstein's office in January, 1924. Up to that time the Sunday closing law had been enforced. Bernstein informed the owners present that if they wanted to be open on Sundays it would cost money, and read a list of the amount that each owner would be required to pay. The payments began under this plan and immediately thereafter and ever since Sunday opening has been permitted.

Bernstein's bank accounts were examined from which it was learned that he collected between \$50,000 and \$60,000 per year, for the period beginning January, 1924, and ending September, 1928.

The bank records however, did not show the disposition of this fund.

The Committee tried diligently to learn how Bernstein distributed these funds. His financial records were subpoenaed. He

produced two suit cases full, in response to the subpoena, omitting, however, the check books of the special accounts in which the movie collections were deposited. He testified that those check books were lost and that he could not find them.

He said that \$30,000 was paid each year, in cash, to Max Steuer, a New York lawyer, for legal services, \$10,000 per year in cash to Roger Boyle, Chief of the Jersey City Fire Department, as a contribution to the Christmas Fund, which is collected each year by the Jersey City Fire Department, and was unable to account in any way for the remaining amount collected by him, more than \$10,000 per year.

There was also evidence that Roger Boyle had collected a large sum, \$12,500, from the Academy of Music, a moving picture theatre in Jersey City.

James A. Butler, a Jersey City attorney, testified that he had been informed by the officers of the company operating the theatre that this money had been paid at the rate of \$325 a week by checks which were still in existence. The Committee subpoenaed the financial records of the operating company. Jack Finkelstein, secretary of the company, responded to the subpoena and testified that all of the financial records of the company during the period in question had been destroyed.

In several cases it was testified by the operators of moving picture theatres that their records had been lost, destroyed or stolen. This condition very much hampered the work of the committee.

The committee also took testimony with reference to the Christmas Fund collected by the Fire Department of Jersey City each year, to which Bernstein's payments were made. This fund was in charge of Roger Boyle. So far as the Committee has been able to learn, this fund is collected in cash and no record is kept of its disbursement, no audit of it is made and no account is rendered to anyone. Roger Boyle has been out of the State of New Jersey since September, 1928, about the time that the Committee's investigation into these matters began. He left Jersey City on sick leave. The Committee has been unable to learn where he has received medical treatment and, if so, from whom, or whether

he has been treated in any hospital or sanitarium. Mayor Hague testified that he saw him in Miami in February, 1929.

Max Steuer, the New York lawyer to whom Bernstein made his payment, although requested to do so, has failed to appear before the Committee for examination with reference to the sum of \$120,000 alleged by Bernstein to have been paid to him. If there is any documentary evidence of these payments in Steuer's possession, it would tend to support Bernstein's story. His failure to appear, therefore, impeaches Bernstein's credibility.

The loss of Bernstein's records—if they are indeed lost, the destruction of the Academy of Music records, if they were in fact destroyed, the disappearance of Roger Boyle coincidentally with the beginning of this inquiry and his continued absence from the state without letting the Committee know where he has been or what he has been doing, the lack of any adequate accounting of the funds ostensibly collected for charity and disbursed by Roger Boyle; the failure of Max Steuer to appear before the Committee to testify as to what he did in return for the \$120,000 alleged to have been paid to him, and what disposition he made of the money; and the payments by Bernstein to Boyle and Steuer in cash money, lead irresistibly to the conclusion that there lies back of these incriminating facts an unlawful conspiracy, and that records are "lost" and witnesses stay out of the jurisdiction because the production of the records and the appearance of the witnesses would incriminate someone.

This phase of the investigation is incomplete. The Committee will remain in session throughout the remainder of the year in the hope that the missing records will be found and the absent witnesses will appear.

The Committee recommends at this time, however, that legislation be enacted making it unlawful for public officials, or employees, in their official capacities to collect and distribute funds for charitable purposes. Such a practice helps to build up a partisan political machine under the control of the party in power—in the case under discussion, the Committee believes that it has been used to that end—and therefore is contrary to the public interest. Charitable work of this kind might better be left to non-political organizations, religious, fraternal and social, of which there are many eager and willing to act.

### Dover-Boonton Sewer

In 1918 the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, by ordinance, authorized the construction of a sanitary sewer from Dover to Boonton, serving the towns of Wharton, Dover, Denville, Rockaway and the neighboring territory for the protection of its water supply by preventing the discharge of sanitary waste into the Rockaway River. The work involved the construction of a sewage disposal plant below the Boonton dam and the laying of about fifteen miles of sewer.

On February 5, 1918, Commissioner Fagen submitted to the Board of Commissioners a comprehensive report in writing in which he stated that the total cost of the project would be \$910,000.

This figure was based upon estimates of which he said, "I believe to be the outside cost of this work." Among those who assisted in the preparation of the figures was Clyde Potts, a sanitary engineer, who afterwards became Jersey City's engineer in charge of this work and also acted as Dover's engineer.

The work was finally completed upon plans and specifications, less extensive than those contemplated by Commissioner Fagen's report, at a cost of \$2,887,607.77.

A contract was made with the town of Dover by which Dover agreed to construct a system of lateral sewers discharging into Jersey City's main trunk sewer. One provision of the contract was, "The said laterals shall be constructed in a manner satisfactory to Jersey City, salt glazed vitrified pipe with joints acceptable to Jersey City."

The work was done in three sections, Section 1 comprising the disposal plant and 3.2 miles of sewer, Section 2 consisting of 8.9 miles of sewer and Section 3 consisting of 2.7 miles of sewer. Work began on Section 1 in July, 1923, on Section 2 in the fall of 1924, and on Section 3 in the summer of 1923. Section 1 was completed and accepted June 1, 1925, at a cost of \$1,199,936.06. The sewer and disposal plant were put into operation only within the last few weeks.

The greater part of the sewer was constructed of segment block.

The contract for Section 1 was awarded to Joseph L. Sigretti, who assigned his contract to the Alberta Construction Company. John Milton was attorney and registered agent of this company. He also acted as special counsel for the City in connection with the sewer work for which he was paid in fees, \$42,119.81 over a period of about eighteen months.

The contract for Section 2 was awarded to Hammen Construction Company and for Section 3 to Goerringer Construction Company.

It was impossible to put the sewer in operation for a long while because of excessive infiltration of ground water. The city officials attributed this to the defective construction of the Dover laterals. The result was that Section 1 which cost the city approximately \$1,200,000 stood idle for three and a half years at an interest cost of approximately \$165,000.

It appeared that Jersey City did not inspect the construction of the Dover laterals as it had a right to do under the clause of the contract above quoted. Commissioner Fagen when first examined did not know of this clause of the contract. It also appeared that Engineer Potts, acting as engineer for both Dover and Jersey City, did not apprise Jersey City of the defective construction of the sewer while it was in process of construction, if he knew of it. The blame for the delay attributable to the defective construction of the Dover sewer rests squarely upon Commissioner Fagen and Engineer Potts.

The Jersey City officials also attribute the delay in part to the delinquency of the Hammen Construction Company, contractor on Section 2, who abandoned the work in the summer of 1925. The pipe was all laid, but the city contended that it was defectively done and that there was excessive infiltration. The city completed the work at a cost of approximately \$56,000, which was charged against the withheld funds belonging to the contractor. The Committee was unable to learn why it took the city from the summer of 1925 until May, 1927, to complete satisfactorily Section 2.

Section 1 was accepted in June, 1925. Section 2 was accepted in August, 1927, and Section 3 was accepted in September, 1927. Even then it was impossible to put the plant into operation be-

cause the Dover laterals were still practically unusable. Meanwhile the city was paying heavy interest charges for money borrowed and expended in the construction of a plant which was lying idle.

Only time will tell whether the sewer is well constructed. There is respectable engineering opinion both ways.

The city has already done a great deal of what Commissioner Fagen styles "betterment work." The segment blocks, of which the main part of the sewer was constructed, are hollow tile blocks. The insides of the tile have been filled with concrete by force pumps. This work is called "grouting." No reasonable explanation of why this was done was made to the Committee. There appears no reason why any part of it should have been done at the City's expense, as was done in Section 1. If the sewer was soundly planned and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications it ought not to have been necessary.

There are four matters in connection with this sewer to which the Committee particularly desires to call attention:

1. The Committee examined the estimate sheets on Section 1, which disclosed the amount of work under each item for which the City had paid. It then subpoenaed Engineer Potts' field notes in an effort to find out whether these notes would show the amount of work paid for by the City as actually having been done.

The Committee particularly inquired as to item 1, which was earth excavation for trunk sewer and pipe trenches. Item 2 which was rock excavation, and item 21 which was earth excavation for structures at the disposal plant.

Sigretti bid \$2.40 per cubic yard for Item 1, \$2.40 per cubic yard for item 2, and \$2.70 per cubic yard for Item 21.

The City paid for these items, on final estimates approved by Engineer Potts, the following amounts:

Item 1—24,089.93 cu. yds. at \$2.40....	\$57,815.83
Item 2—15,019.80 cu. yds. at 2.40....	36,047.52
Item 21—77,510.63 cu. yds. at 2.70....	209,278.70
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Total .....	\$303,142.05

Engineer Potts produced his field notes on Section 1, which were kept by Fred Guerrin, one of his subordinates, the resident engineer on Section 1.

These notes on their face showed work done under these three items as follows:

Items 1 and 2 .....	22,380 cubic yards
Item 21 .....	59,353 cubic yards

Had these items been paid for at the unit prices bid the city would have paid—

Items 1 & 2.....	22,380 cu. yds.	\$2.40	\$53,712 00
Item 21.....	59,353 cu. yds.	2.70	160,253 10
Total .....			<u>\$213,965.10</u>

On the face of Engineer Potts' notes produced by him in response to subpoena, the contractor, a client of John Milton who was also the attorney for the city, was paid \$89,176.95 for work which was never done.

When Engineer Potts was confronted with these records, he said that the notes produced by him might not be complete. He made no other explanation of it. He was again on the stand several weeks later and was then asked if during the interval he had examined his records further and whether he had any further explanation to make of this discrepancy appearing on the face of his own notes. He made no additional explanation.

In the absence of any explanation of any kind by Engineer Potts, or the production of any further records, the Committee concludes that the contractor on Section 1 was overpaid approximately \$89,176.95 on these three items of work on a final estimate signed by Engineer Potts.

2. The specifications for Section 3 estimated that 175,000 feet of timber sheathing would be required. There was actually paid for 567,048 feet, enough to sheath three-fourths of the entire length of the sewer, a difference in money of \$33,320 09.

The engineer estimated that twenty cubic yards of Class A concrete and one hundred cubic yards of Class B concrete would be used. There were actually paid for three hundred and forty-two cubic yards of Class A, and twenty-six hundred and seventy-

seven yards of Class B, a difference in money of \$39,372. Sufficient concrete was used to build a concrete saddle to the spring line of the sewer for ninety per cent. of its length. Such tremendous increases in the amounts of lumber and concrete paid for over the engineer's preliminary estimates, excited suspicion and the Committee endeavored to learn whether the lumber and concrete paid for had been actually used.

Engineer Potts' field notes in this section were subpoenaed and he said that there were none. His subordinate on this section, the resident engineer, named Neff was out of the state, in New York, and the Committee was unable to subpoena him. Although Mr. Potts was in communication with him, he never produced him.

The specifications provided "Concrete cradles \* \* \* shall be placed where directed by the Engineer. In general concrete cradles where the depth of fill above the top of the pipe is greater than twelve feet and where required by the character of the foundation in the judgment of the Engineer. Concrete cradles, where ordered in writing by the engineer, will be paid for under Item 43."

There were no written orders for the concrete cradles as required by the specifications. They were placed on oral order of resident engineer Neff, who remained outside the State during the investigation. The bills for the concrete cradles were paid by the City on the certificate of Engineer Potts without written order.

If the lumber and concrete paid for were in fact used, the record of the contractor, the Goerringer Construction Company of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., would have conclusively demonstrated that fact. The records would have shown where the material was purchased, how much was paid for it and whether it was delivered. The committee requested the Goerringer Construction Company, by telegraph and letter, to appear. The company not only failed to appear but did not deign to answer the Committee's communications. The City is still withholding money due this contractor under the contract. Mayor Hague was asked whether the city would hold up this payment until the Goerringer Construction Company would appear and answer these questions. He refused to do so.

The failure of Engineer Potts to produce his field notes on Section 3, or if none were kept, the failure to keep them, the unwillingness of the resident engineer Neff, Engineer Potts' subordinate, to appear and testify, coupled with the refusal of the contractor, a Pennsylvania corporation, to appear with the records of his Company, force the Committee to conclude that here too, concealment and evasion are a cover behind which lies an illegal appropriation of public funds.

3. Engineer Potts specified a patented segment block manufactured by the American Vitrified Products Company known as "Amco." Not only did the specifications contain features covered by Amco patents, but Engineer Potts specified the exact measurements of the Amco block. For instance, he specified that thirty-nine inch pipe should be built of block thirteen to the circle, five and one-half inches thick and twenty-four inches in length. These are the precise measurements of this block as described in the Amco trade catalog. And so with the other sizes.

In short, the specification was a closed specification and only the Amco block could qualify.

How this feature was used appears under the next number

4. Paul W. Paulsen, Vice-President and General Manager of the Hammen Construction Company, which built section 2, testified. He said that a similar block was manufactured by the Robinson Clay Products Company and that generally the Robinson and Amco block compete and are practically equal in price.

The Hammen Construction Company is a Detroit concern.

In preparing his bid he used Robinson prices. When his company was awarded the contract, he went to the sales representative of the Amco block in Michigan and obtained a price for delivery at Detroit. To this price he added freight charges to Rockaway, New Jersey, and calculated that as his cost of the pipe on the job. A few days after receiving the quotation of the Michigan representative, it was withdrawn and he was told by the Michigan representative that he would have to deal with R. L. Winslow & Company, the New York representative of the American Vitrified Products Company. He communicated with R. L. Winslow and was given a price about \$90,000 in excess of the price given him by the Michigan representative, plus freight. He testified

that Winslow said, "This specification covers my block and I don't believe you can get another block in there. \* \* \*. You know how they do things around this part of the country well enough, I am not getting all this."

Paulsen told Edward J. Mahoney of Mahoney & Clark, of 2 Pratt street, New York City, dealers in contractors' supplies with whom he did business, of this excess price, meaning a loss to his company of \$90,000. Mahoney suggested that Paulsen endeavor to have the price reduced through Thomas J. Brogan, Corporation Counsel of Jersey City. He testified that he did so through Mahoney, as intermediary, and agreed to pay one-half of any sum that he might be saved through Mr. Brogan's efforts. Paulsen testified that he never saw Brogan personally about this particular matter and that his dealings were through Mahoney. Shortly thereafter the excess price was reduced by Winslow from \$90,000 to approximately \$60,000 and Paulsen paid Mahoney approximately \$9,000 in cash and gave him a note for approximately \$6,000 which was never paid.

Mahoney appeared voluntarily before the Committee and denied Paulsen's statement. When asked to produce his check books and financial records, the Committee thinking that these records might shed light on the controversy, he said that they had been destroyed. Mr. Brogan never appeared although he issued a newspaper statement denying Paulsen's allegations.

R. L. Winslow & Company is a New York Company with offices in New York and not subject to the Committee's subpoena. Mr. Winslow was requested by the Committee to appear, which he never did. An opportunity to examine his books by the Committee's accountant was requested and likewise denied. The books of R. L. Winslow & Company ought to disclose the true facts. They would show whether the price paid by Hammen & Company testified to by Paulsen, was in fact in excess of the price customarily charged in the open market. With this information before them, the Committee would have strong evidence tending to show whether in this instance closed specifications were used to increase the cost of the sewer at the expense of the taxpayers of the municipality; to the enrichment of persons unknown. The failure to produce it tends to confirm Paulsen's statement.

The use of closed specifications, the refusal of R. L. Winslow & Company to furnish the Committee with information under their control, the destruction of Mahoney's bank records and Paulsen's testimony, lead the Committee to find that here again records are unavailable and witnesses remain out of the State because the production of records and the testimony of the witnesses would incriminate someone.

The Committee recommends no legislation on this phase of the inquiry.

The first two items relate to the integrity of public officials and offenses which cannot be guarded against by law. Such wrong-doing can be prevented only by the exercise of honest vigilance by those holding public office. There is already sufficient law on the statute books for the punishment of such offenses.

The latter two items relate to the use of patented articles on public contracts and closed specifications. In the public interest, the use of patented devices cannot be summarily prohibited. On the other hand, closed specifications open the door to fraud in public contracts. Here also the public can trust only to the honesty and efficiency of its agents.

### Condemnation Matters

In 1915, H. S. Kerbaugh, a resident of the State of New York, owned a one-half interest in a tract of land at Secaucus, New Jersey. In that year he acquired the outstanding one-half interest for \$30,000 and conveyed the land to the Secaucus Heights Land Company, which he controlled.

In 1919, Hudson County condemned this tract of land in order to build a county institution upon it and paid for it \$386,215, a profit to Mr. Kerbaugh of \$326,215. The Secaucus Heights Land Company was immediately dissolved, its records cannot be found and Mr. Kerbaugh refused to appear before the Committee and disclose the ultimate recipients of the profit which accrued on the transaction.

On December 28, 1921, the Montclair Water Company, a New Jersey corporation, owner of a property in Morris County comprising a natural lake and considerable acreage known as Split Rock Pond, entered into a contract to sell the property to Joseph

G. Hoffman for \$125,000, payable \$15,000 in cash and \$110,000 on purchase money mortgage. Hoffman was Kerbaugh's secretary. The property which lay in Jersey City's watershed had been in the market for a long time at \$150,000 to the knowledge of various Jersey City officials and had been offered for sale to the city. Immediately after the execution of the contract, Kerbaugh caused to be organized the Montclair Service Corporation, a Delaware corporation, the officers and organizers of which were all residents of New York. Hoffman's contract was assigned to this corporation which acquired title April 4, 1922. On December 19, 1922, Jersey City acquired the property by condemnation proceedings, in which the Montclair Service Corporation was awarded \$325,000. Mr. Kerbaugh made a profit of \$200,000. Mr. John Milton represented the city. The records of the company were outside of the State and all of its officers and stockholders were non-residents of the State. Mr. Milton testified that the financial records of the law firm of Treacy & Milton of which he was a member while this proceeding was in progress, had been destroyed. Mr. Kerbaugh refused to appear and testify.

The Committee, therefore, was unable to ascertain affirmatively whether the \$200,000 profit accruing from this transaction remained with Mr. Kerbaugh or was shared with others.

In 1922, H. S. Kerbaugh acquired from the United Railway & Canal Company, with which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is affiliated, a tract of land at Journal Square in Jersey City, known as the Bowl, and paid for it \$218,500. Frank A. Von Moschzisker, real estate agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad, testified that \$218,500 was the fair value of the land. As required by the statute, the railroad company applied to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners for permission to sell the land at this price which, after hearing, was allowed by the Board.

The deed for Split Rock from the Montclair Service Company to Jersey City was delivered on December 19, 1922. On December 20, 1922, Kerbaugh conveyed the Bowl to the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company in which he and John J. McMahon, Register of Hudson County, who was a close political associate of Frank Hague, head of the dominating political party in Hudson County and in Jersey City, were the controlling stock

holders. McMahon held two-thirds of the stock and Kerbaugh one-third

During the pendency of the Bowl condemnation about to be referred to, Mr. McMahon acted as dummy for Mayor Hague and held for him title to real estate at Deal, New Jersey for which Mayor Hague paid in cash money.

At the time that Kerbaugh transferred the Bowl property to the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company, the Board of Freeholders of Hudson County was planning the Journal Square improvement. It was originally contemplated that there should be a two-way bridge, one leg of which terminated on Magnolia avenue. In July, 1922, one Thomas Davis acquired several properties in the path of this leg of the bridge. He was represented by John Milton, who testified that Thomas Davis' principal was Patrick Casey, General Manager of the Keith-Albee Theatrical interests with offices and residence in New York City. Mr. Milton testified that these transactions were handled in cash. The Committee was unable to locate either Thomas Davis or Patrick Casey to obtain their testimony. No aid was given to the Committee by Mr. Milton in this respect, and neither appeared before the Committee. At the same time a property lying between two properties acquired by Thomas Davis was acquired by The Duncan Corporation, owner of the Duncan apartment, in which both Mayor Hague and John Milton were stockholders.

Subsequently the plan of the bridge was changed and the leg leading to Magnolia avenue was never constructed. These properties are still in the name of Thomas Davis. The revenues are insufficient to pay carrying charges, which are paid by check of John Milton, who testified that he is reimbursed in cash by Mr. Casey.

On July 16, 1924, Hudson County instituted condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of about one-twelfth in area of the property acquired by H. S. Kerbaugh from the United Railway & Canal Company, as hereinbefore mentioned. The condemnation resulted in an award of \$320,430 for one-twelfth of the property which Kerbaugh had acquired from the United Railway & Canal Company two years previously for \$218,500.

John J. McMahon declared in answer to specific questions, that Frank Hague had no interest in the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company or in this transaction. When asked why it was that he held two-thirds of the stock and Kerbaugh one-third, he testified that Kerbaugh had withdrawn more money from the company than he did and that he held the other one-third as security for these withdrawals. No documentary evidence of this statement was produced and McMahon testified that there was no written record of the arrangement between him and Kerbaugh.

The condemnation award was made August 18, 1924, to the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company. The Company kept its account at the Steneck Trust Company, Hoboken, New Jersey, and the check was deposited at that bank. A transcript of the company's account with the Steneck Trust Company was produced. It showed that on August 19, 1924, the day after the payment of the award, the company paid to H. S. Kerbaugh \$200,000 which he deposited in his individual account at the Steneck Trust Company. On that same day H. S. Kerbaugh drew against this deposit of \$200,000 in his individual account five checks, two for \$25,000, one for \$13,000, one for \$10,000 and one for \$12,000, in all \$85,000.

Mr. McMahon was unable to tell who received the money represented by these checks. H. S. Kerbaugh refused to appear and testify. The only documentary evidence consisted of Kerbaugh's check book and the cancelled vouchers which were in his possession in New York City. The Committee, therefore, does not know who received the \$85,000 represented by these five checks, or the names of the recipients of the rest of the money received by the corporation. Those who know, have refused to divulge the information. The financial result of this transaction is, in short, that H. S. Kerbaugh and his associates paid \$218,500 for a tract of land, one-twelfth of which was acquired by Hudson County by condemnation for \$320,430, a profit of \$101,930 plus eleven-twelfths of the original land less expenses, which they incurred.

Between 1919 and 1924 H. S. Kerbaugh happened to find himself the owner of three tracts of land required by Jersey City or

Hudson County for public purposes, the Secaucus tract, the Split Rock and the Bowl. The Secaucus tract yielded a profit of \$326,215, Split Rock \$200,000 and the Bowl \$101,930, plus eleven-twelfths of the original land, a grand total of \$628,145 plus eleven-twelfths of the original Bowl tract, minus carrying charges and expenses.

The extraordinary coincidence that H. S. Kerbaugh three times in five years found himself in a spot about to be struck by the lightning of condemnation, with such fortunate pecuniary results, the disappearance of the records of the Secaucus Heights Land Company, the utilization of a Delaware Corporation manned by dummy non-residents of New Jersey as a means of transferring the Split Rock property, the refusal of the dummy officers of the Montclair Service Corporation to bring its records before the Committee, the failure of Thomas Davis and Patrick Casey to appear as witnesses, the absence of any documentary evidence of the contractual relations between H. S. Kerbaugh and John J. McMahon, the refusal of H. S. Kerbaugh to submit to the Committee the financial records of the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company and the record of his own account showing the disbursement of a part of the fund received from the county, the refusal of H. S. Kerbaugh to testify, and the tremendous financial gain accruing to those involved, compel the Committee to find that public moneys were wasted as the result of a conspiracy operating under cover of legal forms.

The Committee recommends no legislation under this title. The profits made by the individuals concerned in these transactions represent the price paid by Jersey City and Hudson County for a lack of diligence on the part of its public officials. The Secaucus institutions could have been located much less expensively elsewhere. Had the public officials been forehanded, the Split Rock property could have been acquired from its original owner, the Montclair Water Company, for less than one-half of the price finally paid, and that part of the Bowl required for public purposes could have been acquired from the railroad for one-tenth of its final cost. Honesty, foresight and business ability cannot be legislated into public officials.

### **The Hoboken Contract for the Collection of Garbage and Ashes**

In 1923 the City of Hoboken advertised for bids for the collection of garbage and ashes for a period of five years. The cost for the preceding five years had been \$179,940 for the entire period. The specifications required the successful bidder to give a bond in the amount of \$10,000 for the faithful performance of his contract.

Bernard McFeely was a member of the City Commission and later became the political leader of the party in power in Hoboken.

There were three bids submitted, one by James J. McFeely, brother of the Commissioner for \$483,840, one by Peter A. Peluso for \$415,000 and one by the Hoboken Contracting Company for \$374,750. All of the bids were rejected because the Hoboken Contracting Company was represented to be a corporation, which it was not, and the corporation attorney John J. Fallon, advised the Board that for that reason it could not award a contract to the Hoboken Contracting Company.

James G. Cardinale, who traded under the name of Hoboken Contracting Company, and submitted the bid, testified that the Hoboken Contracting Company was not an incorporated company, that it did not bid as a corporation and that there was nothing in the bid which indicated that it was a corporation.

The specifications were revised so as to require from the successful bidder a \$25,000 bond instead of a \$10,000 bond and bids were again advertised for. Upon this letting, there were five bidders, Peluso bid \$476,580, McFeely \$486,260 and Cardinale of the Hoboken Contracting Company \$524,500. The other two were higher. Cardinale testified that his bid was an accommodation bid.

The Commission rejected Peluso's bid on the ground that he was not a responsible bidder and awarded the contract to McFeely. Peluso instituted certiorari proceedings in the Supreme Court, with the result that the resolution rejecting his bid and the resolution awarding the contract to McFeely were set aside. Thereupon the Commission rejected all bids and modified the specifications a second time, this time by requiring from the suc-

successful bidder the deposit of \$25,000 in cash as security for the performance of his contract instead of a bond. Upon the third letting McFeely was the only bidder and the contract was awarded to him for the five-year period for \$470,000, \$95,250 more than the lowest bid on the first letting.

McFeely assigned his bid to a corporation entitled James J. McFeely, Inc., in which he and his two sisters, Mary McFeely and Anna Walsh were stockholders, and deposited \$25,000 as security for the performance of his contract.

James J. McFeely held only five shares of the corporation, the other stockholders being his sister Anna with one share and his sister Mary, who lived with Commissioner McFeely and acted as his housekeeper, with three hundred and sixty-nine shares. James J. McFeely knew virtually nothing of the finances of the company and received only \$75 a week in salary.

The Committee sought the source of the \$25,000 deposit, in an effort to learn whether Commissioner McFeely or any other public official was financially interested in the company. James J. McFeely testified that he borrowed the money in cash from his sister Mary. She testified that her mother gave it to her in cash in 1914 shortly before her mother's death and that she had kept it in a safe in the kitchen of her home in cash until she loaned it to her brother James at the time he made his deposit with the City. Commissioner McFeely had access to the safe.

It subsequently appeared that James J. McFeely had an account at the Second Bank & Trust Company at Hoboken; that he had been doing certain contracting work for the City of Hoboken, for which he received from the city \$3,006.81 each month; that at the time of the first letting, on May 29, 1923, he had built up an account in the Second Bank & Trust Company of a little more than \$15,000 by depositing five of these city checks amounting to \$3,006.81 each. While the relettings above described were in process, he deposited in that same account on July 7, 1923, \$4,736.67 and on August 31, 1923, \$5,200, this later deposit being made in cash, bringing his account, with interest accumulations, to \$25,180.69. The contract was awarded to him on September 4, 1923, when he made his deposit of \$25,000 as required

by the second revised specifications, by drawing a check against his account.

The story told by him and his sister Mary of the origination of this \$25,000 in cash given by their mother to Mary and the loan of it by Mary to James, was proven, by the bank's records, to be a fabrication.

Here appears a suppression of competitive bidding in the interest of a favored bidder by the arbitrary and harsh requirement of a \$25,000 cash deposit at a cost to the taxpayers of Hoboken of \$95,250. The posting of a cash deposit instead of a bond is a most unusual practice. The Committee knows of no instance of it in any important contract. Many qualified, responsible bidders, perfectly capable of posting a bond with satisfactory securities, are not so financially situated that they can withdraw their capital for cash deposits. The tendency of such a requirement would always be, as it was in this instance, to suppress competition, to frighten away honest, qualified bidders and to increase the cost of doing public work. It is a cover behind which favored bidders and dishonest public officials may carry out collusive agreements to the public loss.

The Committee, therefore, recommends that legislation be enacted prohibiting public bodies from requiring the deposit of cash as security for the performance of a public contract, in all contracts exceeding some moderate sum which the legislature shall think reasonable, below which the cost and expense of a bond is not worth while.

### Boulevard Bridge

The Journal Square improvement in Jersey City was made at a total cost of \$3,162,021.42, the construction work cost \$1,643,574.87, of which Stillman, Delehanty, Ferris Company, the principal contractor received \$1,409,392.76.

The president of the Stillman, Delehanty, Ferris Company was John J. Ferris, President of the Board of Education of Jersey City, he having been appointed a member of the Board by Mayor Frank Hague, and William R. Delehanty was the treasurer. Mr. Ferris died while the work was in progress.

There was submitted in evidence three pocket diaries which had been kept by John J. Ferris, and a memorandum writing in lead pencil, of which the following is a copy:

BOULEVARD BRIDGE.

Hague & Freeholders .....	200,000.
O'Marra .....	10,000.
Mitchell .....	50,000.
Cohen—Changed by H. & Cohen 3/13/24 to 15,000 from 25,000 .....	25,000.
Radigan .....	5,000.
	290,000.

Elbridge W. Stein, a handwriting expert, testified that the writer of the diaries was the writer of the memorandum, from which the Committee concluded that John J. Ferris was the writer of the memorandum.

Thomas J. Lynch, Assistant Treasurer of the company was subpoenaed to testify before the Committee with reference to this memorandum and other matters hereinafter referred to. The subpoena was served on Sunday and Mr. Lynch took advantage of this to leave the jurisdiction. He had resided for several years in Essex County.

Counsel for the Committee testified that in his official capacity, representing the Committee he interviewed Mr. Lynch on September 13, 1928, and that Mr. Lynch told him that it was the practice of Stillman, Delehanty, Ferris Company to create a cash fund by means of a fictitious payroll; that there appeared on the payroll the names of persons who were not in fact employees; that payroll envelopes containing wages appearing on the books of the company to have been earned by these fictitious employees were made up in regular course; that the money purporting to be the wages of these fictitious employees was not delivered, the persons named on the envelopes not being in existence, and was disposed of in some way of which Mr. Lynch had no knowledge.

The Committee endeavored to learn whether there was any connection between this fictitious payroll and the memorandum above referred to. Lynch issued newspaper statements from his refuge in New York City, denying the statements attributed to him by counsel of the Committee, but notwithstanding a written request to do so, he failed to appear for examination.

Frank Hague was examined as to his connection with the transaction, his name appearing on the Ferris memorandum. He showed that after the introduction into evidence of the Ferris memorandum he sent to Mr. Stein for his expert opinion a letter bearing a forged signature, John J. Ferrigno, and a part of an authentic signature made by John J. Ferris, to wit, "John J. Ferri." Mr. Stein was asked whether, in his opinion, the writer of the forged signature "John J. Ferrigno" also was the writer of the standard "John J. Ferri." Mr. Stein gave it as his opinion that the same person wrote both signatures, in which he was mistaken if Mr. Hague's statement of the fact is correct. Mr. Hague asserted that the memorandum was the fabrication of the former Chairman of this Committee and its counsel, and denounced them as frauds.

Thereupon, counsel for the Committee informed the Committee that the memorandum had been given to him by William R. Delehanty, former treasurer of Stillman, Delehanty, Ferris Company, whose business address is 1819 Broadway, New York City, and whose residence is 451 West End Avenue, New York City, which fact had not been made public pending the efforts of the Committee to procure the attendance of Mr. Lynch.

By the instructions of the Committee Mr. Delehanty was requested by registered mail to appear before the Committee to testify with respect to this transaction. Registered letters containing this request were sent to his business address and to his residence. He has thus far failed to appear and did not reply to either communication.

The Committee is holding this phase of the investigation in abeyance and will continue to do so until it has exhausted all possibility of procuring the testimony of Mr. Lynch and Mr. Delehanty.

### Jury Matters

Heretofore jury lists in Hudson County have not been prepared by the joint action of the Sheriff and the Jury Commissioner as contemplated by the statute. The Sheriff testified that it was the practice for him to select one-half of the names and the Jury Commissioner to select the other half, obviously an improper procedure.

As showing the relations between Hudson County Grand Juries and public officials, the Committee reports the incident of an investigation by the Grand Jury of county institutions under the supervision of the Board of Freeholders and County Supervisor John F. O'Neil, after which the Grand Jury presented a presentment to the Hudson County Court praising, in fulsome language, the administration of the county officials concerned, including the County Supervisor. The presentment of the Grand Jury received wide newspaper publicity.

It was proven that the report was written verbatim by County Supervisor O'Neil, handed to the Foreman of the Grand Jury and presented to the Court as the composition of the Grand Jury.

### Jersey City Hospital

Jersey City maintains a municipal hospital at an annual expense of approximately \$1,000,000, with a total revenue of approximately \$50,000. Jersey City gives free medical and hospital service of approximately \$950,000 per year.

The hospital is a well conducted institution.

There is virtually no effort made to ascertain whether patients at the hospital are able to pay for the service which they receive. There is no investigation of their ability to pay. An investigation made by the Committee shows that a considerable proportion of the patients treated at the hospital are able to pay for their care and treatment.

In effect, the expense of treating these patients is paid for by other taxpayers.

The Committee makes no recommendation under this title. The policy of treating patients financially able to pay at the expense of other taxpayers is one which should be left to the governing body of the city.

### Gambling

The Committee investigated race track gambling conditions in Jersey City, and found that Jersey City occupies an important place in that business. The evidence disclosed the existence of several pool rooms with elaborate telephonic equipment. One pool room conducted by Samuel A. Mateer, is the center of a system by which information is relayed to various other points in Jersey City and Hoboken. Mateer left New Jersey and has remained outside the jurisdiction during the progress of this investigation. Other places were found to be connected by wire with various cities throughout the country, in the neighborhood of important race tracks.

The Committee was not interested in race track gambling *per se*, which is purely a police problem. The Committee endeavored to ascertain whether this system is politically protected, and if so, to what extent and by what means it is arranged. Beyond the inference that pool rooms with elaborate telephonic connections with nearby points and distant cities cannot carry on extensive business without the acquiescence or connivance of the police authorities, the investigation of the Committee on this point was fruitless.

### Mayor Hague

The Committee conducted an exhaustive investigation in an effort to ascertain whether Frank Hague, Mayor of Jersey City and the leader of the political organization which controls Jersey City and Hudson County, profited personally as a result of the extravagance, inefficiency and political and governmental practices hereinbefore referred to.

Mr. Hague has been a member of the City Commission since 1913 and has been Mayor since 1917. His highest salary has been \$8,000 per annum. He testified that he has had no other gainful occupation.

The testimony showed that it has been Mr. Hague's custom to carry on his business dealings in cash through dummies, avoiding check books, banks and usual business practices in his larger transactions.

In 1918 or 1919 he acquired for \$12,000 a part of the property on which was afterwards built the apartment house, in which he resides in Jersey City. The consideration was paid by John Milton's check. Mr. Hague reimbursed Mr. Milton in cash.

In 1921, Mr. Hague bought the remainder of the land upon which Duncan Hall stands for \$51,000. The consideration was paid by John Milton's check and Mr. Hague reimbursed him in cash.

The Duncan company was organized and built the Duncan Hall apartments on this tract. Mr. Hague received \$65,000 in stock of the Duncan Company for this land and in further consideration thereof, has since occupied, rent free, an apartment, the rental value of which is \$7,000 per year.

On May 3, 1921, Mr. Hague acquired a property at Deal, New Jersey, for which he paid \$18,000. The title was taken in John Milton's name, the purchase price was paid by John Milton's check and Mr. Hague reimbursed Mr. Milton in cash.

On July 18, 1921, Mr. Hague bought one hundred and fifty shares of stock in the First National Bank of Jersey City from Edward I. Edwards for \$37,500, which he paid in cash money.

On July 21, 1922, Mr. Hague acquired one hundred shares of stock of the Trust Company of New Jersey, by subscribing to rights originally in the name of a deceased stockholder for which he paid \$34,500.

On June 16, 1923, he purchased a property at Deal, New Jersey, in the name of John J. McMahon, as a dummy, for \$30,000. The purchase price was paid by John Milton's check and Mr. Hague reimbursed him in cash.

In 1924, Mr. Hague was assessed \$12,000 as a stockholder in the Duncan Company. The assessment was paid by John Milton's check. Mr. Hague reimbursed him in cash.

In 1926, Mr. Hague acquired property on Gifford Avenue, Jersey City, at a cost of \$27,500. The title was taken in the name of Thomas McNulty, as a dummy, and the purchase money was paid by John Milton's check. Mr. Hague afterwards reimbursed him in cash.

On June 9, 1926, Mr. Hague acquired thirty-four shares of Trust Company of New Jersey stock for which he paid \$8,464.

On October 11, 1926, Mr. Hague purchased property at Deal, New Jersey, in John Milton's name as a dummy. The purchase price was \$65,000. Mr. Milton paid it with his check. Mr. Hague afterwards reimbursed him in cash.

In 1927, Mr. Hague improved the property at Deal, New Jersey, just referred to, and paid to the contractors \$59,520.50. These payments were made by John Milton's checks as the work progressed. Mr. Hague reimbursed him in cash. Mr. Hague personally paid one of the contractors \$600 in cash for some extra work.

In 1927, Mr. Hague acquired thirty-four shares of Trust Company of New Jersey stock for which he paid \$10,150 and later in the same year thirty-four shares of stock of the same bank for which he paid \$13,676. In June, 1928, he purchased one hundred and thirty-five shares of the same bank stock for which he paid \$13,500.

These transactions total \$392,910.50. Omitting the first item, the transactions for the seven years, 1921 to 1928, amount to \$380,910.50.

It also appeared that the taxes on the Deal property were paid in part in cash and in part by Mr. Milton's check, for which he was reimbursed in cash.

He rented one of his Deal properties to Michael Scatourchio, holder of the garbage and refuse collection contract in Jersey City, who paid his rent, \$2,000 per annum, in cash.

The Committee interrogated Mr. Hague and asked him whether the facts just related, which had been testified to by other witnesses, were true, and if true, where he got the money, why he acquired property through dummies, why he used cash money instead of checks, why he avoided banks, why he failed to keep financial records and similar questions. He refused to answer these questions on the ground that they related to his private affairs and that the Legislature had no constitutional right to interrogate him as to those matters.

It is the Committee's view that, inasmuch as Mr. Hague has been a public office holder through the years covered by this investigation with no other gainful occupation and has been Mayor of Jersey City and leader of the political party in power in Hud-

son County, it is properly a matter of public interest whether Mr. Hague amassed his wealth by means of the practices and conditions set forth in this report.

The Committee recommends that appropriate action be taken by the Legislature to test the validity of these questions and if found to be valid, to compel Mr. Hague to answer them.

### General

The work of the Committee has been very much hampered by the alleged loss, destruction and theft of various records, the refusal of various persons to bring certain records into the State, and the absence of certain witnesses from the State.

The following is a list of unavailable records:

1. The check books of the Robin Hood Amusement Company alleged to contain records of payments to Roger Boyle, chief of the Jersey City Fire Department, in connection with the operation of the Academy of Music, a moving picture theatre, said by Jack Finkelstein to have been destroyed.

2. The financial records of the Rivoli Theatre, Hoboken, alleged to contain evidence of payments to John Delaney, Inspector of Licenses of Hoboken, said by Abraham Savage to have been stolen.

3. Check books and financial records of James J. McFeely, Inc., unaccounted for by James J. McFeely and Mary McFeely, who testified that the few that were produced, not covering the period under inquiry, were "all they have."

4. The check books and vouchers of Bernard N. McFeely, Hoboken Commissioner, who testified that it was his practice to destroy his check books as they are "used up."

5. The check books and financial records of the firm of Treacy & Milton, during the time that John Milton was acting as counsel for Jersey City and for Frank Hague, in the transactions above referred to.

6. The check books, cancelled vouchers and financial records of John Milton which he said had been destroyed because, "I am practically out of business; I have gotten rid of records and I have gotten rid of an office force, and I have gotten rid of the law business."

7. The check books and cancelled vouchers of the special account in which Joseph E. Bernstein deposited and from which he disbursed the funds collected by him from moving picture theatre owners.

8. The records of Edward J. Cahill, the real estate agent who negotiated the Split Rock sale to Joseph G. Hoffman, H. S. Kerbaugh's secretary.

9. The check books and stock records of the Secaucus Heights Land Company, the owner of the property condemned by Hudson County.

10. The check books and cancelled vouchers of H. S. Kerbaugh.

11. The check books and cancelled vouchers of the New Jersey Bergen Square Realty Company.

12. The financial records and stock records of the Montclair Service Corporation.

13. The monthly pool sheets disclosing the total receipts of all the bus lines operating in Jersey City.

14. Engineer Potts' field notes of the construction of Section 3 of the Dover sewer.

15. A part of the field notes of Section 1, of the Dover sewer.

16. The check books and financial records of Edward J. Mahoney to whom payments are alleged to have been made by Paul W. Paulsen, in consideration of reducing the excess charge on Amco segment block.

The following material witnesses are outside the State and have refused to appear, or have left the jurisdiction:

1. James J. McFeely.
2. Mary McFeely.

[Note: These two witnesses are now in New Jersey. They have not been called because the matter concerning which the Committee desires to interrogate them is before the Hudson County Grand Jury.]

3. Patrick Casey.
4. Thomas Davis.
5. H. S. Kerbaugh.

6. Joseph G. Hoffman.
7. William F. Allen.
8. George M. Clark.

[Note: Mr. Clark and Mr. Allen are members of the firm of Everett, Clark & Benedict, counsellors at law of New York City, who organized the Montclair Service Corporation and who, at various times acted as officers of it.]

9. Roger Boyle, Chief of the Jersey City Fire Department.
10. Max Steuer.
11. William R. Delehanty.
12. Thomas J. Lynch.
13. C. F. Goerringer.
14. J. H. Neff.
15. R. L. Winslow.

And the following witnesses in connection with the gambling investigation:

16. Samuel A. Mateer.
17. James Corbett.
18. Erastus Palmer.
19. Patrick Casey.
20. Charles Schmitt.
21. Charles Shields.
22. Patrick O'Toole.

The Committee considers the testimony of several of these witnesses to be extremely important and will continue in session from time to time up until the next meeting of the Legislature in an endeavor to procure the attendance of these witnesses.

**Legislation**

Bills embodying the suggestions for legislation contained in this report will be drafted and will be presented to the Legislature for its consideration at its next session.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

ALBERT R. McALLISTER,

.....  
*Chairman.*

S. RUSLING LEAP,

.....  
*Secretary.*

A. C. REEVES,

ROY T. YATES,

HARRY L. HUELSENBECK,

M. W. NEWCOMB.

RUSSELL E. WATSON,

.....  
*Of Counsel.*

Trenton, N. J., April 23, 1929.

Mr. Barison submitted the following minority report of the Joint Committee created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929.

*To the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:*

We cannot subscribe to the report filed and signed by the majority of this Committee appointed originally under and by virtue of Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3d, 1928, amended by Joint Resolution No. 6, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, for the following reasons:

The report, in our judgment, is a partisan one, even though it is predicated upon the testimony adduced before the Committee. We object to the report and refuse to subscribe thereto because the testimony was very objectionable, based in great part on hearsay of the remotest kind; in some instances from the hearsay words alleged to have been uttered by persons now dead and in other instances based on opinion evidence only, which it is impossible to controvert except by catagorical denial which is unsatisfactory. Rules of evidence were not made the standard of the procedure of the Committee. Many of the witnesses were entirely unreliable, whose testimony could be seriously impeached if not totally destroyed, if those who had been charged on this kind of evidence were permitted to produce witnesses and have their day in Court. It is very easy to destroy the reputation of an individual of a community if the reading public is to be regaled with hearsay evidence and the testimony of witnesses whose creditability could not be supported. We further object to the report because the Committee, although it had presented to it directly and forcibly by the Governor of the State unbiased reports of unlawful, vicious and revolting conditions in other counties of New Jersey which matters and conditions were not investigated by this Committee only because the places referred to were controlled and dominated by the leading actors in the Republican party in this State. This leads us to the inevitable conclusion that the activities of the Probe Committee were partisan and designedly so.

We further object to the report of the majority in which it is charged that some twenty-two thousand people normally Democrats became Republicans for a day. There is no evidence of any such conclusion. There is nothing before the Committee which permits the charge that any such number of citizens were involved in any way in anything that could be characterized as a violation of the Election Laws. Any such person who voted in the Repub-

lican box had a legal right so to do under the General Election Law. This was plain from the interpretation placed upon the law by the County Board of Elections of Hudson County which is a bi-partisan Board, by the former Attorney-General of the State of New Jersey and by the Special Deputy Attorney-General appointed by him to scrutinize the charges made by a disappointed candidate at the primaries. We do not feel that any citizen or any group of citizens should be unjustly characterized in this fashion.

For these reasons we feel that this minority report should be made and filed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) HENRY O. CARHART,

(Signed) MORRIS E. BARISON.

Mr. Barison moved that the report be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 24th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker.*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution.

WHEREAS, A Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey was created and appointed by virtue of Joint Resolution No 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, to make a survey of all questions of public interest; to investigate violations of law, and the conduct of any State, County or Municipal official, State, County or Municipal board, or State, County or Municipal body, to report whether the functions of such officials, departments, commissions, boards and bodies have been or are being lawfully and properly discharged for the purpose of obtaining information relative thereto as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; to ascertain what departments or activities of the State, County and Municipal governments may be curtailed, consolidated or eliminated and to report its findings as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper;

to make a general survey of the finances of the State, counties and municipalities to report its findings as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and,

WHEREAS, Frank Hague appeared before the said Joint Committee, in response to a subpoena, and testified and refused to answer certain questions put to him, which the Joint Committee decided to be proper and pertinent to its investigation and inquiry, as appears by the report of the Joint Committee to the Senate and General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring) that the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in Joint Session, at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the 24th day of June, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining the said Frank Hague with reference to the matters under inquiry and investigation by the said Joint Committee, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a subpoena issue to the said Frank Hague, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, substantially in the following form:

“NEW JERSEY, SS:

THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO:  
FRANK HAGUE

GREETING: Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey on April 24th, 1929, we hereby command and summon you to lay aside all and singular businesses and excuses and personally appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in Joint Session at the State House, Trenton, N. J., on the 24th day of June, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., to testify all and singular what you know concerning matters under inquiry by the Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, created and appointed by virtue of Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929.

WITNESS the hand of Thomas A. Mathis, President of the Senate, attested by Robert M. Johnston, Secretary of the Senate, and Guy George Gabrielson, Speaker of the General Assembly,

attested by Frederick A. Brodesser, Clerk of the General Assembly, all affixed by virtue of the said Concurrent Resolution, adopted by the Senate and General Assembly, on April 24th, 1929, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, 1929.

ATTEST:

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*Secretary of the Senate.*

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*President of the Senate.*

ATTEST:

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*Clerk of the General Assembly. Speaker of the General Assembly.*

*Be it Further Resolved*, That a subpoena fee in the amount required by law be paid to the said Frank Hague and that the Department of State Police be requested to serve the said subpoena upon the said Frank Hague forthwith, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided. Be it further

*Resolved*, That Russell E. Watson, Counsel to the said Joint Committee, be directed to attend at said joint session as Counsel to the Senate and General Assembly.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that the House of Assembly concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 24th, 1929. }

*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. 84, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 135, entitled "An act to authorize the acquisition and preservation of the Dey House Washington Headquarters, located at Preakness, in the township of Wayne, county of Passaic, to commemorate the sesqui-centennial of the occupancy of said headquarters by General George Washington in the

American Revolutionary War; to appoint a commission with power to acquire and preserve the said headquarters; and to appropriate moneys to pay for the acquisition and preservation of the same,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 476, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State real estate commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof,' passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

All with the following Senate amendments.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and the following Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84 was read by the clerk:

Page 1, section 4-A, line 7, insert after the word "the" and before the word "governing" the word "elective".

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84:

Page 1, section 4-A, line 7, insert after the word "the" and before the word "governing" the word "elective".

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84 be taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84:

Page 1, section 4-A, line 7, insert after the word "the" and before the word "governing" the word "elective".

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barbour, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Cassini, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollins-  
hed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin,  
Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb,  
Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa,  
Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber,  
Wettstein, Wise—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Merco-  
lino, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—7.

The Speaker declared the Senate Amendment to Assembly  
Bill No. 84 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 135 :

On page 2, section 1, line 1, strike out the word "The" at the  
beginning of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following :

"When included in any annual or supplemental appropriation  
bill, the".

Was read by the clerk.

Mr Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate  
Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 135 be advanced to second  
reading forthwith, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 135 :

On page 2, section 1, line 1, strike out the word "The" at the  
beginning of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following :

"When included in any annual or supplemental appropriation  
bill, the".

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections,  
agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate  
Amendment to Assembly Bill No 135 be advanced and taken  
up on third reading and final passage forthwith

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No 135 :

On page 2, section 1, line 1, strike out the word "The" at the  
beginning of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following :

“When included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill, the”.

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barbour, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendment to Assembly Bill No. 135 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up and

The following Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 476 were read by the Clerk:

Paragraph two, line four: After the comma after the word “who” strike out the words “for another or”.

Line fourteen: Strike out the period after the word “estate” and add the words “for others.”

Line twenty-six: Strike out the period after the word “trust” and add the following: “Or to State banks, Federal banks, savings banks and trust companies located within this State, or to insurance companies incorporated under the insurance laws of this State.

Mr. Otto moved that Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 476 be laid over,

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 23d, 1929. }

*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. 176, entitled “An act to amend an act entitled ‘An act concerning building and loan associations’ (Revision of

1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

And

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 24th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act for the payment of a pension to the widow, during her lifetime and widowhood, of any person who has served continuously for a period of thirty-five years, or over, as a chief engineer at the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park, *provided* said person shall have died while still in said service and without taking advantage of an act known as 'An act for the establishment of an employees' retirement system for the employees of the State of New Jersey,' approved March thirty-first, nineteen twenty-one, or any other pension act,"

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which

said supplement was 'approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate Message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act for the payment of a pension to the widow, during her lifetime and widowhood, of any person who has served continuously for a period of thirty-five years, or over, as a chief engineer at the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park, *provided* said person shall have died while still in said service and without taking advantage of an act known as 'An act for the establishment of an employees' retirement system for the employees of the State of New Jersey,' approved March thirty-first, nineteen twenty-one, or any other pension act,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Was read for the first time by its title, ordered to have a second reading and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Gopsill Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Assembly Bill No. 487,

With the following committee amendments :

Strike out all of lines 17 to 23 inclusive on page 3.

Strike out section 4, page 4, lines 1 to 23 inclusive.

Which were read by the clerk.

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the Committee Amendments to Assembly Bill No. 487.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Stewart, Chairman of the Committee on Incidental Expenses, reported

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 177,

By the following committee substitute :

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Mr Stewart moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker requested Mr Siracusa, of Atlantic County, to take the Chair.

Mr. Siracusa assumed the chair.

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 243,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Morrison, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported

Senate Bill No. 245,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Siracusa, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Business, reported

Senate Bill No. 30,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19,

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 278, 279, 280, 281 and 282,

Favorably, without amendment.

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two."

As amended,

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 177, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 243, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,' approved April twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto,"

Senate Bill No 245, entitled "An act to regulate fishing by vessels, other than those engaged in the taking of menhaden, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean, within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, with shirred or purse seines, otter or beam trawls, and to require a license for such fishing,"

Senate Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "Joint resolution concerning the boundary line between the States of New Jersey and Delaware in the Delaware River and Delaware Bay,"

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Senate Bill No. 278, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize banks and trust companies to establish branch offices or agencies for the transaction of their business,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 279, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Senate Bill No. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 282, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr Muir asked for the record on Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177.

Which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr Muir moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 177, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of one thousand

eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Muir, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Stewart moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hanson, F. J., Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Lorenz, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Pierson, Roder, Stelle, Summers—18.

Mr. Hollinshed asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 30, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Hollinshed moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 30 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 30, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Hollinshed, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Litwin asked for the record on Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. Litwin moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 was lost be taken from the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. McMurray asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 245, which was furnished by the clerk.

Mr. McMurray moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 245 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage forthwith.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 245, entitled "An act to regulate fishing by vessels, other than those engaged in the taking of menhaden, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean, within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, with shirred or purse seines, otter or beam trawls, and to require a license for such fishing,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Young—37.

In the negative was—

Mr. Gabrielson—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. Litwin moved that the vote by which Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 was lost be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber—35.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19 be reconsidered and placed back on third reading.

Mr. Young asked for the record on Assembly Bill No 192, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Young asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules to amend Assembly Bill No. 192 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Young offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 192, on third reading, which was read by the Clerk.

Amend section one, by adding after the word "judge" on line six, the words "*provided, this does not affect any counties bordering on the Delaware River*"

Mr. Young moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No 192, on third reading

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 192, entitled "An act relating to the compensation of judges of the Court of Common Pleas in certain counties of this State,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolinio, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Young—35.

In the negative were—

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 193, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect,' approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marim, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,'"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 345, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), which supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Muir, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson,

Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—37.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Purdy asked for the record on Senate Bill No 25, which was furnished by the Clerk

Mr. Purdy moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 25 was lost be taken from the table

Which motion was adopted

Mr. Purdy moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No 25 was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker declared Senate Bill No 25 reconsidered and placed back on third reading.

Mr. Purdy moved that Senate Bill No. 25 lie over.

Which motion was adopted

Assembly Bill No 514, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Sterner, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hol linhed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, Mc-Murray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Vanderbach—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.

Assembly Joint Resolution No 20, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission to provide for State participation in the "Light's Golden Jubilee" to be held at Dearborn, Michigan, on or about October twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and to appropriately mark the site at Menlo Park, in this State, commemorating the distinguished services of Thomas A. Edison,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Edgar, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mur, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pürsel, Ritzenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Haines, Kuser—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. McMurray asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to amend Senate Bill No. 247 on third reading.

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr McMurray offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 247 on third reading

Which were read by the clerk.

On page 1, line 14, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof the word "six".

On page 1, line 14, strike out the figures "(\$5,500)" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "(\$6,500)."

On page 2, line 36, after the words "salary of" in said line, strike out the remainder of said line, and all of line 37, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per annum."

Mr. McMurray moved the adoption of the Assembly Amendments to Senate Bill No. 247 on third reading

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 247, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State other than counties of the first class,'" approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen twenty-six,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

Ine the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No 259, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Rittenhouse, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner,

Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 503, entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by municipalities,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barison, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marin, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs Knight, Stewart—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.

Miss Jones asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 232, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Miss Jones moved that the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 232 was lost be taken from the table,

Which motion was adopted.

Miss Jones moved that the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 232 was lost be reconsidered.

On which motion the ayes and nays were called with the following result:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Mercolino, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise—28.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Wettstein, Young—19.

The Speaker declared the motion to reconsider the vote by which Assembly Bill No. 232 was lost, lost.

Senate Bill No. 276, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pier-son, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. McMurray asked for the record on Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, which was furnished by the Clerk

Mr. McMurray moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32 be advanced and taken up on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, 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, and, on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
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In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted,

Which motion was adopted

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House of Assembly adjourns it adjourn to meet Saturday, April 27th, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, and that when it then adjourns it be to adjourn to meet Monday, April 29th, 1929, at eight o'clock P. M.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reported having delivered to the Governor on April 24th, 1929, Assembly Bill No. 493, with Senate amendments.

Having passed both Houses was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House of Assembly had passed the same without amendment

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 210.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House of Assembly has passed the same with amendments and asked its concurrence therein:

Senate Bills Nos. 193, 147, 152, 215.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House of Assembly had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 467, 445, 513, 517, 321, Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, and Assembly Bill No. 512.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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SATURDAY, April 27th, 1929.

At twelve o'clock noon, the House met.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs Powers, Bethke and Spair.

Mr. Powers, Speaker *pro tem.*, in the chair.

There being no quorum present, the Speaker *pro tem.* declared the House adjourned until Monday evening, at eight o'clock P. M., April 29th, 1929.

MONDAY, April 29th, 1929.

House met at 8 o'clock P. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. T. Paul Loraine, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clayton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsil, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Mur, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—54.

Absent—

Messrs Altman, D'Elia, Lorenz, McDermott—4.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the Minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir, Chairman of the Committee on Printed Bills, reported

Assembly Bills Nos. 441 and 487 as correctly printed.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Senate Bill No. 209

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the house recess for fifteen minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—54.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, D'Elia, Lorenz, McDermott—4.

Senate Bill No 97, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Hand, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Senate Bill No. 123, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Wettstein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 171, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Kautz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. 174, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Kautz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Compton, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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. Spair asked unanimous consent under suspension of the rules to introduce Assembly Bill No 518.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced, was read for the first time by the title,

Assembly Bill No. 518, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Mr. Spair moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No 518 be advanced to second reading forthwith without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Spair moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 518 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 518, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pier-son, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Smock,

Spair, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Assembly Bill No 83, entitled "An act concerning wards and providing for change of lines and boundaries of wards or for an increase or decrease in the number thereof in municipalities in the State of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr Hanson, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Mercolino, Parentini, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—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. Mercolino offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Be It Resolved*, That Martin P. Barison, the youngest brother of the distinguished minority leader, Morris E. Barison, who it is understood will succeed him in the House of Assembly, be granted the privilege of the floor for the purpose of making a speech

Mr. Barison declined to address the House stating that Mr. Morris E. Barison would take his place

Senate Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insur-

ance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, nineteen hundred and two,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Compton, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino,, Cassini Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Compton asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 476 which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Compton moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 476 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly No. 476:

Paragraph two, line four: After the comma after the word "who" strike out the words "for another or".

Line fourteen: Strike out the period after the word "estate" and add the words "for others."

Line twenty-six: Strike out the period after the word "trust" and add the following: "Or to State banks, Federal banks, savings banks and trust companies located within this State, or to insurance companies incorporated under the insurance laws of this State

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Compton moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 476, be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Amendments to Assembly No. 476:

Paragraph two, line four: After the comma after the word "who" strike out the words "for another or".

Line fourteen: Strike out the period after the word "estate" and add the words "for others."

Line twenty-six: Strike out the period after the word "trust" and add the following: "Or to State banks, Federal banks, savings banks and trust companies located within this State, or to insurance companies incorporated under the insurance laws of this State.

Were taken up, and on motion of Mr. Compton, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach—41.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Hollinshed, Rittenhouse, Roder—3

The Speaker declared Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 476 concurred in

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 29th, 1929.

*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 90, entitled "An act to restore to the several school districts of the State moneys illegally taken from the main stem railroad and canal tax fund for the benefit of the State Highway Extension Sinking Fund, the Soldiers' Bonus Sinking

Fund, and the State Institution Construction Fund, by appropriating same to a special railroad tax school fund for distribution to school districts,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Mr. Stewart asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 90, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 90 be advanced and that Senate Bill No. 90 be advanced and taken up on second reading forthwith, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to restore to the several school districts of the State moneys illegally taken from the main stem railroad and canal tax fund for the benefit of the State Highway Extension Sinking Fund, the Soldiers' Bonus Sinking Fund, and the State Institution Construction Fund, by appropriating same to a special railroad tax school fund for distribution to school districts,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15, of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mechanics Lien Commission,' in order to further revise the present mechanics' lien laws, and for the purpose of further inquiring and ascertaining what legislative enactments are necessary concerning the laws relating to mechanics' liens,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Roder, Smock, Spair,

Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gabrielson (Speaker), Muir, Pursel, Rittenhouse—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. McMurray asked for the record on Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. McMurray asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to amend Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34 on third reading. There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. McMurray offered the following amendments to Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34 on third reading.

Which were read by the Clerk

Amend line 85, page 4, by inserting between the words "thousand" and "dollars" the words "eight hundred."

Amend line 111, page 4, after the word "centum" by striking out the word "as" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "of"

Amend line 112, page 5, by striking out the word "therein" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "herein."

Mr. McMurray moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34, on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wisé, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 29th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 2, providing for the memorializing of the Congress of the United States for permission to construct a bridge across the Delaware River from Penns-grove, New Jersey, to Wilmington, Delaware.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Compton asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 90, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Compton moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 90 be advanced, taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to restore to the several school districts of the State moneys illegally taken from the main stem railroad and canal tax fund for the benefit of the State Highway Extension Sinking Fund, the Soldiers' Bonus Sinking Fund, and the State Institution Construction Fund, by appropriating same to a special railroad tax school fund for distribution to school districts,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Compton, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 213, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies and horse railroad companies to make annual returns to the State Board of Assessors,' approved May third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine,"

Was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Wettstein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Knight, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Vanderbach—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.

Senate Bill No. 221, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Senate Bill No. 298, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the abandonment of navigation upon the Morris Canal and providing for the dismantling of the canal and the disposition of portions of the property, the title to which is now held in trust for the State of New Jersey by the Morris Canal and Banking Company upon terms and compensation fixed by said Morris Canal and Banking Company, and providing for the review of said terms and compensation by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New Jersey, and further providing for the management and control of such property pending the disposition thereof,' approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Baxter, Bethke, Compton, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Duszynski, Roder, Vanderbach—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.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, entitled "Joint resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commission appointed under Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the report of the said joint commission,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Blunt, Bucino, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto,

Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 278, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize banks and trust companies to establish branch offices or agencies for the transaction of their business,' approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinsched, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 279, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinsched, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters,

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Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Baxter, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported

Assembly Bill No. 270, by the following Assembly Committee substitute, which was read by the clerk :

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270, 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 thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Mr. Baxter moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Cassini moved that the rules be suspended and that the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270 be advanced and taken up on second reading forthwith, without printing.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270, 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 thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Cassini moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 270, 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 thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McWilliams, Morrison, Parentini, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Young—32.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hand, Lorenz, Newcomb, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise—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.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr Kuser moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—35.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Hand, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Lorenz, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Roder, Sterner, Stewart, Wise—23

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
 SENATE CHAMBER,  
 April 29th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring) that Senate Bill No 196 be recalled from the Governor for the purpose of further consideration.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Kuser moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker declared the Senate Concurrent Resolution concurred in.

Assembly Bill No 441, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works,' approved February sixteen, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Haines, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Young—33

In the negative were—

Messrs Marini, Peters, Weber, Wise—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.

Senate Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 281, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 282, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 487, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—35.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That when the House adjourns it adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 30th, 1929, at eleven o'clock Standard Time (twelve o'clock Daylight Saving Time).

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No. 274, with the following Assembly Committee amendments:

Insert on page three, after line twenty-one—"This act shall take effect February fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty."

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Gopsill moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 274.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

With Assembly amendments.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and amendments ordered to be printed and to have a third reading.

Mr. Barbour offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 274, on second reading

Page three, paragraph three, line five, strike out the words "and one-half" and the figure " $\frac{1}{2}$ ."

Which was read by the Clerk.

Mr. Barbour moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 274, on second reading.

Which motion was lost.

The Speaker declared Mr. Barbour's amendments to Senate Bill No. 274, on second reading, lost

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Senate Bill No. 206

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Knight, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, reported Assembly Bill No. 510

Favorably, without amendment.

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 216

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bills Nos. 176, 180

Favorably, without amendment.

Mr. Gopsill Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Insurance, reported

Senate Bill No 277, with the following Assembly Committee amendments:

In section one, line two strike out the word "document"

In section one, line two after the word "any" and before the word "filed" insert the following: "certificate of incorporation or any amendment thereto, merger and/or dissolution proceedings"

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr Gopsill moved the adoption of the Assembly Committee amendments to Senate Bill No. 277.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported

Assembly Bill No. 141 with the following committee amendments:

Amend page two, line twenty-nine, between the comma after the word "officers" and the word "and" strike out the following words "Members of the South Jersey Port Commission and the Secretary, Treasurer and Attorney."

Which were read by the Clerk.

Mr. Spair moved the adoption of the committee amendments to Assembly Bill No 141.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,

As amended,

And

Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, ordered to be reprinted and to have a third reading.

Senate Bill No. 206, entitled "An act for the payment of a pension to the widow, during her lifetime and widowhood, of any person who has served continuously for a period of thirty-five years, or over, as a chief engineer at the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park, *provided* said person shall have died while still in said service and without taking advantage of an act known as 'An act for the establishment of an employees' retirement system for the employees of the State of New Jersey,' approved March thirty-first, nineteen twenty-one, or any other pension act,"

Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 216, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 277, entitled "A supplement to 'An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance,' approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one,"

As amended,

And

Senate Bill No. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment

of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

As amended,

Were each severally taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein :

Assembly Bills Nos. 83, 192, A. J. R. 19, Committee Substitute for Committee Substitute for 177.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same, all without amendment :

Senate Bills Nos. 213 and Committee Substitute for Senate 255.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same with amendments and asked its concurrence therein :

Senate Bill No 247.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk :

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }  
 SENATE CHAMBER, }  
 April 29th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution :

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That both Houses stop the passage of bills and resolutions at 11 P. M. (Eastern Standard time), Tuesday, April 30th, 1929.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

Mr Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted

The Speaker declared the Senate concurrent resolution concurred in

Mr. Litwin, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, reported

Senate Bill No. 103,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,' which act was approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-two,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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TUESDAY, April 30, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Everett A. Sabin, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church of Highland Park, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—53.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, D'Elia, McDermott, Parentini, Roder—5.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 161, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that Assembly Bill No. 161 be recommitted to the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of amendment.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for one-half hour.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorénz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—51.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, D'Elia, McDermott, Muir, Parentini, Roder, Stein—7.

Mr. Smock offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the House of Assembly authorize and give the privileges to the following named persons to act as the officers of the House for the purpose of letting the following named persons take charge of the House informally in order to celebrate "Boys Week," which is being celebrated throughout the entire State.

Harold Slavin, as Speaker;

Alfred E. Sculthorpe, Majority Leader;

Harry Katz, Clerk;

all from the Lakewood High School, Lakewood, Ocean County.

Mr. Smock offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The week beginning April 29th has been set aside and designated as Boys' Week in New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, We, the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, desiring to pay special tribute to the boyhood of our Sovereign State; and

WHEREAS, The young men of today are destined to be our successors in the Legislature, judicial and executive departments of the State of New Jersey; therefore

*Be it resolved,* That we at this time pay our respects to the boys of New Jersey by giving them a rising vote of thanks for being just boys, and may they all live long and prosper.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 192, entitled "An act relating to the compensation of judges of the Court of Common Pleas in certain counties of this State,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly No. 291, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,' which amendment was itself approved March twenty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 399, entitled "An act appropriating money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of Morris Canal and Banking Company, and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 419, entitled "A supplement to an act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,

Assembly Bill No. 516, entitled "An act to validate proceedings heretofore had by school districts authorizing the issuance of bonds,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 517, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896),

approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented.

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 28, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision, 1920), approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 139, entitled "An act for the relief of Gertrude Clayton,"

Assembly Bill No. 140, entitled "An act for the relief of Laura V. McGee,"

Assembly Bill No. 160, entitled "An act for the relief of Jennie McDermott,"

Assembly Bill No. 239, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 320, entitled "An act concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities,"

Assembly Bill No. 410, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,

Assembly Bill No. 485, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 495, entitled "An act authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, in consideration of a conveyance by said Corporation or one of its subsidiaries, to the State of New Jersey, or its nominee, of lands owned by said company or companies in the City of New Brunswick, and in the Township of North Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 162, 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.' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 480, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 488, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or

distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,' approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 512, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs, and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,' which amendment was approved October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 83, entitled "An act concerning wards and providing for change of lines and boundaries of wards or for an increase or decrease in the number thereof in municipalities in the State of New Jersey,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto cars, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 264, entitled "An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled 'Supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight,' approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,

Assembly Bill No. 351, entitled "An act for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years, and to authorize certain judges to order that such judgment shall not operate as a disqualification of such persons for any office, and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such, and providing for the revocation of such order,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 458, entitled "An act for the payment of a bonus to each soldier, or a dependent or dependents thereof, who served in the military or naval forces of the United States dur-

ing the war between the United States and the German Empire and its allies,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality, governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," constituting Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,

With the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, as follows:

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 1, strike out the word "The chief financial officer of any" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In any county in this State now or hereafter having a population of between two hundred and fifty thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants, as ascertained by the preceding Federal census, the chief financial officer of such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 2, after the word "of" in said line strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 4, before the word "county" in said line, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, as follows:

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 1, strike out the word "The chief financial officer of any" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In any county in this State now or hereafter having a population of between two hundred and fifty thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants, as ascertained by the preceding Federal census, the chief financial officer of such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 2, after the word "of" in said line strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 4, before the word "county" in said line, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354, as follows:

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 1, strike out the word "The chief financial officer of any" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In any county in this State now or hereafter having a population of between two hundred and fifty thousand and four hundred thousand inhabitants, as ascertained by the preceding Federal census, the chief financial officer of such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 2, after the word "of" in said line strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

On page 1, paragraph 1, line 4, before the word "county" in said line, strike out the word "the" and insert in lieu thereof the word "such".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to the Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 354 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,

And

Assembly Bill No. 231, entitled "An act concerning the control of water in brooks and streams in counties by counties, cities, townships and villages,"

Both with the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175, as follows:

Amend line 7 by striking out the words "in all counties of the third class within," and in line 8 strike out the words "this State".

Amend paragraph 2, line 1, by striking out the word "immediately" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "January first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Smock moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 175 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 175, as follows:

Amend line 7 by striking out the words "in all counties of the third class within," and in line 8 strike out the words "this State".

Amend paragraph 2, line 1, by striking out the word "immediately" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "January first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Smock moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 175, as follows:

Amend line 7 by striking out the words "in all counties of the third class within," and in line 8 strike out the words "this State".

Amend paragraph 2, line 1, by striking out the word "immediately" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "January first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Smock, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barison, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Stelle, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—37

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Hanson F. J., Knight, Powers, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Wise—11.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 175 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 231, as follows :

Amend the title by inserting after the word "in" and before the word "counties" the word "certain".

Amend section one, line one, by inserting after the word "Freeholders" the words "in counties of the second class having a population of more than two hundred thousand and less than four hundred thousand".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 231 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 231, as follows :

Amend the title by inserting after the word "in" and before the word "counties" the word "certain".

Amend section one, line one, by inserting after the word "Freeholders" the words "in counties of the second class having a population of more than two hundred thousand and less than four hundred thousand".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Barbour moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 231 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 231, as follows :

Amend the title by inserting after the word "in" and before the word "counties" the word "certain".

Amend section one, line one, by inserting after the word "Freeholders" the words "in counties of the second class having a population of more than two hundred thousand and less than four hundred thousand".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barbour, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—46.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 231 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

With the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 123, as follows:

Paragraph 2, line 5, change "eighteen" to read "eight". Amend page 1, paragraph 2, line 5, after the word "thousand" by changing the word "eight" to "nine."

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 123 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 123, as follows:

Paragraph 2, line 5, change "eighteen" to read "eight". Amend page 1, paragraph 2, line 5, after the word "thousand" by changing the word "eight" to "nine."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Stewart moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 123 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 123, as follows:

Paragraph 2, line 5, change "eighteen" to read "eight". Amend page 1, paragraph 2, line 5, after the word "thousand" by changing the word "eight" to "nine."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stewart, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 123 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 30th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the commission heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 4 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, entitled 'Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate, to be named by the President thereof, two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker of the House, and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive plan of traffic rules and regulations, and to devise a uniform scheme of administration for the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and the State traffic act,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

With the following Senate amendments:

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, as follows:

On page one, paragraph one, line eight, at the end thereof add the following: "Any vacancies existing in the commission for any cause shall be filled by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, where such vacancies exist in the representation of either the Senate or the House, and in all other cases such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor."

On page two, line one, strike out the words "the sum of ten thousand dollars" and the figures "(\$10,000)," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the unexpended balance heretofore appropriated to the commission."

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, as follows:

On page one, paragraph one, line eight, at the end thereof add the following: "Any vacancies existing in the commission for any cause shall be filled by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, where such vacancies exist in the representation of either the Senate or the House, and in all other cases such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor."

On page two, line one, strike out the words "the sum of ten thousand dollars" and the figures "\$10,000," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the unexpended balance heretofore appropriated to the commission."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10, as follows:

On page one, paragraph one, line eight, at the end thereof add the following: "Any vacancies existing in the commission for any cause shall be filled by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Assembly, where such vacancies exist in the representation of either the Senate or the House, and in all other cases such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor."

On page two, line one, strike out the words "the sum of ten thousand dollars" and the figures "\$10,000," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "the unexpended balance heretofore appropriated to the commission."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hol-

linshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—44.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mortgage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey,"

Without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate, at the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 172, entitled "An act relating to the purity of the waters of the Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays,"

Assembly Bill No. 293, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 297, entitled "An act to amend an act 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 act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Assembly Bill No. 357, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish in this State Boards of Health and a Bureau of Vital Statistics and to define their respective powers and duties,' approved March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by act approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen and as further amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 459, entitled "An act to fix and define a portion of the southerly boundary line and a portion of the westerly boundary line of the borough of Avon-by-the-Sea, in the county of Monmouth,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 467, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 30th, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No 474, entitled "An act to annex to the city of Egg Harbor City part of the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 514, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has concurred in the following concurrent resolution:

WHEREAS, It would appear that serious abuse of the reciprocal privileges accorded to foreign motor trucks engaged in interstate transportation now exists; and

WHEREAS, This is harmful to those interests engaged in intra-state transportation and to the best interests of New Jersey; therefore

*Be it resolved by the House of Assembly* (the Senate concurring), That the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles be requested to exercise more vigorous supervision regarding the violation of the reciprocal privileges accorded to foreign motor trucks, at the ports of entry and exit of the State.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 151, entitled "An act concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto,"

With the following Senate amendments:

And

Assembly Bill No. 10, entitled "An act making an appropriation for the construction, in whole or in part, of such works and

structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other devices necessary and proper to protect the riparian lands and other taxable property of the State in the municipalities located in Monmouth County, and bordering on Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay from Compton's Creek to Whale Creek,"

With the following Senate amendments :

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 151, as follows :

Section fourteen, line one, strike out the words "this act shall take effect immediately" and insert in lieu thereof the words "if any section or part of this act be questioned in court of competent jurisdiction and declared to be unconstitutional, such section or part shall be excluded and the remainder of this act shall continue in force and effect."

Add as section fifteen, the words "this act shall take effect immediately".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Edgar moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 151 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 151, as follows :

Section fourteen, line one, strike out the words "this act shall take effect immediately" and insert in lieu thereof the words "if any section or part of this act be questioned in court of competent jurisdiction and declared to be unconstitutional, such section or part shall be excluded and the remainder of this act shall continue in force and effect."

Add as section fifteen, the words "this act shall take effect immediately".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Edgar moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 151 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 151, as follows:

Section fourteen, line one, strike out the words "this act shall take effect immediately" and insert in lieu thereof the words "if any section or part of this act be questioned in court of competent jurisdiction and declared to be unconstitutional, such section or part shall be excluded and the remainder of this act shall continue in force and effect."

Add as section fifteen, the words "this act shall take effect immediately".

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Edgar, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—45.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 151 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 10, as follows:

Page two, line eight and a half, strike out the words "is to im-".

Line nine, strike out the words "mediately become available and payable".

Page two, line eight and a half, add after the comma following the word "necessary" the following: "Shall become available when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time

Mr Gopsill moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 10, as follows:

Page two, line eight and a half, strike out the words "is to im-".

Line nine, strike out the words "mediately become available and payable".

Page two, line eight and a half, add after the comma following the word "necessary" the following: "Shall become available when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Gopsill moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage

Which motion was adopted

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 10, as follows.

Page two, line eight and a half, strike out the words "is to im-".

Line nine, strike out the words "mediately become available and payable".

Page two, line eight and a half, add after the comma following the word "necessary" the following: "Shall become available when included in any annual or supplemental appropriation bill".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Gopsill, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—45

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 10 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following joint resolution:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 16, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to make a preliminary survey for the purpose of thereafter constructing an interstate vehicular bridge from Staten Island across Raritan Bay to a point in the northerly part of Monmouth County, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,' which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Miss Haines, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported

Senate Bill No. 162,

Favorably, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 30th, 1929.

*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. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

And

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled "An act to acquire by gift, devise, grant, purchase or condemnation, land or water rights and to place structures thereon as a part of the State Highway System and providing for the cost thereof,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,

*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Pierson moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 147 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled "An act to acquire by gift, devise, grant, purchase or condemnation, land or water rights and to place structures thereon as a part of the State Highway System and providing for the cost thereof,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Wettstein moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 267 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Senate Bill No. 267, entitled "An act to acquire by gift, devise, grant, purchase or condemnation, land or water rights and to place structures thereon as a part of the State Highway System and providing for the cost thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to the Chancellor and Justices of the Supreme Court' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

And

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punish-

ment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 168 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to the Chancellor and Justices of the Supreme Court' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No 266 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to the Chancellor and Justices of the Supreme Court' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate Message was taken up, and

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr Pursel moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No 296 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No 296, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate, by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER.	}
April 30th, 1929.	}

*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. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of

the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Newcomb moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 196 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to validate and provide for the payment of pensions in municipalities of this State under certain circumstances,"

And

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing all municipalities and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain and operate airports or landing fields,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to validate and provide for the payment of pensions in municipalities of this State under certain circumstances,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 270 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 270, entitled "An act to validate and provide for the payment of pensions in municipalities of this State under certain circumstances,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing all municipalities and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain and operate airports or landing fields,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Edgar moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 317 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 317, entitled "An act authorizing all municipalities and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain and operate airports or landing fields,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 30th, 1929.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to expedite and simplify the collection and payment by banks of checks and other instruments for the payment of money,"

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

And

Senate Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,'" approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to expedite and simplify the collection and payment by banks of checks and other instruments for the payment of money,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 148 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to expedite and simplify the collection and payment by banks of checks and other instruments for the payment of money,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 175 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 177 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Powers moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 265 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 30th, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 283, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

And

Senate Bill No. 284, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 283, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 283 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 283, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 284, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Miss Jones moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 284 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 284, entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr Barison offered the following Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 284 on second reading, which were read by the Clerk:

Under title G-6 add a section to follow present section entitled "Memorial in France in recognition of service of New Jersey Soldiers in World War."

For the purpose of erecting a permanent memorial in Verdun, Department of Meuse, France, to be known as the New Jersey-France Memorial and to be a replica of the Old Barracks at Trenton, there is hereby appropriated the sum of seventy thousand (\$70,000) dollars.

The New Jersey-France Memorial Commission, created by joint resolution number ten of the one hundred and fifty-first session of the New Jersey Legislature (P. L. one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, page 813) shall be charged with duty of erecting such memorial building, or supervising same, and of disbursing the monies hereby appropriated under such regulations as may be prescribed by the State Treasurer.

The Speaker put the question, Shall the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 284 offered by Mr. Barison pass? The ayes and nays being called for by a viva-voce vote the Speaker declared the amendments lost.

Mr. Mercolino offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 284 on second reading, which were read by the Clerk:

Strike out all matter on page 31, under title "E" Educational from line 1, to and including all matter on page 32.

The Speaker put the question, "Shall the Assembly amendments to Senate Bill No. 284 offered by Mr. Mercolino pass?" The ayes and nays being called for by a viva-voce vote the Speaker declared the amendments lost.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 30th, 1929. }

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 to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of county detectives in counties of the first and second class," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 241, entitled "An act providing for the retirement and pensioning of court interpreters in counties of the first class in this State,"

Both with the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 63 as follows

Insert the word "each" in place of "youngest" in line seven.

Strike out all of line eight after the word "support" and all of lines nine and ten.

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 63 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 63 as follows

Insert the word "each" in place of "youngest" in line seven.

Strike out all of line eight after the word "support" and all of lines nine and ten.

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Siracusa moved that the rules be suspended and Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 63 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 63 as follows

Insert the word "each" in place of "youngest" in line seven.

Strike out all of line eight after the word "support" and all of lines nine and ten.

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Siracusa, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—47.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 63 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 241, as follows:

Amend the title of said act, line 1, after the word "interpreters" by adding the words "and the widows of such interpreters".

On page 2, paragraph 7, line 2, after the word "who" in said line, strike out the words "shall die" and insert the following: "died prior to or after the passage of this act".

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr Cassini moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 241 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 241, as follows:

Amend the title of said act, line 1, after the word "interpreters" by adding the words "and the widows of such interpreters".

On page 2, paragraph 7, line 2, after the word "who" in said line, strike out the words "shall die" and insert the following: "died prior to or after the passage of this act".

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Cassini moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 241 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments proposed to Assembly Bill No. 241, as follows:

Amend the title of said act, line 1, after the word "interpreters" by adding the words "and the widows of such interpreters".

On page 2, paragraph 7, line 2, after the word "who" in said line, strike out the words "shall die" and insert the following: "died prior to or after the passage of this act".

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Cassini, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hollinshead, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Young—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Hanson, Wise—3.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 241 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

April 30th, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 257, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of midwifery in the State of New Jersey," approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten,"

Assembly Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 365, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918),"

Assembly Bill No. 373, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning motor vehicles bailed, rented or leased, without a driver, to be operated by the bailee, or lessee, his agent or servant, for purposes other than the transportation of passengers for hire, and their operation upon public highways,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," which amendment was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' which amendment was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 385, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds,' approved February twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 473, entitled, "An act concerning employees in the fire departments of any municipality of this State."

Assembly Bill No. 405, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 452, 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,'"

All without amendments.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
 SENATE CHAMBER,  
 April 30th, 1929. }

*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 98, entitled "An act to conserve, protect, control and regulate the use, development and diversion of surface, subsurface and percolating waters of the State; to control and regulate the construction and maintenance of dams; to create a water policy commission and define its powers and duties and to transfer to such commission the jurisdiction, powers, rights and duties of the department of conservation and development over water supplies, dams and flood control,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No 98, entitled "An act to conserve, protect, control and regulate the use, development and diversion of surface, subsurface and percolating waters of the State; to control and regulate the construction and maintenance of dams; to create a water policy commission and define its powers and duties and to transfer to such commission the jurisdiction, powers, rights and duties of the department of conservation and development over water supplies, dams and flood control,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr Compton moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No 98 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference

Which motion was adopted

Senate Bill No 98, entitled "An act to conserve, protect, control and regulate the use, development and diversion of surface, subsurface and percolating waters of the State; to control and regulate the construction and maintenance of dams; to create a water policy commission and define its powers and duties and to transfer to such commission the jurisdiction, powers, rights and duties of the department of conservation and development over water supplies, dams and flood control,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 375, entitled "An act to fix the pay or salary of certain employees of the Rahway Reformatory,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kalamen, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Pursel, Smock, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—24.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Compton, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gop-sill, Haines, Hand, Jones, Kuser, Marini, Newcomb, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Weber—20.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 375 lost.

Mr. Smock asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 502, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Smock asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to amend Assembly Bill No. 502, on third reading

There being no objection consent was granted.

Mr. Smock offered the following amendments to Assembly Bill No. 502 on third reading, which were read by the Clerk.

On page 1, paragraph 2, line 1, after the word "immediately" in said line, strike out the period, insert a semi-colon and add the following: "but its provisions shall remain inoperative until it shall have been adopted by the voters of the county of Ocean at the general election for members of the General Assembly to be held in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine. On the general election ballot for members of the General Assembly to be held in the county of Ocean in said year the county clerk of the county of Ocean shall cause to be printed upon the said ballot the following questions:

	YES	Shall the provisions of an act entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean" be adopted?
	NO.	

To vote in favor of the adoption of this proposition place an + or X mark in the square opposite the word "Yes." To vote against this proposition place an + or X mark opposite the word "No."

All persons residents of the county of Ocean and eligible to vote in said election may vote thereon. If the majority of the vote in said election so cast shall be in favor of the adoption of said act it shall be declared adopted. The county clerk shall canvass the return of the votes in the same manner as is now provided by law for the election for members of the General Assembly and certify the result of said election to the Secretary of State.

Mr. Smock moved the adoption of the amendments to Assembly Bill No. 502 on third reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 502, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean,"

As amended,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Smock, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative was—

Mr. Litwin—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. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—46.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, D'Elia, Kalamen, Kautz, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Parentini, Peters, Roder, Stein, Weber—12.

Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Spair, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, and requests its concurrence therein.

Senate Bill No 265, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties; and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Powers, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassine, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—43

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 147, entitled "An act authorizing and providing for the appointment of a New Jersey Holland Tunnel Commission and defining its powers and duties,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wise, Young—37

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Bucino, Carty, Duszynski, Greenberg, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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. 206, entitled "An act for the payment of a pension to the widow, during her lifetime and widowhood, of any person who has served continuously for a period of thirty-five years, or over, as a chief engineer at the New Jersey State Hos-

pital at Greystone Park, *provided* said person shall have died while still in said service and without taking advantage of an act known as 'An act for the establishment of an employees' retirement system for the employees of the State of New Jersey,' approved March thirty-first, nineteen twenty-one, or any other pension act,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young  
—42.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Edgar, Gabrielson—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. 274, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,"

With Assembly amendments,

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McWilliams, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel,

Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—40.

In the negative were—

Messrs Altman, Gopsill, McMurray, Siracusa—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, with Assembly amendments, and requests its concurrence in the Assembly amendments.

Mr Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—45.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Marini, McDermott, Muir, Parentini, Peters, Roder, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein—13.

Senate Bill No 266, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to the Chancellor and Justices of the Supreme Court,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rit-

tenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 284, entitled "An act making appropriation for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Jones, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wise—39.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Greenberg, Duszynski, Mercolino, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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 283, entitled "An act making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Jones, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy,

Pursel, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Wise—37.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Duszynski, Mercolino, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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

Senate Bill No 98, entitled "An act to conserve, protect, control and regulate the use, development and diversion of surface, subsurface and percolating waters of the State; to control and regulate the construction and maintenance of dams; to create a water policy commission and define its powers and duties and to transfer to such commission the jurisdiction, powers, rights and duties of the department of conservation and development over water supplies, dams and flood control,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Otto, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Wise—33.

In the negative were—

Messrs Barison, Carty, Greenberg, Leap, Marini, Mercolino, Purdy, Pursel, Smock, Vanderbach, Weber—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.

Senate Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties,' passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Newcomb, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Nq 191, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement was approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Vanderbach, Wise—38.

In the negative was—

Mr. Gabrielson—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 Joint Resolution No. 19, entitled "Joint resolution concerning the boundary line between the States of New Jersey and Delaware in the Delaware River and Delaware Bay,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
April 30th, 1929.	

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No 34, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State,' approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,

Assembly Bill No 134, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No 171, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to provide means for protection against fires in the territory within any incorporated camp meeting association in this State,' approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five,"

Assembly Bill No. 503; entitled "An act to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by municipalities,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 515, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six,"

All without amendments

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 30th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 265, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen,' which amending act was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 513, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting the employment of disabled soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses, in the service of the State or municipalities thereof, and providing a penalty for violation thereof, approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

All without amendment

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	April 30th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Assembly Bill No. 366, entitled "An act providing for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceedings of the Spanish-American War Veterans of the Department of New Jersey,"

And

Assembly Bill No 509, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Both with the following Senate amendments:

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509, as follows.

Amend Assembly Bill No. 509 by striking out section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

#### Article 5

"1 Section five hundred and one of this act be amended to read as follows:

501. No officer, board, commission, committee or department or other branch of any county government, shall enter into any contract for the doing of any work or for the furnishing of any materials, supplies or labor, the hiring of teams or vehicles, where the sum to be expended exceeds the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), unless the said officer, board or commission, committee or department, or other branch of the county government, shall first publicly advertise for bids therefor, and shall award the contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder; *provided*, this section shall not prevent the hiring of teams or doing of work by employees of any county or any department thereof; *and provided, further*, that this section shall not apply to the hiring or labor or equipment for the removal of snow from county roads and bridges during emergency caused by storm; *and provided, further*, that this section shall not apply to the purchase of fresh vegetables, dairy products, eggs, live stock, poultry and motor vehicles; *and provided, further*, that in any county where a department of purchasing agent shall have been established, said public advertisement shall be prepared and bids received and said

awards be made by the purchasing agent, subject to the approval of the board of chosen freeholders of said county; *and provided, further*, if the exigency of any public service will not admit of such advertisement, said work may be done or said materials may be purchased forthwith; *provided*, the board charged with doing or purchasing the same shall first, by a four-fifths vote of all its members, pass a resolution declaring such exigency to exist, and that the immediate performance of the work or the furnishing of materials will not admit of the ordinary delay in advertising for proposals; *and provided, further*, that nothing in the law to which this is an amendment shall in any wise affect, modify or amend any other provisions of the act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (revision, 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, or any supplements thereof or amendments thereto or in any wise affect, restrict or abridge the powers and authority of the county clerk thereunder."

Were read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr Huelsenbeck moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading

Which motion was adopted

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509, as follows:

Amend Assembly Bill No 509 by striking out section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

#### Article 5

"1. Section five hundred and one of this act be amended to read as follows:

501. No officer, board, commission, committee or department or other branch of any county government, shall enter into any contract for the doing of any work or for the furnishing of any materials, supplies or labor, the hiring of teams or vehicles, where the sum to be expended exceeds the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), unless the said officer, board or commission, committee or department, or other branch of the county government, shall first publicly advertise for bids therefor, and shall award the contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder; *provided*, this section shall not prevent the hiring of teams or doing of work by employees of any county or any department thereof; *and provided, further*, that this section shall not apply to the hiring or labor or equipment for the removal of snow from county roads and bridges during emergency caused by storm; *and provided*,

*further*, that this section shall not apply to the purchase of fresh vegetables, dairy products, eggs, live stock, poultry and motor vehicles; *and provided, further*, that in any county where a department of purchasing agent shall have been established, said public advertisement shall be prepared and bids received and said awards be made by the purchasing agent, subject to the approval of the board of chosen freeholders of said county; *and provided, further*, if the exigency of any public service will not admit of such advertisement, said work may be done or said materials may be purchased forthwith; *provided*, the board charged with doing or purchasing the same shall first, by a four-fifths vote of all its members, pass a resolution declaring such exigency to exist, and that the immediate performance of the work or the furnishing of materials will not admit of the ordinary delay in advertising for proposals; *and provided, further*, that nothing in the law to which this is an amendment shall in any wise affect, modify or amend any other provisions of the act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (revision, 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, or any supplements thereof or amendments thereto or in any wise affect, restrict or abridge the powers and authority of the county clerk thereunder."

Were taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509, as follows:

Amend Assembly Bill No. 509 by striking out section one and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

#### Article 5

"1. Section five hundred and one of this act be amended to read as follows:

501. No officer, board, commission, committee or department or other branch of any county government, shall enter into any contract for the doing of any work or for the furnishing of any materials, supplies or labor, the hiring of teams or vehicles, where the sum to be expended exceeds the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), unless the said officer, board or commission, committee or department, or other branch of the county government, shall first publicly advertise for bids therefor, and shall award the

contract for the same to the lowest responsible bidder; *provided*, this section shall not prevent the hiring of teams or doing of work by employees of any county or any department thereof; *and provided, further*, that this section shall not apply to the hiring or labor or equipment for the removal of snow from county roads and bridges during emergency caused by storm; *and provided, further*, that this section shall not apply to the purchase of fresh vegetables, dairy products, eggs, live stock, poultry and motor vehicles; *and provided, further*, that in any county where a department of purchasing agent shall have been established, said public advertisement shall be prepared and bids received and said awards be made by the purchasing agent, subject to the approval of the board of chosen freeholders of said county; *and provided, further*, if the exigency of any public service will not admit of such advertisement, said work may be done or said materials may be purchased forthwith; *provided*, the board charged with doing or purchasing the same shall first, by a four-fifths vote of all its members, pass a resolution declaring such exigency to exist, and that the immediate performance of the work or the furnishing of materials will not admit of the ordinary delay in advertising for proposals; *and provided, further*, that nothing in the law to which this is an amendment shall in any wise affect, modify or amend any other provisions of the act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (revision, 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, or any supplements thereof or amendments thereto or in any wise affect, restrict or abridge the powers and authority of the county clerk thereunder."

Were taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, were read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

In the negative was—

Mr. Spair—1.

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The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 509 concurred in.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate amendment proposed to Assembly Bill No 366, as follows:

Amend line four by adding after the figures (\$1,000), "if included in the annual appropriation bill for the current fiscal year,".

Was read by the Clerk for the first time.

Mr Hand moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No 366 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate amendment proposed to Assembly Bill No 366, as follows:

Amend line four by adding after the figures (\$1,000), "if included in the annual appropriation bill for the current fiscal year,".

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

Mr Hand moved that the rules be suspended and that the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 366 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted

Senate amendment proposed to Assembly Bill No 366, as follows:

Amend line four by adding after the figures (\$1,000), "if included in the annual appropriation bill for the current fiscal year,".

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Hand, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time and concurred in by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel,

Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Weber, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared the Senate amendments to Assembly Bill No. 366 concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 296, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Pursel, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative was—

Mr McWilliams—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 243, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit,' approved April twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Barison, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones,

Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young  
—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, without amendment.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No 270, entitled "An act to validate and provide for the payment of pensions in municipalities of this State under certain circumstances,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Marini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Wise, Young  
—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 176, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz,

Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Young—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 that same, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 177, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise 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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 180, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kautz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray,

McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 175, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Hames, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No 162, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Pursel, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill,

Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 168, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kautz, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—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, without amendment.

Senate Bill No. 196, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Newcomb, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Lorenz, McMurray, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs Duszynski, Greenberg, Hollinshed, Leap, McWilliams, Pierson, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair—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 148, entitled "An act to expedite and simplify the collection and payment by banks of checks and other instruments for the payment of money,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Huelsenbeck, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—39

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No 317, entitled "An act authorizing all municipalities and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain and operate airports or landing fields,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr Edgar, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Spair, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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. 267, entitled "An act to acquire by gift, devise, grant, purchase or condemnation, land or water rights and to place structures thereon as a part of the State Highway System and providing for the cost thereof,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Carty, Cassini, Compton, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Lorenz, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Summers, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—37.

In the negative—None

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 following resignation was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

April 30th, 1929.

*To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly:*

I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the House of Assembly, from the county of Union, to take effect at twelve o'clock, midnight, standard time, April 30th, 1929, due to the fact that I am about to take over the office as a member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessments.

Yours very truly,  
GEORGE COMPTON,

*Member of the General Assembly from Union County.*

Mr. Knight moved that the resignation be received, spread in full upon the minutes and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

The following resignation was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

April 30th, 1929.

*To the Speaker and Members of the House of Assembly:*

It is a matter of sincere regret that I must sever my very pleasant relations with the House of Assembly, where I have had the honor of serving for four consecutive years. The friendships made during that period are very dear to me and the memory of them goes with me into my new work.

I hereby regretfully tender my resignation as a member of the New Jersey Assembly to take effect at the close of today's session.

Sincerely yours,  
ISABELLE M. SUMMERS,

*A Member of the General Assembly from Passaic County.*

Mr. Knight moved that the resignation be received, spread in full upon the minutes and filed.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr Knight moved that the House recess for 10 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—40.

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Hanson, Kalamen, McDermott, Mercolino, Muir, Parentini, Roder, Siracusa, Smock, Stein, Stewart, Wettstein—16

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate concurrent resolution entitled "Concurrent resolution authorizing and directing the President of the Senate to petition the Federal Bureau administering radio matters to bring about immediately a more just and equitable distribution of radio facilities among the broadcasting stations of the State"

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has passed the Davis Radio Bill, a law regulating radio matters and distributing among the several States radio power and wave-lengths, according to population and area; and

WHEREAS, The Congress has empowered to administer and interpret this law a Federal Radio Commission composed of five members from the five geographic districts of the country; and

WHEREAS, The State of New Jersey has received from the Federal Radio Commission facilities equivalent to 475 channels, which is less than sixty per centum (60%) of the minimum assignment of channels to which the State is entitled; and

WHEREAS, All but one of these channels are on wave-lengths below 275 meters, where severe and continuous whistles and squeals render the channels practically valueless and virtually deny and deprive the State of ninety-nine per centum (99%) of its facilities; and

WHEREAS, The very purpose of the Davis Law, viz., guaranteeing to the several States of a just and equitable share of the nation's radio facilities, is being defeated when the State of New Jersey is assigned facilities that prevent stations from serving in their normal capacity as broadcasters of education, goodwill, entertainment, etc.; and

WHEREAS, The uncounted millions of listeners within the State of New Jersey find themselves without their just share of radio programs, some listeners in certain localities being forced to accept mediocre programs from other States because of severe and continuous interference on ninety-nine per centum (99%) of the New Jersey wave-lengths; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the President of the Senate, serving as a committee of one, is authorized and empowered to petition the Federal Bureau administering radio matters to bring about immediately

a more just and more equitable distribution of radio facilities among the broadcasting stations of the State in order that wavelengths removed from squeals and howls may carry to the greatest number of listeners programs free and clear of interference; and

*Be it further resolved,* That the President of the Senate is authorized and empowered to deputize a committee of experts to convey to the Federal Bureau these sentiments.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House of Assembly concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker declared the Senate concurrent resolution concurred in.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved,* That all bills and resolutions in the possession of the various standing committees of the House be delivered immediately to the Clerk, and that these bills, together with all bills and joint resolutions on the desk of the Speaker and the Clerk, except those vetoes by the Governor, to be filed by the Clerk with the State Librarian.

Mr. Knight 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 Frederick A. Brodesser in the same manner that the index of the Minutes of last year, and that he be paid therefor the same amount as was paid for indexing the Minutes last year.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved,* That the Minutes of the House of Assembly not heretofore approved by the House be adopted, subject to the approval of the Committee on Judiciary, and that the said Minutes shall be printed when so approved by said committee.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That to the Hon. Morris E. Barison, of Hudson County, leader of the Democratic representation in the House, the thanks of the House be extended for the able manner in which he has fulfilled the peculiarly exacting duties of that position. He is to be congratulated on so ably representing his party, while at the same time co-operating with the majority in the enactment of important measures that have come before the House.

Mr. Barrison offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this House be and hereby are extended to the Hon. William B. Knight, of Camden County, leader of the Republican representation in the House, for the capable manner in which he has assisted in the transaction of the important matters which have come before this body for action. While the sentiment of this resolution is fully endorsed and approved by the entire membership, the Democratic leader especially wishes to record his appreciation of fairness and consideration shown to the minority by Mr. Knight.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Be it resolved*, That to expedite the mailing of all legislative stationery, bills, files and contents of the desks, the mail clerks of the State Capitol shall affix the necessary postage and see that the packages of each Assemblyman are forwarded to their address, when prepared, wrapped and addressed, for mailing after the *sine die* adjournment.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the House express its appreciation of the gentlemanly and uniformly kind treatment received at the hands of George W. Grimm, Jr., the Speaker's private Secretary, and to Anthony Miele, the Speaker's assistant private secretary.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the House be and they are hereby extended to Walter J. Fields, Supervisor of Bills; and William D. Sisco, Mrs. W. C. Mills and Andrew W. Miller, assistant supervisors of bills, for the efficient and faithful manner in which they have attended the duties of their office in the preparation of bills submitted to the House for consideration.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Be it resolved,* That the House of Assembly, at this time, express to Mr. James W. West, the official representative of MacCrellish & Quigley Co, the New Jersey legislative printers, its sincerest appreciation for the high degree of efficient service in handling the diversified and detailed printed matters of the House, and that it also express to Mr. West its sincere appreciation for his efforts and personal sacrifices in seeing that the House of Assembly receive such service and consideration in its numerous legislative matters; and

*Be it further resolved,* That an official copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. James W. West, duly attested by the Speaker of the House and Clerk of the Assembly, in order that it may manifest to him in a small way its gratitude.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved,* That the thanks of the House be and they are hereby extended to P. Chas. Corbo, assistant clerk; Edwin M. Harrison, journal clerk; Emilie Bourne and Elvin Ullrich, assistant journal clerks; Edward Fenias, sergeant-at-arms; Fred Simmler and William C. Gonch, assistant sergeant-at-arms; Horace Brian, calendar clerk; Joseph Tick, bill clerk; C. Clay Lewis, assistant bill clerk; William P. Hadwen, Mrs. Frances R. Johnson, Mary Communi, stenographers; for the efficient and faithful manner in which they have attended to the affairs of the House during the session.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved,* That the thanks of the House be and they are hereby extended to the newspaper correspondents for the fairness with which they have reported the proceedings of the House to their respective newspapers, and to the Legislative News Bureau, for its service along similar lines.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved,* That the thanks of the House be extended to the postmaster of the State House and his assistants for the efficient and courteous manner in which they have handled the mail for the members throughout the session of 1929.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Speaker of the House and the members of the 1929 session hereby extend their sincere thanks to John A. Smith, custodian of the Capitol, for the many courtesies and for the able assistance he has rendered the members during the session. His prompt attention to the many demands made upon him have demonstrated a most willing spirit and the fullest possible endeavor to help make the duties of the membership the most agreeable possible.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the House be extended to the State Chamber of Commerce for the service rendered through the Legislative Index and the careful preparation of the information therein contained.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks and appreciation of the House of Assembly be extended to George S. Skillman, of the State Comptroller's Department, for the efficient and courteous manner in which he has rendered service to the Committee on Stationery and the Committee on Incidental Expenses.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks and appreciation of the House of Assembly be extended to the pages, doorkeepers, file clerks and other officers of the House for the efforts put forth by them in their respective positions.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the House be extended to Frank Voight, clerk to the Republican Leader, and to Alexander Crawford, clerk to the Democratic Leader, for the faithful manner in which they have attended to the wants of the House during the session.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the House be extended to William Hoffman, guard, for his unfailing courtesy in caring for the personal effects of members of the House.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the State House Commission be and is hereby requested to take official notice that the rooms formerly occupied by the Budget Commission are now available and will be occupied by the Clerk of the House of Assembly, Supervisor of Bills and the Journal Clerk of the Assembly; and

*Be it further resolved*, That the House of Assembly request the State House Commission to make official entries of this room, so that it may be part of the House of Assembly, as it was originally intended; and

*Be it further resolved*, That the Clerk of the House of Assembly notify the Custodian of the State House of the aforesaid action, and also send a copy to the State House Commission for its approval.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on April 30th, 1929, at 11 P. M., until June 24th, 1929, and that on Monday afternoon, June 24th, 1929, at 12:30 P. M., Eastern standard time, both Houses of the Legislature reassemble.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House of Assembly concur in Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker declared the Senate concurrent resolution concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A concurrent resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
April 30th, 1929. }

*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. 100, entitled "An act to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose,"

Assembly Bill No. 376, entitled "An act vesting the title to real estate of which Mary M. McDermott died seized and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in James Walsh,"

Assembly Bill No. 437, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended,"

Assembly Bill No. 472, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act authorizing the acquisition and maintaining by the State of New Jersey in conjunction with the State of Pennsylvania of toll bridges across the Delaware River and pro-

viding for free travel across the same,' approved April first, one thousand nine hundred twelve,"

And

Assembly Bill No. 487, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

All without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 518, 487, 270, 441, 503, A. C. S. for Senate 34.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendments:

Senate Bills Nos. 90, 97, 123, 171, 174, 203, 204, 221, 237, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 291, 295, 298, S. J. R. 13, Senate No. 147, 206, 265, 266, 162, 175, 176, 177, 180, S. J. R. 19, 98, 191, 209, 243, Committee Substitute 270, 283, 284, 296, 148, 168, 196, 267, Senate Committee Substitute for Assembly 317.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same with amendments and asked its concurrence therein:

Senate Bill No. 274.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reported having delivered to the Governor, April 30th, 1929:

Assembly Bills Nos. 28, 480, 83, 139, 140, 160, 162, 168, 172, C. S. 180, A. J. R. 1, A. J. R. 16, 192, 239, 257, 264, C. S. 291, 293, 297, 305, 320, 351, 357, 365, 373, 381, 399, 405, 410, 419, 452, 458, 459, 467, C. S. 473, 474, 485, C. S. 488 491, 512, 514, 516, 517, 134, 171, 265, 503, 513, 515, 84, 135, 100, 376, 100, 437, 472, 487, 476 with Senate amendments, 63 with Senate amendments, 151 with Senate amendments, A. C. S. for Senate 34.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same.

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

MONDAY, June 24th, 1929.

House met at 12:30 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. John S. Buck, pastor St. Paul's M. E. Church, Thorofare, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Huelsenbeck, Muir, Pierson, Sterner, Smock—7.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, which motion was adopted.

The following communication was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk:

STATE OF WISCONSIN.

(Jt. Res. No. 65 S.)

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the United States Constitution.

WHEREAS, Article V of the United States Constitution provides for the calling of a convention to propose amendments to such Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Other States have in the past asked that such a convention be called; and

WHEREAS, There are sections of the United States Constitution that should be amended; therefore be it

*Resolved* by the Senate (the Assembly concurring), That the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin hereby earnestly requests and petitions Congress to call a convention for proposing amendments to the United States Constitution; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this resolution, properly attested, be forwarded to the presiding officers of both houses of Congress, to the presiding officers of the legislature of the other States, and to the Wisconsin Senators and Representatives in Congress.

HENRY A. HUBER,  
*President of the Senate.*

O. E. MUNSON,  
*Chief Clerk of the Senate.*

CHAS. B. FERRY,  
*Speaker of the Assembly.*

C. E. SHAFFER,  
*Chief Clerk of the Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the communication be received and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for ten minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—49.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Cassini, Huelsenbeck, Muir, Pierson, Sterner, Smock—7.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House is hereby directed to notify the Senate that the House of Assembly awaits its presence in the Assembly Chamber for the purpose of going into joint session as provided for by concurrent resolution.

Mr. Knight moved that the House do now arise for the purpose of going into joint session.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened, following the joint session.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini,, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Cassini, Gopsill, Huelsenbeck, Marini, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Weber—16.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was adopted.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J , Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini,, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—40.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Baxter, Cassini, Gopsill, Huelsenbeck, Marini, McWilliams, Muir, Newcomb, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Smock, Stelle, Sterner, Weber—16.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows—and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
June 24th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution :

WHEREAS, The Governor of this State, in his inaugural address called attention to the importance of the proposed canal across this State to link up the Delaware River with New York Bay; and

WHEREAS, The State has spent thousands of dollars in a survey begun in 1911 and in monumenting the course of the canal; has appropriated one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) toward the cost of acquiring the right-of-way; and has practically pledged proceeds from the sale of the Morris Canal for the acquisition of such right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Government has practically completed its traffic survey and study of the proposed canal; now, therefore,

*Be it resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that we urge upon the Congress of the United States and the various departments connected with the inception and completion of this project, to speed in every possible way the building of this important link in our great national system of water-ways.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, Each member of the General Assembly has been served, at his home address, with the current issue of the New Jersey Legislative News throughout the session of the 1929 Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Each member of the General Assembly has been served with the current issue of the New Jersey Legislative News, by leaving it on his desk daily after each session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Through the promptness, accuracy and efficiency of such service, each member of the General Assembly has been greatly aided by the service of the New Jersey Legislative News;

*Be It Resolved*, That the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each member of the General Assembly be paid to the New Jersey Legislative News, through its manager, Edwin J. Burke.

Mr. Litwin offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Hon. Morris E. Barison, Democratic minority leader, after serving as a member of the House of Assembly of New Jersey for the past seven years, has been appointed to the office of Judge of the Hudson County Traffic Court and will terminate his long and successful career as a member of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, He has filled his office with distinction to himself, his county, his State and his party; and

WHEREAS, The associations with our distinguished member have at all times been pleasant, friendly and inspiring; and

WHEREAS, The Members of the House of Assembly are desirous of expressing their felicitations to our colleague and friend; now, therefore,

*Be it Resolved*, That the House of Assembly of New Jersey does hereby express to the Hon. Morris E. Barison its best wishes for a successful career and the hope that his present appointment shall be but a stepping stone to higher honors; and be it

*Further Resolved*, That a copy of this resolution be engrossed, signed by the Speaker of the House, attested to by the Clerk, and be sent to our distinguished colleague.

Mr. Young asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Bill No. 519.

There being no objection, consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read, by the Clerk, for the first time by its title:

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled, A Further supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900)," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred.

Mr. Young moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 519 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled, "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas (Revision of 1900),' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Young moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 519 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 519, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Young, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—39.

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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. Stein asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Bill No. 520.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk, for the first time by its title.

Assembly Bill No. 520, 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, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Mr. Stein moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 520 be advanced and taken up forthwith, on second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 520, 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, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Stein moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 520 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 520, 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, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Stein, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise—38

In the negative was—

Miss Jones—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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

June 24th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

Now, during the years 1922 and 1923, did you have a bank account in the National City Bank of the City of New York?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, **therefore,**

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said **Frank Hague** to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—  
41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
June 24th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

#### Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and

General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

What bank accounts did you have during the years 1922 and 1923?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General

Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

Mr Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F J, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair,

Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

June 24th, 1929

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

During the years 1922 and 1923 what was the total amount that you had on deposit in banks?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, **be and he hereby is commanded** take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Hanes, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

*Mr. Speaker:*

June 24th, 1929. }

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

## Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929; in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

During the years 1922 and 1923 what was the largest amount you had in hand in cash?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate

of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

Mr Knight moved that the house concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No 4

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

June 24th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May

9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

Now, in 1923, you purchased a property at Deal, New Jersey, in the name of John J. McMahon, as dummy, for \$30,000. The purchase price was paid by John Milton's check and you reimbursed John Milton in cash. Where did you get that cash?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A M, to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

Mr Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Resolution No 5

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote.

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 concurred in

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
June 24th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution.

#### Senate Concurrent Resolution No 6

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

Now, in 1926, Mr Hague, you purchased property at Deal, New Jersey, in John Milton's name, as a dummy. The purchase price was \$65,000. Mr. Milton paid for it with his check. You afterwards reimbursed Mr Milton in cash. In 1927 you improved that property and spent on it, \$59,520.50. The payments were made by John Milton's checks as the work progressed; you reimbursed him in cash. Where did you get the \$65,000 and the \$59,520.50, with which you reimbursed Mr. Milton in cash?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile, by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he

be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hagie, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6.

Which motion, the ays and nays being called was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
June 24th, 1929.	

*Mr. President:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted

April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

Did you have all that money in any bank or banks?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to

accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

June 24th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State

of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

Now, in this connection, let me ask you where you got the money with which you purchased the Deal property for \$65,000 in cash and improved it to the amount of \$59,520.50, which you paid in cash?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kala-

men, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
June 24th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker.*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

#### Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the following question:

In 1926, you acquired a property on Gifford Avenue, Jersey City, at a cost of \$27,500. The title was taken in the name of Thomas McNulty, as dummy, and the purchase price was paid by John Milton's check. You afterwards reimbursed John Milton in cash. Where did you get that \$27,500?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him

to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT H JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9.

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson F. J., Hollinshead, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—  
42.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 concurred in.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	June 24th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, adopted April 24, 1929, the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey met in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on June 24, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to matters under inquiry and investigation by a Joint Committee of the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey created and appointed by Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April 3, 1928, as amended by Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of 1929, approved January 16, 1929, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the said Joint Resolution, a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the time and place aforesaid, to testify concerning the matters under inquiry by the said Joint Committee, was duly served upon the said Frank Hague on May 9, 1929, and the said Frank Hague duly appeared in response thereto; and

WHEREAS, There was propounded to the said Frank Hague at the said Joint Session of the Senate and General Assembly the

Mr. Hague, in what banks or trust companies or other financial institutions did you maintain accounts while acting as Mayor since 1921?

AND WHEREAS, The said Frank Hague refused to answer the said question; and

WHEREAS, The said question is deemed to be proper and pertinent, and the information sought to be elicited by the said question is desired by the Senate and General Assembly as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper, and

WHEREAS, The refusal of the said Frank Hague to answer the said question is a contempt of the Senate and of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly are advised by counsel for the said Frank Hague that he intends to take appropriate legal action to test the right of the Senate and the General Assembly to propound the said question and to compel him to answer it; now, therefore,

*Be It Resolved* by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring), that Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, be and he hereby is commanded to take and convey the said Frank Hague to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be confined until such time as he shall make known to the Chairman of the said Joint Committee in writing that he is willing to answer the said question, and to accept service of a subpoena to appear before the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey in joint session at the State House in Trenton, on the second day of July, 1929 at 10 A. M., to answer the said question, whereupon he shall forthwith be subpoenaed to appear before the Senate and General Assembly in joint session at the time and place aforesaid by subpoena issued in manner and form as provided in the said Joint Resolution of April 24, 1929, and released from custody.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the keeper of the said common jail of the said county of Mercer is hereby commanded to receive the said Frank Hague into his custody in the said jail, and him there safely to keep, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Senate of the State of New Jersey, hold the said Frank Hague in his custody before committing him to the said jail for a period of twenty-four hours, in order that he, the said Frank Hague, shall have reasonable opportunity to take legal proceedings, by habeas corpus or otherwise, to test the right of the Senate and General Assembly to propound said question, and to compel him to answer it, and that should the said Frank Hague be not released meanwhile by habeas corpus or other lawful order of a court of competent jurisdiction, that he be then taken and conveyed to the common jail of the county of Mercer, there to be kept in custody as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved*, That a warrant issue to the said Marine De Witt, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, and to the

keeper of the common jail of the county of Mercer, under the hand of the President of the Senate, attested by the Secretary of the Senate, and the hand of the Speaker of the General Assembly, attested by the Clerk of the General Assembly, commanding them to take and confine the said Frank Hague, as hereinbefore directed.

*Be it Further Resolved,* That the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey meet in joint session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on the second day of July, 1929, at 10 A. M., to take such further action or proceedings in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr Knight moved that the House concur in Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10,

Which motion, the ayes and nays being called, was carried by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Otto, Parentini, Peters, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Stewart, Vanderbach, Wettstein, Wise, Young—42.

In the negative—None.

The Speaker declared Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 concurred in.

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted,

Which motion was adopted.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

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*Mr. Speaker:*

June 24th, 1929.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate (the House of Assembly concurring)*  
That both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on June 24, 1929, until July 2, 1929, and that on Tuesday morning, July 2, 1929, at 9:30 A. M. (Eastern Standard Time), both Houses of the Legislature reassemble.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bill to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein.

Assembly Bill No 520.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,

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*Mr. Speaker:*

June 24th, 1929.

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Bill No. 520, 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, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reported having delivered to the Governor on June 24th, 1929, Assembly Bill No. 520.

Having passed both Houses was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

**FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,**  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

TUESDAY, July 2d, 1929.

House met at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Prayer was offered by Rev. T. Paul Loraine, pastor First Baptist Church, Clayton, N. J.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Parentini, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—45.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Greenberg, Hanson, Jones, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Stelle and Stewart—10.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Huelsenbeck moved that the House recess for 10 minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamén, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—41.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hanson, Jones, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Stelle, Stewart and Vanderbach—14.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
July 2d, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, entitled "An act regulating 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,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
July 2d, 1929. }

*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. 300, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks,"

Senate Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to extend the system of State highways by the acquisition of lands, interest in lands and water rights, for the construction of piers and the operation of ferries, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Senate Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

And

Senate Bill No. 304, entitled "An act appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation the appropriation heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, to be used for the Manasquan Inlet,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 300, which was furnished by the Clerk:

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 300, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 300 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 300, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 300 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 300, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelssenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative—None.

Ordered that the Speaker sign the 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. McMurray asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 303, which was furnished by the clerk.

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to extend the system of State highways by the acquisition of lands, interest in lands and water rights, for the construction of piers and the operation of ferries, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. McMurray moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 303 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to extend the system of State highways by the acquisition of lands, interest in lands and **water rights, for the construction of piers and the operation of ferries, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,**"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. McMurray moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 303 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 303, entitled "An act to extend the system of State highways by the acquisition of lands, interest in lands and water rights, for the construction of piers and the operation of ferries, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. McMurray, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Edgar, Gopsill, Hand, Kalamen, Knight, Marini, McWilliams, Morrison, Newcomb, Powers, Siracusa, Spair, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein—17.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kautz, Kuser, Litwin, McDermott, McMurray, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Rittenhouse, Wise, Young—20.

The Speaker declared Senate Bill No. 303 lost.

Mr. McMurray moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 303 was lost be reconsidered.

Mr. Knight moved that the motion be laid on the table.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barboùr, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—42.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hanson, Jones, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Stelle, Stewart, Vanderbach—13.

Mr. Marini asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 305, which was furnished by the Clerk:

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas,' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 305 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas,' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sterner asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 304, which was furnished by the Clerk:

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 304, entitled "An act appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation the appropriation heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, to be used for the Manasquan Inlet,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. Sterner moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 304 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 304, entitled "An act appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation the appropriation heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, to be used for the Manasquan Inlet,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Sterner moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 304 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Senate Bill No. 304, entitled "An act appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation the appropriation heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, to be used for the Manasquan Inlet,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Sterner, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight,

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Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.

Miss Haines asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24.

The following joint resolution was introduced and was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24, entitled "A joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the Statewide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable, for submission to the next session of the Legislature.

Miss Haines moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24, entitled "A joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the Statewide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable, for submission to the next session of the Legislature.

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Miss Haines moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 24, entitled "A joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the Statewide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable, for submission to the next session of the Legislature.

Was taken up, and, on motion of Miss Haines, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Kautz, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Cassini, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Knight, Morrison, Muir and Rittenhouse—9.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the said joint resolution 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 and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	July 2d, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following joint resolution:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A joint resolution concerning transportation rates, regulations and practices affecting the commerce of New Jersey,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A joint resolution concerning transportation rates, regulations and practices affecting the commerce of New Jersey,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Joint Resolution No. 20 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A joint resolution concerning transportation rates, regulations and practices affecting the commerce of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, on second reading.

Section 1, line 3, strike out the words "and the Legislature".

Section 2, line 1, strike out the words and comma "when so instructed," and substitute a capital "T" for the small "t" in the word "the," in that line.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the Assembly amendments to Senate Joint Resolution No. 20 on second reading.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, as amended, be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, entitled "A joint resolution concerning transportation rates, regulations and practices affecting the commerce of New Jersey,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, Mc-

Dermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, with amendments, and requests its concurrence therein.

Mr. Marini asked for the record on Senate Bill No. 305, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Marini moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 305 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 305, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas,' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Marini, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—34.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Bucino, Carty, D'Elia, Duszynski, McDermott, Rittenhouse, Vanderbach—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.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House of Assembly is hereby directed to notify the Senate that the House of Assembly awaits

its presence in the Assembly Chamber, for the purpose of going into joint session.

Mr. Leap asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Bill No. 521.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Assembly Bill No. 521, entitled "An act making effectual the record of the probate, filing or recording of any foreign will in this State prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,"

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 521 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 521, entitled "An act making effectual the record of the probate, filing or recording of any foreign will in this State prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Leap moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 521 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 521, entitled "An act making effectual the record of the probate, filing or recording of any foreign will in this State prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Leap, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Casini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Wise asked unanimous consent to introduce Assembly Bill No. 522.

There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 522 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without printing and without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 522 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 522, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Bucino, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McDermott, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
July 2d, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Be it resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on July 2d, 1929, until November 26th, 1929, and that on Tuesday, November 26th, 1929, at 2 P. M., both Houses of the Legislature reassemble.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate concurrent resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House do now arise for the purpose of going into joint session.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened following the joint session.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Sterner, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—38.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Edgar, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Jones, McDermott, Newcomb, Parentini, Peters, Purdy, Pursel, Roder, Stelle, Stewart—17.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same and asked its concurrence therein:

Assembly Bills Nos. 519, 521, 522, A. J. R. No. 24.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 20, with Assembly amendments.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
July 2d, 1929.	

*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. 519, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
SENATE CHAMBER,	
July 2d, 1929.	

*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. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of one thousand nine hundred),' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,"

And

Senate Bill No. 307, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of one thousand nine hundred),' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 306 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading, without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of one thousand nine hundred),' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 306 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 306, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of one thousand nine hundred),' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshead, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Muir, Otto, Pierson, Powers, Siracusa, Spair, Stein, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—32.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
July 2d, 1929. }

*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. 521, entitled "An act making effectual the record of any foreign will in this State prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety,"

Without amendment.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the call of the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendment:

Senate Bills Nos. 300, 304, 305, 306.

Mr. Hanson, Chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills, reports having delivered to the Governor on July 2d, 1929,

Assembly Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 32, and Assembly Bill No. 521.

Having passed both Houses was this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

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MONDAY, August 12th, 1929.

House met at 12 o'clock noon.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. Walter Shearer, Pastor of the Bethel Ev. Lutheran Church, Trenton, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—43.

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Jones, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Siracusa—12.

A message and proclamation was received from the Secretary of State by the hands of his Secretary, as follows; and was read by the Clerk.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, It appears to me that public necessity requires the convening of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey in special session,

THEREFORE, I, MORGAN F. LARSON, Governor of the State of New Jersey, in and by virtue of the power vested in me by

(1263)

Article V, Paragraph 6 of the State Constitution, do hereby convene the Legislature of this State to meet in special session at the State House, Trenton, New Jersey, on Monday the twelfth day of August, A. D. 1929, at twelve o'clock noon (standard time).

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State [SEAL] of New Jersey, this third day of August, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and in the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fifth-fourth.

MORGAN F. LARSON,  
*Governor.*

By the Governor:

JOSEPH F. S. FITZPATRICK,  
*Secretary of State.*

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

I, JOSEPH F S FITZPATRICK, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Proclamation by the Governor, dated August 3rd, 1929, convening the Legislature in Special Session, as the same is taken from and compared with the original, filed August 5th, 1929, and now remaining on file and of record in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand [SEAL] and affixed by official seal at Trenton, this twelfth day of August, A D. one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine

JOSEPH F S. FITZPATRICK,  
*Secretary of State*

Mr Knight moved that the message and proclamation from the Secretary of State be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The following announcement was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk

I hereby designate Thomas M. Gopsill of Monmouth County a member of this House to act as Speaker *pro tem* for the session of the House of Assembly on August 12th, 1929.

GUY GEORGE GABRIELSON,  
*Speaker.*

Mr Knight moved that the announcement be received and spread in full upon the minutes

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call

Which motion was carried.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names :

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—43.

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Jones, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Siracusa—12.

Mr. Knight moved that the house recess for fifteen minutes

Which motion was adopted

The House reconvened—Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—43.

Absent—

Messrs Baxter, Bucino, Cassini, D'Elia, Gabrielson (Speaker), Greenberg, Jones, McDermott, Mercolino, Parentini, Roder, Siracura—12.

The following communication and petition was sent to the desk and read by the Clerk.

INSLEY, VREELAND & DECKER  
COUNSELLORS AT LAW

JERSEY CITY, N. J.  
August 12th, 1929

Clerk, House of Assembly, State House,  
Trenton, New Jersey.

*Dear Sir:*

Herewith I hand you a petition signed by John V. Hartung, James P. Meehan, John Morris, James F. Murray and Joshua Ringle.

Will you be good enough to present this to the House of Assembly at its meeting this afternoon.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM E. DECKER

Mr. Knight moved that communication and petition be received and that the petition be filed.

Which motion was adopted

A message was received from the Governor by the hands of his Secretary, as follows; and was read by the Clerk

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
August 12th, 1929

*Members of the Legislature:*

A special session of the Legislature has been called for further consideration of certain legislation passed during the regular session.

At that time a bill was passed by both Houses and signed, subsequently becoming Chapter 113 of the Laws of 1929, which was for the specific purpose of vesting in the State Highway Commission power to grant to the public utilities of this State the use of public viaducts or bridges constituting a part of the State Highway System, upon such terms and conditions as might be prescribed by the said commission

The act gave the State Highway Commissioner power to modify agreements which had previously been made, and to substitute in lieu thereof other terms and conditions. It was not intended to relieve the utilities of any obligations which had been created or existing at the time of the passage of the act in question

Considerable discussion has arisen concerning the meaning and interpretation of this act, and claim has further been made that the act is retroactive in certain respects.

In order to remove all existing doubt, it is my opinion and I do recommend that this act be repealed and that there be passed a new act giving the State Highway Commission the specific power originally intended.

I have requested the Attorney General to prepare legislation for this purpose, which I am submitting to you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

MORGAN F. LARSON.

*Governor.*

Attest :

THOMAS L. HANSON,

*Secretary to the Governor.*

Mr. Knight moved that the message from the Governor be received and spread in full upon the minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Kautz, offered the following resolution which was read and adopted :

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom to take unto himself Mary Ella Young, wife of former Assemblyman David Young, and mother of our colleague, David Young, Jr.; and

WHEREAS, The loss of a devoted wife and loving mother is one that is irreparable; now therefore

*Be it resolved*, That the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey, now in session, do extend to the family its deepest sympathy in its bereavement; and be it

*Further resolved*, That this resolution be engrossed, signed by the Speaker, attested by the Clerk of the House and forwarded to the bereaved family.

Mr. Huelsenbeck offered the following resolution which was read and adopted :

WHEREAS, Rupert F. Mills, a former member of the House of Assembly and until his death Under-sheriff of the County of Essex, departed from this world July 20th, 1929, to make his abode with those great souls who went on before him; and

WHEREAS, His loss by death has caused great sorrow and profound and sincere mourning among his many friends who loved and adored him; and

WHEREAS, The private life of Rupert F. Mills was exemplary, his love for his mother and father of the finest and highest type and his devotion to his friends extended even to the point of extreme self-sacrifice, as exemplified by his death, dying to save the life of a friend; and

WHEREAS, His public life was outstanding, having served two years as a member of the House of Assembly, as Assistant Superintendent of Elections and Under-sheriff of the County of Essex, being at the time of his death the choice of his party for Sheriff of that county; and

WHEREAS, His athletic accomplishments are well known and endeared him to the hearts of the youth of our land; and

WHEREAS, He served his country in the military forces with distinction and glory, his service record showing that he enlisted as a private in Company A, 104th Military Police, 29th Division, U. S Army, December 10th, 1917, was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the 111th Field Artillery, May 12th, 1918, promoted to a First Lieutenancy May 6th, 1919, serving with his country's forces over seas from June 28th, 1918 to June 1st, 1919; and

WHEREAS, He served with equal distinction and glory in the military forces of his State, commissioned as a First Lieutenant of Troop A, 102d Cavalry, April 12th, 1921; and

WHEREAS, As a student, athlete, horseman, soldier, lawyer and public official his accomplishments are too numerous to mention; therefore

*Be it Resolved*, That the House of Assembly of the State of New Jersey go on record as expressing their most profound and sincere sorrow at the loss of so beloved and great a character; and

*Be it Further Resolved*, That the House of Assembly extend to the mother and father of Rupert F. Mills its heartfelt sympathy; and

*Be it Further Resolved*, That this resolution be spread in full upon the minutes of the House of Assembly, and that a certified engrossed copy thereof, signed by the Speaker, attested by the Clerk of the House of Assembly be forwarded to the bereaved family.

Mr Wise asked unanimous consent to introduce special session Assembly Bills Nos 1 and 2 There being no objection consent was granted

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk, for the first time by its title.

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled a supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference and without printing

Which motion was adopted.

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk, for the first time by its title.

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled an act to repeal an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927)," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference and without printing

Which motion was adopted.

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927),' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine "

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading

Special Session Assembly Bill No 1, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use there

of' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and that Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine."

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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.

Mr. Wise asked for the record on Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Wise moved that the rules be suspended and the Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and

to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven."

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Wise, under suspension of the rules was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young  
—38.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Barison, Carty, Duszynski, Rittenhouse—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.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk:

	STATE OF NEW JERSEY,	}
	SENATE CHAMBER,	
<i>Mr. Speaker:</i>	August 12th, 1929.	

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bill:

Special Session Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks."

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The Senate message was taken up and Special Session Senate Bill No. 1, was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. Gopsill, the Speaker *pro tem*, requested Mr. Kuser of Somerset County to take the chair.

Mr. Kuser assumed the chair.

Mr. Litwin asked for the record on Special Session Senate Bill No. 1, which was furnished by the Clerk

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Special Session Senate Bill No. 1 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Special Session Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks."

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Litwin moved that the rules be suspended and that Special Session Senate Bill No. 1 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Special Session Senate Bill No. 1, entitled "An act to permit the merger or consolidation of saving banks."

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Litwin, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title, and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Duszynski, Edgar, Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hanson, F. J., Hollinshed, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Lorenz, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wettstein, Wise, Young—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, without amendment

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,

SENATE CHAMBER,

August 12th, 1929.

*Mr. Speaker*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring) that both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on August 12th, 1929, until November 26th, 1929, and that on Tuesday, November 26th, 1929, at 2:00 P. M. both Houses of the Legislature reassemble.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House has passed the same and asks its concurrence therein

Special Session Assembly Bills Nos 1 and 2

Mr Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted

Mr. Gopsill resumed the chair

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows and was read by the Clerk

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
August 12th, 1929

*Mr Speaker*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following bills:

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 1, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision, 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven"

Special Session Assembly Bill No. 2, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927),' approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine"

Both without amendment

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate*

Mr. Hanson, chairman of the Committee on Passed Bills reports having delivered to the Governor on August 12th, 1929, Special Session Assembly Bills Nos. 1 and 2.

Having passed both Houses were this day delivered to the Committee on Passed Bills with the following certificate endorsed on each of the same:

I certify that this bill originated in the House of Assembly.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,

*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

Mr. Knight moved that the call on the House be lifted.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House adjourn.

Which motion was adopted.

TUESDAY, November 26th, 1929.

House met at 2 P. M.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. DeWitt C. Cobb, of the Park-side Methodist Episcopal Church, of Camden, N. J.

Upon calling the roll the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—45.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini, Roder, Wettstein—10.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes of the previous session be dispensed with.

Which motion was adopted.

The Speaker announced that due to the resignation of the Honorable Arthur R. Smock, of Ocean County, a vacancy occurred on the Farm Relief Committee, and that he has appointed the Honorable Frank G. Wettstein, of Cumberland County, to fill said vacancy.

Mr. Kuser asked unanimous consent, under suspension of the rules, to introduce Assembly Bill No. 523. There being no objection consent was granted.

The following bill was introduced and was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Assembly Bill No. 523, entitled "Further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 523 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference and without printing.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Muir offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 523, on second reading, which was read by the Clerk.

On page three, line twenty-two, strike out the word "not".

Mr. Muir moved the adoption of the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 523.

On which motion, the ayes and the nays, being called, was passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Leap, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—36.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Knight, Kuser—4.

The Speaker declared the amendment adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House recess for five minutes.

Which motion was adopted.

The House reconvened.

Upon calling the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Barison, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Micolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—45.

Absent—

Messrs. Baxter, Bucino, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, Parentini, Vanderbach, Wettstein—10.

Mr. Siracusa offered the following amendment to Assembly Bill No. 523, on second reading, which was read by the Clerk:

Amend page three, line twenty-three, after the word "Act" by adding the words "And provided further, that agents or brokers

furnishing insurance or bonds in connection with any public contract or on public buildings shall be construed as coming under the purview of this act."

Mr. Siracusa moved that the amendment to Assembly Bill No. 523 be adopted.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 523, entitled "Further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

As amended,

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Kuser asked for the record on Assembly Bill No. 523, which was furnished by the Clerk.

Mr. Kuser moved that the rules be suspended and that Assembly Bill No. 523, as amended, be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 523, entitled "Further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kuser, the rules were suspended, and it was read for the third time by its title and lost by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Kuser, Mercolino, Newcomb, Rittenhouse, Roder, Vanderbach—13.

In the negative were—

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Edgar, Hand, Hollinshed, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Morrison, Muir, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Siracusa, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—29.

The Speaker declared Assembly Bill No. 523 lost.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the Clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
November 26th, 1929. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), that both Houses of the Legislature adjourn on November 26, 1929, until January 7, 1930, and that on Tuesday, January 7, 1930, at 2 o'clock P. M., both Houses of the Legislature re-assemble.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight moved that the House be placed under call.

Which motion was adopted.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Barbour, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, D'Elia, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Pursel, Rittenhouse, Roder, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—44.

Absent—

Messrs. Barison, Baxter, Bucino, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, McWilliams, Parentini, Wettstein—11.

Upon the calling of the roll, later in the afternoon, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

Absent—

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bucino, D'Elia, Duszynski, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Kalamen, Lorenz, McDermott, McWilliams, Mercolino, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Parentini, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Roder, Stein, Vanderbach, Wettstein—24.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, and was read by the Clerk as follows:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
November 26th, 1929. }

*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. 308, entitled "An act making an additional appropriation of money to the Attorney-General,"

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

And

Senate Bill No. 310, entitled "An act appropriating to the New Jersey Commission for the Elimination of Toll Bridges over the Delaware River between this State and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania an unexpended balance of money,"

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

The message from the Senate was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled "An act making an additional appropriation of money to the Attorney-General,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title and

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 308 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled "An act making an additional appropriation of money to the Attorney-General,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 308 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 308, entitled "An act making an additional appropriation of money to the Attorney-General,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 message from the Senate was taken up and was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled "An act appropriating to the New Jersey Commission for the Elimination of Toll Bridges over the Delaware River between this State and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania an unexpended balance of money,"

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 309 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled "An act appropriating to the New Jersey Commission for the Elimination of Toll Bridges over the Delaware River between this State and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania an unexpended balance of money,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 309 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 309, entitled "An act appropriating to the New Jersey Commission for the Elimination of Toll Bridges over the Delaware River between this State and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania an unexpended balance of money,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote:

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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 message from the Senate was taken up and

Senate Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriation for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was read by the Clerk for the first time by its title.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 310 be advanced and taken up forthwith on second reading without reference.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriation for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, read a second time, considered by sections, agreed to, and ordered to have a third reading.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 310 be advanced and taken up forthwith on third reading and final passage.

Which motion was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 310, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act making appropriation for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof,' approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Was taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Knight, under suspension of the rules, was read a third time by its title and passed by the following vote :

In the affirmative were—

Messrs. Altman, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Pursel, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Sterner, Stewart, Weber, Wise, Young—31.

In the negative—None.

Ordered, that the Speaker sign the 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.**

In accordance with the direction of the Speaker, the Clerk carried the following bills to the Senate and informed it that the House had passed the same without amendment :

Senate Bills Nos. 308, 309 and 310.

Mr. Knight moved that the House **do now adjourn.**

Which motion was adopted.

TUESDAY, January 7th, 1930.

House met at 2:00 P. M.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. T. Paul Lorain, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Clayton, N. J.

Upon the calling of the roll, the following members appeared and answered to their names:

Messrs. Barbour, Barison, Baxter, Bethke, Carty, Cassini, Duszynski, Edgar, Gabrielson (Speaker), Gopsill, Haines, Hand, Hollinshed, Jones, Kalamen, Kautz, Knight, Kuser, Leap, Litwin, Marini, McMurray, McWilliams, Morrison, Muir, Newcomb, Otto, Peters, Pierson, Powers, Purdy, Rittenhouse, Siracusa, Spair, Stelle, Stein, Sterner, Stewart, Vanderbach, Weber, Wise, Young—42.

Absent—

Messrs. Altman, Bucino, D'Elia, Greenberg, Hanson, Huelsenbeck, Lorenz, McDermott, Mocolino, Parentini, Pursel, Roder, Wettstein—13.

Mr. Knight moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Minutes of the House of Assembly not heretofore approved by the House be adopted, subject to the approval of the Committee on Judiciary, and that the said Minutes shall be printed when so approved by said committee.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary, as follows, and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 7th, 1930.

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Assembly that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate* (the House of Assembly concurring), That the One Hundred and Fifty-third Legislature of the State of New Jersey adjourn *sine die* at 2:30 P. M. January 7th, 1930.

In which the concurrence of the House of Assembly is requested.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Knight moved that the House do concur in the Senate Concurrent Resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

Mr. Knight offered the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker, forthwith, to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the One Hundred and Fifty-third Session of the Legislature has completed its labors, and is about to adjourn *sine die*, and to inquire if the Executive has any further communications to make to this body.

The Speaker announced the appointment of Messrs. Knight and Muir and Miss Carty as the committee of three to wait upon his Excellency the Governor.

This committee left the Assembly Chamber to wait upon his Excellency the Governor.

A message was received from the Senate by the hands of its Secretary as follows, and was read by the clerk:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
SENATE CHAMBER,  
January 7th, 1930. }

*Mr. Speaker:*

I am directed by the Senate 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 the Senate Chamber.

ROBERT M. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary of the Senate.*

Mr. Muir, for the committee appointed to wait upon the Governor and inform him that the House of Assembly was ready to adjourn *sine die*, and ascertain if he had any further communications to transmit to the House, reported that the Governor informed them that he had nothing further for the consideration of the House

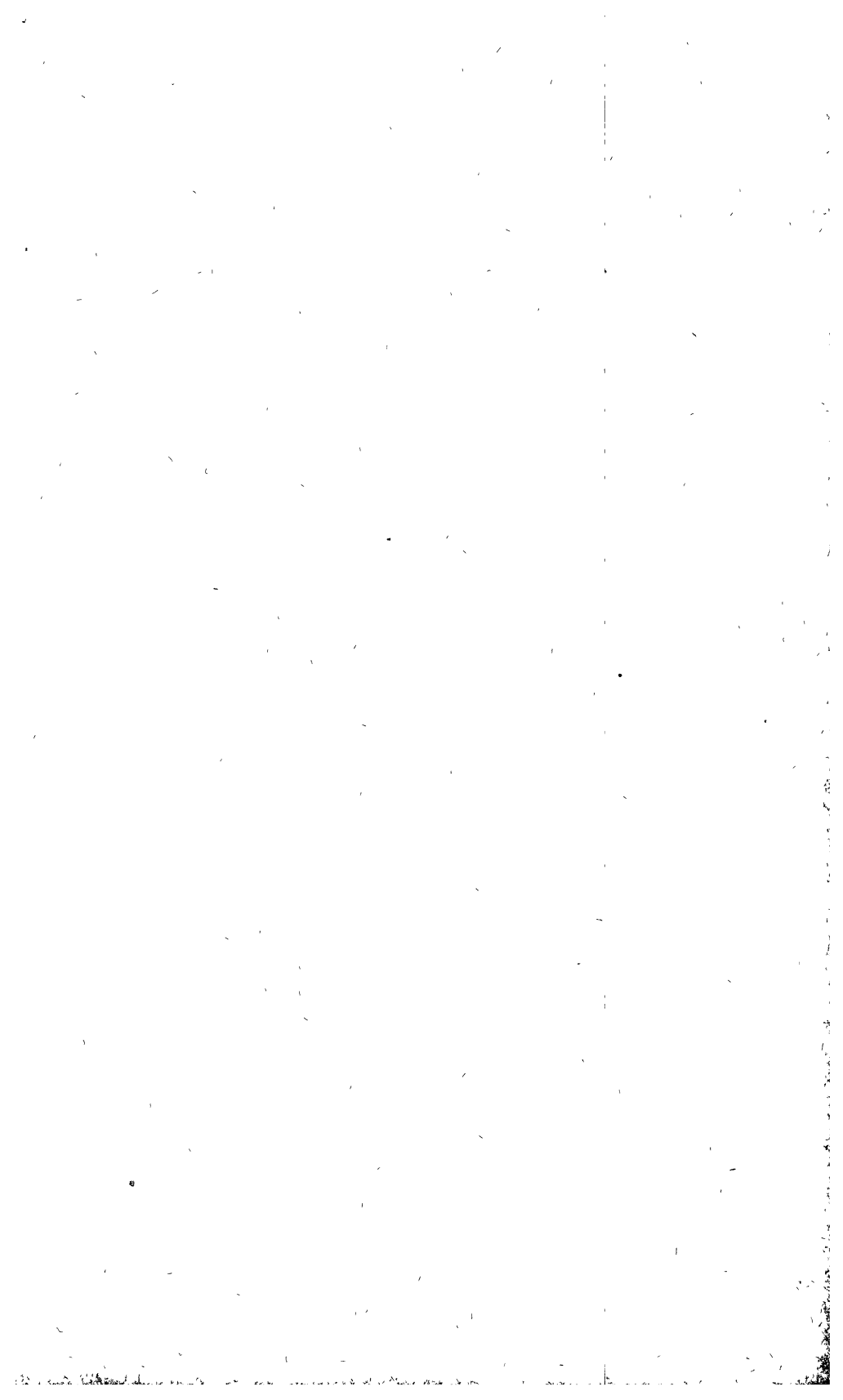
The committee was thereupon discharged.

The Speaker announced that the hour fixed by concurrent resolution for the final adjournment of both Houses of the One Hundred and Fifty-third Legislature having arrived, he declared the House of Assembly adjourned without day.

The Members of the House of Assembly, preceded by the Speaker and the 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 Session of the One Hundred and Fifty-third Legislature of New Jersey adjourned *sine die*.

FREDERICK A. BRODESSER,  
*Clerk of the House of Assembly.*

EDWIN MORTIMER HARRISON,  
*Journal Clerk.*



## ADDENDA.

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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 BILLS

Assembly Bill No. 5, entitled "An act empowering and authorizing the Board of Commerce and Navigation of New Jersey to improve, alter, straighten and dredge the channels of the Manasquan river lying between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean and making due appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 12, entitled "An act concerning and regulating motion picture machines and projectors; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 14, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act 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,' which amendment was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 25, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy, chiropractic and naturòpathy, to protect the public health, to license practitioners of said healing arts, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 27, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 29, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence' (Revision of 1900),"

Assembly Bill No. 30, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the First Judicial District of the County of Monmouth,' approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 35, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate to be named by

the President of the Senate and two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, one of whom shall be a representative of the Outdoor Advertising Association and one of the Garden Clubs of this State, shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing outdoor advertising should be enacted,"

Assembly Bill No. 41, entitled "An act to incorporate the Third Judicial District of the county of Essex,"

Assembly Bill No. 44, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of assessor of taxes of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 46, entitled "An act to authorize the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners to construct islands in any of the inland tidal waters of this State for the purpose of public hunting,"

Assembly Bill No. 49, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commissions and to define their powers and duties,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve,"

Assembly Bill No. 50, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, as amended by act passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 54, entitled "An act to provide for the sexual sterilization of inmates of State institutions in certain cases,"

Assembly Bill No. 60, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 71, entitled "An act for the relief of M. Louise W. Hicks,"

Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 72, entitled "An act authorizing the bringing of suits or actions at law against the State of New Jersey in certain cases and creating a Court of Claims to hear and determine same,"

Assembly Bill No. 73, entitled "An act to provide for the settlement of any dispute arising between any commission, board, or any other agency of the State of New Jersey and a contractor having completed or engaged in the completion of any public work, under and by virtue of any contract awarded by any such commission, board or other agency,"

Assembly Bill No. 74, entitled "An act relating to the publication of official advertising in townships of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 75, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 78, entitled "An act to authorize cities of the second class to provide for the payment of a pension upon the death of the mayor of any such cities during his term of office,"

Assembly Bill No. 80, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act respecting any execution,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" (Revision of 1874),

Assembly Bill No. 82, entitled "An act to further amend an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 86, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning District Courts' (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 90, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 96, entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as said title was amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 97, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the business of dealing with dead human bodies, including their preparation, preservation and disposal and the business of funeral directing, embalming and undertaking

and to license those engaged in the business of funeral directing, undertaking, embalming and the preparation and preservation and disposal of dead human bodies and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,' approved March twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 99, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor,' approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 101, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 103, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 105, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and fix their compensation," approved February ninth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 106, entitled "An act creating the office of State Director of Advertising and defining its powers and duties,"

Assembly Bill No. 107, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," which said supplement was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 108, entitled "An act to amend an act, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of

credit unions,' approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 111, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 113, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 115, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 119, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' and constituting chapter two hundred and thirty-seven of the pamphlet laws of one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 122, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning building and loan associations' (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 123, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting the Orphans' Court," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,' which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven,"

Assembly Bill No. 138, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 141, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 147, entitled "An act placing interpreters of the Italian language employed in city police courts in cities of the second class under the supervision of the Civil Service Commission,"

Assembly Bill No. 148, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," " " "

Assembly Bill No. 149, entitled "An act to supplement an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections,' passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and its supplements and amendments thereto, to be known as Article XXXII, to authorize the adoption, rental or purchase and use of 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 machines,"

Assembly Bill No. 152, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of volunteer fire companies,' approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 153, entitled "A further 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. 154, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the fees of sheriffs in the several counties of this State,' approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 157, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relative to clerks of counties and of county courts' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two,"

Assembly Bill No. 161, entitled "An act to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code, and providing penalties for violations,"

Assembly Bill No. 163, entitled "An act to amend the title and amend the body of an act entitled 'An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of clerks of district courts in cities of the first class, after thirty years' continuous service in such public office or position, and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, or after serving twenty-five years and after attaining the age of sixty years, such clerk is incapacitated, and defining the manner of payment of said pension,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 164, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 166, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 170, entitled "An act to promote the safety of railroad employees and the traveling public,"

Assembly Bill No. 176, entitled "An act authorizing the creation of a board of censors, to review motion picture films, silent and spoken, and theatrical performances, prescribing the duties, powers and salaries of such board, and providing penalties for the violation of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 181, entitled "An act providing for pension for any employee in district courts of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 183, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,'" approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,"

Assembly Bill No. 188, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any county in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired,"

Assembly Bill No. 189, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any municipality in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired,"

Assembly Bill No. 190, entitled "An act to prevent deception in the distribution and sale of articles and commodities in package form, and providing penalties for the violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 196, entitled "An act to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a State board of barbers for the licensing of persons to carry on such practices, to insure better education of such practitioners, to provide rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of the occupation of barbering for the protection of the public health, and to provide penalties for violation thereof,"

Assembly Bill No. 201, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 202, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession, (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No. 203, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 204, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 206, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals

and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 209, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927) approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 211, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter one hundred and five, laws of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; chapter two hundred and seventy-two, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and chapter one hundred and twenty-eight, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four,"

Assembly Bill No. 212, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 213, entitled "An act further to amend an act entitled 'An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health

and work hours of persons, employees and operators in factories, workshops, mills, and all places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof,' approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Assembly Bill No. 214, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class," approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five,' approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 216, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877),"

Assembly Bill No. 217, entitled "An act restricting employment to persons having legal residence in the State of New Jersey,"

Assembly Bill No. 219, entitled "An act to promote the safety of travelers and employees upon railroads by compelling common carriers by railroad to properly man their trains,"

Assembly Bill No. 220, 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. 221, entitled "An act to prevent the vending, burning or exploding of toy pistols, firecrackers, squibs, and other explosives,"

Assembly Bill No. 222, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 230, entitled "An act concerning a legislative record,"

Assembly Bill No. 233, entitled "An act providing for the appointment in cities having between fifty-five thousand and two hundred thousand inhabitants, within counties other than counties of the first class, of officials and employees of the district court, other than the judge,"

Assembly Bill No. 234, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulat-

ing process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 237, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 242, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,"

Assembly Bill No. 243, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred,"

Assembly Bill No. 245, entitled "An act concerning legislative counsel and agents; regulating the employment thereof, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act,"

Assembly Bill No. 250, entitled "An act entitled 'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning intoxicating liquor used or to be used for beverage purposes," approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,'"

Assembly Bill No. 251, entitled "An act entitled 'An act concerning the term of office of clerks to recorders in towns,'"

Assembly Bill No. 252, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate fees," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six,' and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," and which supplement was approved February eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine

hundred and twenty, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 254, entitled "An act concerning the term of office of municipal superintendents of public works of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 260, entitled "An act to establish a uniformity of fees and charges for the indexing, filing and recording of documents or papers in the office of the register of deeds and mortgages and in the county clerk's office in counties in this State, where there are no registers of deeds and mortgages (Revision of 1928),"

Assembly Bill No. 262, entitled "An act concerning tuberculosis hospitals in counties of the second class,"

Assembly Bill No. 272, entitled "An act concerning receivers or collectors of taxes, and other persons charged with the collection of taxes in municipalities of this State,"

Assembly Bill No. 273, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as amended,"

Assembly Bill No. 275, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,' which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 276, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs

and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 278, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No 279, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 280, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning trust companies' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 282, entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the second class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents,"

Assembly Bill No 283, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning banks and banking' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine,"

Assembly Bill No 285, entitled "An act in relation to uniforms, badges, caps, wearing apparel and insignia of railroad employees,"

Assembly Bill No. 287, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in all other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property, of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same,' approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 288, entitled "An act to amend 'An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1898),"

Assembly Bill No. 289, entitled "An act to amend 'An act concerning judgments' (Revision of 1877, page 523),"

Assembly Bill No. 290, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of surgery, to license surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,"

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Assembly Bill No. 299, entitled "An act to incorporate the township of Stockholm, in the county of Sussex,"

Assembly Bill No. 300, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the limitation of actions' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

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Assembly Bill No. 312, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish the office of register of deeds and mortgages in certain counties of this State,' approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and four,"

Assembly Bill No. 319, entitled "An act to regulate fees in all actions for penalties in summary proceedings, by statute, before recorders in cities, boroughs and townships,"

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Assembly Bill No. 323, 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,"

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Assembly Bill No. 329, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903); approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, which further amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,"

Assembly Bill No. 330, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 331, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No. 332, entitled "An act concerning the office of registrar of vital statistics, in cities of this State, now or hereafter having a population of not less than fifty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants, and providing for the government of the same,"

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Assembly Bill No. 340, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor,'"

Assembly Bill No. 341, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceeding for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for the said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928),"

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Assembly Bill No. 356, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898),"

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Assembly Bill No. 380, entitled "An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof,'"

Assembly Bill No. 386, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning conditional sales and to make uniform the law relating thereto," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen,' which amendatory act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty,"

Assembly Bill No. 389, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision,' approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five,"

Assembly Bill No. 392, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, as amended by chapter ninety-three, laws of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; chapter eighty-five, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one; and chapter forty-nine of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

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Assembly Bill No. 427, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes' (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and three, passed March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and twenty-three,"

Assembly Bill No. 428, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 430, entitled "An act relating to transportation or removal of goods and chattels,"

Assembly Bill No. 431, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning evidence" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred,'" "

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Committee Substitute for Assembly Bill No. 442, entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Union,"

Assembly Bill No. 444, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers," ap-

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Assembly Bill No. 447, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Assembly Bill No. 448, entitled "An act to reorganize the office of the State Purchasing Agent, and concerning the purchase of all furniture, equipment, materials, supplies, printing and stationery for the use of the State and State institutions, boards, commissions and officers,"

Assembly Bill No. 451, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight,"

Assembly Bill No. 453, entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position of the librarians in cities of the first or second class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of sixty years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension,"

Assembly Bill No. 456, entitled "An act to create a flood district commission for controlling floods and wet lands in certain counties of this State; defining its jurisdiction, powers and duties, and providing a scheme for carrying its object into effect,"

Assembly Bill No. 460, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to give to disabled veterans of the World War who were admitted to the practice of law in this State certain law books,'"

Assembly Bill No. 462, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 463, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act relative to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases' (Revision of 1908), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight,"

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Assembly Bill No. 466, entitled "An act concerning the term of inspectors of buildings in boroughs of this State,"

Assembly Bill No 469, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,"

Assembly Bill No 470, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen,"

Assembly Bill No 471, entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act,"

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Assembly Bill No 483, 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,"

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Assembly Bill No. 490, entitled "A supplement to 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,"

Assembly Bill No. 491, entitled "An act providing for military participation in the celebration to be held in connection with the State Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Bill No. 497, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land' (Revision of 1898),"

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Assembly Bill No. 510, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to tax the transfer of property, of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases,' approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 520, 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, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine,"

Assembly Bill No. 523, 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,"

Assembly Bill No. 524, entitled "An act validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments, or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 9, entitled "A Joint Resolution relative to the dumping and disposal of garbage at sea by the city of New York, and directing the institution of proceedings, on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to abate the nuisance caused thereby,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 12, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President thereof, and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of revising an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 14, entitled "Joint Resolution for the appointment of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the State wide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fire-works in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable, for submission to the next session of the Legislature,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a Commissioner of Public Finance to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation, and the finances of the State, county and municipal governments; to make a thorough canvass of the sources of revenue in the State, counties and municipalities; to determine whether there are any practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and whether there are any economies that can be effected which will result in a reduction of taxes, and to make recommendation to the Legislature as a result of such investigation, and making an appropriation therefor,"

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 17, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into certain financial matters,"

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 1, entitled "A Concurrent Resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted,"

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Senate Bill No. 37, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven,"

Senate Bill No. 91, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act to appropriate and to provide for the payment of a portion of the State tax levied and assessed upon railroad and canal property in this State to the State highway fund established under the provisions of an act entitled "An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State highway system; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding forty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and by the act entitled "An act for the construction,

improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State highway system; including bridges, tunnels, viaducts and rights of way as parts thereof; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding thirty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election," passed at the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven session of the Legislature, approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven,"

Senate Bill No. 103, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eight-hundred and ninety-eight,' which act was approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-two,"

Senate Bill No 208, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a Department of Conservation and Development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission, and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen,"

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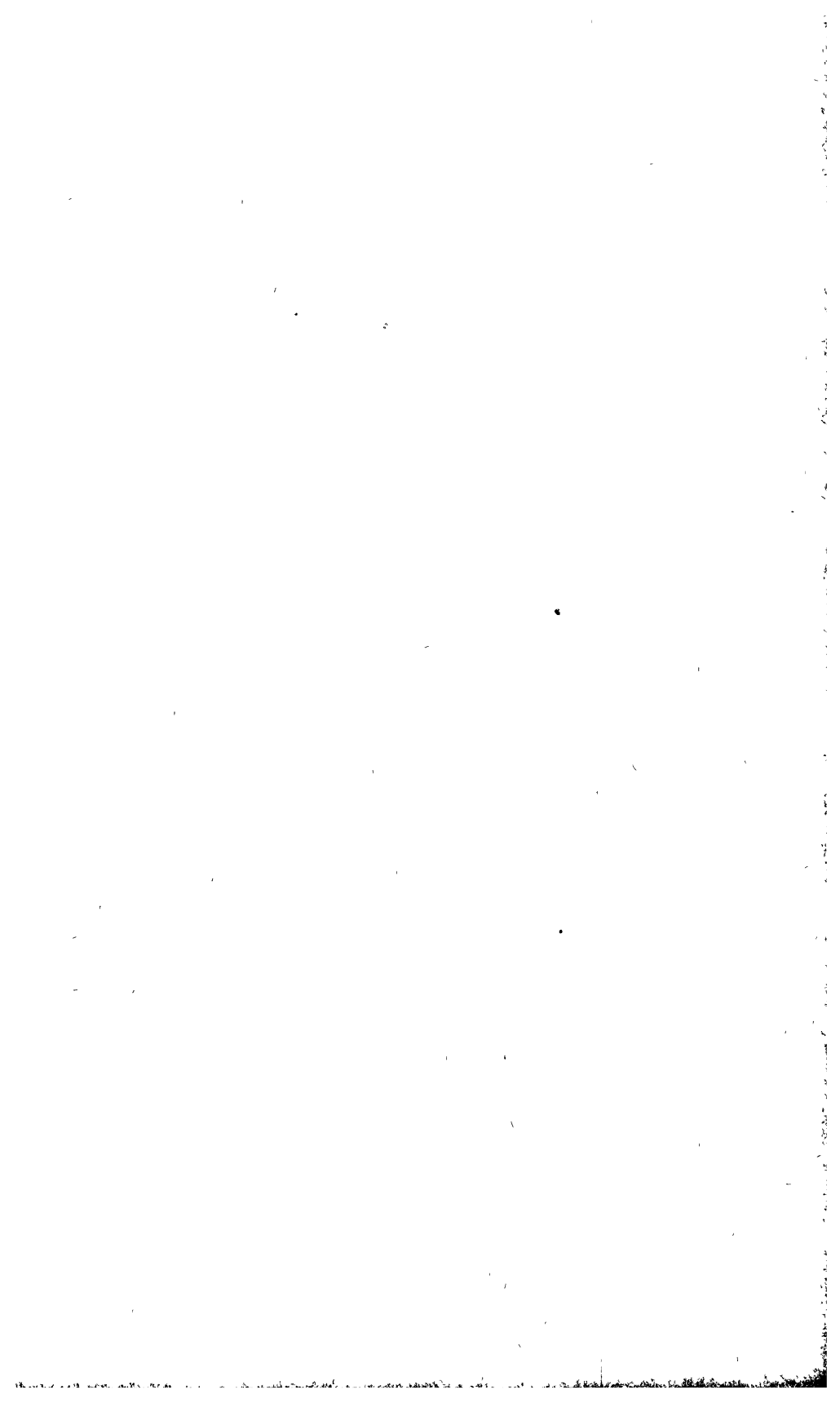
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- 30 to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Monmouth," approved February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—60.
- 31 to change and amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act authorizing counties and municipalities to acquire land for airport purposes and to use land heretofore acquired for other purposes and thereafter to lease same," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—60, 95, 97, 163, 174, 592.
- 32 to carry into effect, in the State of New Jersey, the provisions of an act of Congress to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the act entitled "An act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," approved July second, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and all acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture, and to give the assent of the Legislature thereto—60, 95, 96, 163, 451, 521, 636
- 33 entitled "An act to reorganize the Department of Labor; to provide for the execution of its powers and the performance of its duties through departmental bureaus under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Labor; and as incidental to such reorganization, to provide for the transfer and assignment of officials and employees in the present department and to extend the term of office of the Commissioner of Labor," approved March fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, passed March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two A supplement to—88, 340, 342, 685, 751, 780, 892, 893, 911, 986
- 34 providing for the retirement and pensioning of sergeants-at-arms and court criers in counties of the first class of this State—88, 167, 177, 246, 313, 752
- 35 to license outdoor advertising and to provide for the assessment and collection of license taxes thereon—88, 632, 729
- 36 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 further supplement to—89, 134, 135, 163, 192, 863.
- 37 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed February twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, approved March thirty-first one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—89, 317, 319, 946.

- 38 An act providing for the retirement of certain county employees in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired county employees and their dependents—89, 226, 239, 405, 499, 670, 840, 942.
- 39 to amend an act entitled "An amendment to 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," which said amendment was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—89.
- 40 to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto, which amendment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—89, 360, 414, 422, 644.
- 41 to incorporate the Third Judicial District of the County of Essex—90, 135, 136.
- 42 to permit the retirement on pension, from public office or position, of health officer or other chief officer of the local board of health or department of public health in municipalities, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, and defining the manner of payment of said pension—90.
- 43 to supplement an act entitled "An act against usury," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—90, 156, 157, 237, 241.
- 44 concerning the term of office of assessor of taxes of this State—90.
- 45 entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—90, 135, 136, 237, 241.
- 46 to authorize the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners to construct islands in any of the inland tidal water of this State for the purpose of public hunting—90.
- 47 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning disorderly persons" (Revision of 1898, compiled Statutes 1910, volume 2, page 1926)—91, 322, 324, 595.
- 48 to provide for the construction and maintenance of footpaths for pedestrians on railroad bridges crossing navigable rivers in this State—91
- 49 entitled "An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commissions and to define their powers and duties," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve A supplement to—91, 997, 999.
- 50 to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of cities and providing for their officers, government and powers," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, as amended by Act tenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof—91, 459, 492.
- 51 to supplement an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies, and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor,' approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four," approved March ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five—91, 134, 135, 163.

- 52 An act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof. A supplement to—92, 518, 522, 698
- 53 to incorporate the First Judicial District of the County of Warren in the State of New Jersey—92, 224, 237, 499, 503, 665, 840, 862
- 54 to provide for the sexual sterilization of inmates of State institutions in certain cases—92, 956.
- 55 concerning the term of office of municipal treasurers of municipalities incorporated under 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—92, 323, 452, 521, 637, 957.
- 56 to amend an act to provide for accounting of the moneys received as pension, bounty or other allowance from the United States by guardians of persons formerly in the military or naval service of the United States and to impose upon the Surrogates' and Orphans' Court of the several counties certain duties in connection therewith—92.
- 57 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the issuance of special license to hunt woodcock from the first day of October to the ninth day of November, both dates inclusive, and providing for penalties for violation thereof," approved March eleventh one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—92, 157, 158, 684, 778.
- 58 to provide for the protection and assistance of aged persons under certain conditions and regulations and subject to certain restrictions, limitations and liabilities creating an old age assistance commission of the State of New Jersey, and old age assistance board in each of the respective counties of this State; defining their powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor and prescribing penalties for violations of said act—93, 164, 175, 501, 517.
- 59 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—93, 135, 136, 163, 193, 637, 669.
- 60 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—93.
- 61 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act regulating the days of employment of uniformed members of paid police departments in municipalities of this State, now or hereafter having a population in excess of twenty thousand inhabitants, including all paid uniformed police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, parks and parkways," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—61, 93, 246, 247, 912.
- 62 authorizing the governing body of any municipality of this State to fix and determine by ordinance the compensation of municipal employees, including members of the police and fire departments of such municipality—93, 199, 200, 323, 421, 422, 922.
- 63 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the pensioning of county detectives in counties of the first and second class,' approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven—94, 316, 318, 602, 1170, 1171.

- 64 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," and all amendments and supplements thereto, approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two," approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six—94, 134, 135, 246, 299, 715, 718, 763.
- 65 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—94, 584, 587, 724.
- 66 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of courts of law' (Revision of 1903)." An amendment to—94
- 67 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," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six. A further supplement to—94.
- 68 concerning municipalities having boards of aldermen—85, 224, 237 444, 521, 637.
- 69 concerning the term of office of certain officers or employees of boroughs in this State—98, 110
- 70 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—116, 224, 238, 323, 328, 763, 765.
- 71 for the relief of M. Louise W. Hicks—116
- 72 concerning suits against the State of New Jersey or any commission, board, department or other agency of the State of New Jersey—117, 225, 239, 518, 585
- 73 to provide for the settlement of any dispute arising between any commission, board, or any other agency of the State of New Jersey and a contractor having completed or engaged in the completion of any public work, under and by virtue of any contract awarded by any such commission, board or other agency—117, 225, 239
- 74 relating to the publication of official advertising in townships of this State—117
- 75 entitled "An act prescribing the liability of any employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A supplement to—117.
- 76 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning juries' (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four," which said supplement was approved May twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—117, 165, 176, 323, 329, 840.
- 77 to amend 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, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—117, 165, 176, 947.

- 78 An act to authorize cities of the second class to provide for the payment of a pension upon the death of the mayor of any such cities during his term of office—118
- 79 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting any execution," approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Revision of 1874)—118, 257, 259, 323, 329, 840
- 80 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting any execution," approved March twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (Revision of 1874)—118
- 81 to further 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, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—81, 118, 199, 200, 299, 315
- 82 to further amend an act entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—118
- 83 concerning wards and providing for change of lines and boundaries of wards or for an increase or decrease in the number thereof in municipalities in the State of New Jersey—119, 224, 227, 1118, 1142
- 84 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—119, 317, 319, 659, 767, 769, 949, 959, 1093
- 85 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—119, 317, 319, 447, 521, 592
- 86 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—119, 309, 444, 521
- 87 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine A supplement to—119, 167, 177, 237, 242
- 88 to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—119, 166, 176, 199, 203, 244, 719
- 89 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight A supplement to—120, 306, 308, 446, 521
- 90 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—120, 199, 200, 246, 403, 999, 1000
- 91 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning municipalities,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred seventeen," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven—120, 167, 177, 237, 242, 1024
- 92 providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State, and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents, approved

- March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven. A supplement to—120, 164, 175, 246, 298, 752
- 93 An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—120, 164, 175, 246, 298, 299, 752
- 94 to amend an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which said supplement was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven—120, 171, 179, 246, 250, 719
- 95 to regulate and increase the powers of police courts, recorders' courts and similar municipal courts known by any other name in cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships and villages having a population of over five thousand—121, 167, 177, 299, 311, 894, 895, 976, 977, 981
- 96 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as said title was amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—121
- 97 entitled "An act to regulate the business of dealing with dead human bodies, including their preparation, preservation and disposal and the business of funeral directing, embalming and undertaking and to license those engaged in the business of funeral directing, undertaking, embalming and the preparation and preservation and disposal of dead human bodies and to punish persons violating the provision thereof," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven. A supplement to—121
- 98 validating the sales of certain lands, tenements, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon—121, 167, 177, 448, 521, 710
- 99 amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—122
- 100 to authorize the participation of the New Jersey National Guard and Naval Militia in the celebration commemorating the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the City of Trenton, and making an appropriation for such purpose—122, 172, 179, 249, 353, 360, 455, 521, 1206.
- 101 to amend an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined, regulating the sale of such fuels, providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—122, 196, 200
- 102 making further appropriations for the support of the agency of the State Government in this act enumerated—122, 163, 175, 682
- 103 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—122, 225, 238, 249.

- 104 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 March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, which amendatory act was approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—122, 225, 238, 299, 313, 600.
- 105 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for officers of the Senate and General Assembly and to fix their compensation,' approved February ninth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—123
- 106 creating the office of State Director of Advertising and defining its powers and duties—123
- 107 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels, providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,' passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," which said supplement was approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—123
- 108 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—123, 341, 342, 605
- 109 for extending the time for completing certain railroads—124, 157, 323, 330, 637.
- 110 fixing the compensation of surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, now or hereafter having a population of not less than twenty thousand or more than eighty thousand inhabitants—124, 163, 175, 246, 311, 461, 494, 667, 778
- 111 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty A supplement to—124
- 112 entitled "An act to establish a department of conservation and development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen A supplement to—124
- 113 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty A supplement to—124
- 114 to amend an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance" (Revision of 1902), chapter 92, approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two, which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—124.
- 115 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, management and support thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine A further supplement to—125

- 116 An act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one. A supplement to—125
- 117 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen—125, 168, 177, 447, 521, 881
- 118 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen—125, 168, 177, 595.
- 119 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," and constituting chapter 237 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1918, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—125, 168, 177, 237, 414, 438, 442, 454, 511, 512, 598, 610, 619.
- 120 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon' (Revision of 1918), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six"—126, 168, 178, 237, 327, 894, 896
- 121 concerning public parks and places—126, 257, 258, 323, 420, 912.
- 122 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—126, 693, 695, 978.
- 123 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Orphans' Court,' approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," which supplement was itself approved May first, nineteen hundred and eleven—126, 306, 308, 450, 1149
- 124 to provide for the retirement on pension of any sergeant-at-arms attached to any Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions or Court of Special Sessions in any county of the first class of this State which said sergeant-at-arms shall have been totally incapacitated for the performance of his duty at the time of the passage of this act—126, 166, 176, 199, 203, 244, 752
- 125 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—126, 170, 178, 246, 316, 937, 938.
- 126 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the pensioning of sheriff's employees in the counties of the first class of this State," approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—127, 165, 176, 237, 243, 658, 689, 693, 760
- 127 providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees—127, 170, 178, 246, 312, 752.
- 128 providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in villages in counties of the first class of this State and providing a pension for such retired employees and their dependents—127, 170, 178, 246, 312, 752
- 129 providing for the retirement and pensioning of county clerk's employees in counties of the first class of this State—127, 257, 258, 444, 521, 752.

- 130 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to create a temporary commission to inquire into and report upon the number, distribution and condition of crippled children throughout the State, to recommend means more adequately to meet their needs, and making an appropriation therefor," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—127, 225, 239, 246, 249, 361, 464
- 131 providing for the retirement and pensioning of court attendants in counties of the second class of this State—128, 306, 308, 596, 840.
- 132 to amend an act entitled "An act for the prevention of cruelty to animals," approved March eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty—128, 171, 179, 323, 334, 894, 897
- 133 entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—128, 169, 178, 323, 334
- 134 to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the acknowledgment of deeds and other instruments in writing by corporations," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—128, 170, 179, 199, 205, 244, 1185
- 135 to authorize the acquisition and preservation of the Dey House Washington Headquarters, located at Preakness, in the township of Wayne, county of Passaic, to commemorate the sequi-centennial of the occupancy of said headquarters by General George Washington in the American Revolutionary War; to appoint a commission with power to acquire and preserve the said headquarters; and to appropriate moneys to pay for the acquisition and preservation of the same—128, 437, 441, 596, 1092, 1094
- 136 to incorporate the borough of Manville in the county of Somerset—128, 171, 179, 299, 592.
- 137 to amend an act entitled "An amendment to an act to amend an act entitled 'An act regarding soldiers, sailors and marines honorably discharged from United States service,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—129, 224, 238, 323, 333, 592.
- 138 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—129, 169, 178, 199, 204, 244, 758, 780, 798
- 139 for the relief of Gertrude Clayton—129, 671, 673, 978, 1141
- 140 for the relief of Laura B McGee—129, 671, 673, 978, 1141.
- 141 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—129, 439, 442, 506, 520, 523, 660, 714, 717, 783, 956, 1135
- 142 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—129, 257, 259, 323, 354
- 143 to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning the obligations of street railway companies and traction companies in connection with the paving, repaving and repair of streets, roads and highways and prescribing the powers of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners in relation thereto," passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—130
- 144 to amend an act entitled "An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled 'An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages

- given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—130, 257, 258, 323, 355, 710.
- 145 An act to regulate the practice of naturopathy and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof—130
- 146 entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1928), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—130, 169, 178, 299, 314.
- 147 placing interpreters of the Italian language employed in the city police courts in cities of the second class under the supervision of the Civil Service Commission—130
- 148 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend 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 amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six'"—130.
- 149 to supplement an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and its supplements and amendments thereto, to be known as Article XXXII, to authorize the adoption, rental or purchase and use of 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 machines—131.
- 150 entitled "An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels and the New Jersey Harbor Commission," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. A supplement to—131, 165, 176, 599.
- 151 concerning aeronautics and to make uniform the law with reference thereto—131, 440, 442, 509, 1155, 1156
- 152 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the governing body of any municipality to appropriate money in aid of volunteer fire companies," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—131, 306, 308, 420
- 153 entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—132.
- 154 to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the fees of sheriffs in the several counties of this State," approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—132.
- 155 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," which said supplement was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—132, 169, 178, 249, 519, 522, 700, 864.
- 156 entitled "An act regulating the employment of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission, and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—132, 166, 177, 246, 325, 864

- 157 An act to amend an act entitled "An act relative to clerks of counties and of county courts" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—132.
- 158 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the sale of goods and to make uniform the law relating thereto," approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven—132, 165, 175, 237, 243, 306, 308
- 159 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—133, 257, 258, 414, 425, 586
- 160 for the relief of Jennie McDermott—133, 671, 673, 854, 1141
- 161 to further increase the efficiency of public health protection in this State by the licensing of plumbers, the inspection and supervision of plumbing, the establishing of a State plumbing code and providing penalties for violations—133, 405, 415, 582, 617, 624, 751, 781, 782, 1138.
- 162 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," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—133, 360, 580, 1142.
- 163 to amend the title and amend the body of an act entitled "An act to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of clerks of district courts in cities of the first class, after thirty years' continuous service in such public office or position, and after having attained the age of sixty-five years, or after serving twenty-five years and after attaining the age of sixty years, such clerk is incapacitated, and defining the manner of payment of said pension," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—133, 317, 319.
- 164 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—134, 689, 693.
- 165 to amend an act entitled "An act to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled 'An act concerning corporations' (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six," as heretofore amended and supplemented, approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—134, 436, 441, 510
- 166 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, boroughs, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission, approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—180, 460, 493.
- 167 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the first class in this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents," approved March twenty-eight, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—180, 584, 587, 859
- 168 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which supplement

- was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and amended April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty," which amendment was itself approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one—180, 518, 673, 675, 728, 1159
- 169 An act entitled "An act relating to vital statistics concerning births and deaths," approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and two A supplement to—180, 225, 238, 323, 330
- 170 to promote the safety of railroad employees and the traveling public—180
- 171 to supplement an act entitled "An act to provide means for protection against fires in the territory within any incorporated campmeeting association in this State," approved April twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and five—181, 224, 237, 323, 331, 1185.
- 172 relating to the purity of the waters of the Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays—181, 809, 836, 857, 1153
- 173 providing for a lien for hospitals, physicians and nurses for service rendered in the treatment of injury, accident or sickness for which the patient receives compensation—181
- 174 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey, and to repeal certain acts now relating to the same," approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen A supplement to—181, 305, 307, 608, 752
- 175 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning juries" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—181, 320, 456, 501, 503, 850, 1146, 1147
- 176 authorizing the creation of a board of censors, to review motion picture films, silent and spoken, and theatrical performances, prescribing the duties, powers and salaries of such board, and providing penalties for the violation of this act—181, 501, 504
- 177 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act 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 amendment was approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—182, 808, 836, 1033, 1098, 1099, 1100
- 178 entitled "An act providing for divorces and for decrees of nullity of marriage and for alimony and the maintenance of children" (Revision of 1907) A supplement to—182, 306, 308, 908
- 179 regulating the sale, offering for sale, or transporting for sale, of any packages, either open or closed, or of any bulk load, arrangement, or display of fruits or vegetables and providing penalties for the violation thereof and for the method of recovering such penalties—182, 225, 239, 323, 357
- 180 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning auto cabs, commonly called taxis, and their operation in the State,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—182, 716, 718, 959, 1143.
- 181 providing for pension for any employee in district courts of this State—182.
- 182 entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight A supplement to—182, 492, 796

- 183 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," which amendatory act was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—183, 461, 493
- 184 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—183, 226, 239, 323, 357
- 185 to amend an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—183, 224, 237, 323, 331, 637.
- 186 to validate sales of land by the several municipalities of this State in certain cases—183, 224, 237, 323, 332, 637.
- 187 entitled "An act to authorize boards of chosen freeholders in any of the first-class counties of this State to acquire lands and erect and maintain thereon buildings to be used as maternity hospitals," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four A supplement to—183, 318, 320, 414, 425, 637.
- 188 providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any county in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired—184
- 189 providing for the retirement of persons employed in the department of weights and measures of any municipality in this State, and providing a pension for such persons so retired—184
- 190 to prevent deception in the distribution and sale of articles and commodities in package form, and providing penalties for the violation thereof—184.
- 191 fixing standard weights for bread sold or offered for sale in this State and providing penalties for violations—184
- 192 relating to the compensation of judges of the Court of Common Pleas in certain counties of this State—184, 997, 999, 1103, 1140
- 193 entitled "An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River, or either of them in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect" approved February fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen A supplement to—184, 257, 258, 1104
- 194 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to extend the system of highways in this State by providing for the construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and tunnels for vehicular traffic across the Delaware River and the Hudson River,

- or either of them, in co-operation with the city or State, or both, with which such bridges or tunnels, or either of them, shall connect," approved March eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six"—185, 257, 258, 1105.
- 195 An act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two. A supplement to—185, 316, 319, 450, 521, 720.
- 196 to regulate the occupation of barbering, to create a State board of barbers for the licensing of persons to carry on such practices, to insure better education of such practitioners, to provide rules regulating the proper conduct and sanitation of the occupation of barbering for the protection of the public health, and to provide penalties for violation thereof—185, 437, 442, 507, 583, 586.
- 197 entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—185.
- 198 concerning the term of office of undersheriffs in counties of the first class of this State—186, 226, 239, 323, 328.
- 199 entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—186, 244, 323, 356, 840.
- 200 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision of 1903). A supplement to—186.
- 201 to amend "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—186, 317, 319, 403.
- 202 entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—186, 316, 318, 909.
- 203 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—186.
- 204 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and to provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said amendatory act was approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—187.
- 205 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—187, 500, 502, 687, 840.

- 206 An act to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—187, 226, 240, 323.
- 207 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the creation of juvenile courts in counties of the first class, and defining the jurisdiction and powers thereof," approved April first, nineteen hundred and twelve—187, 235, 240, 323, 335, 637.
- 208 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—188, 460, 493, 507, 609, 618, 685.
- 209 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—188.
- 210 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. Supplement to—188, 224, 237, 323, 333, 688.
- 211 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the compulsory insurance of compensation payments arising under section two of the act entitled 'An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder,' approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter one hundred and five, laws of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; chapter two hundred and seventy-two, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and chapter one hundred and twenty-eight, laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—188.
- 212 entitled "An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor," approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two. A supplement to—189, 225, 238.

- 213 An act further to amend an act entitled "An act regulating the age, employment, safety, health and work hours of persons, employees and operators in factories, workshops, mills and all places where the manufacture of goods of any kind is carried on, and to establish a department for the enforcement thereof," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and four—189
- 214 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act relating to county detectives in counties of the first class,' approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and five," approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six—189.
- 215 to amend an act entitled "An act relative to the Supreme and Circuit courts" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred—189, 258, 259, 606
- 216 entitled "An act concerning judgments" (Revision of 1877). A supplement to—190
- 217 restricting employment to persons having legal residence in the State of New Jersey—190
- 218 entitled "An act appointing a commission to purchase the Old Tavern House in the borough of Haddonfield, making an appropriation for the payment of the same and providing for the care and management thereof," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two Supplement to—190, 226, 239, 786
- 219 to promote the safety of travelers and employees upon railroads by compelling carriers by railroad to properly man their trains—190
- 220 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight A supplement to—190, 808, 836
- 221 to prevent the vending, burning or exploding of toy pistols, fire-crackers, squibs and other explosives—190, 808, 836
- 222 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—191
- 223 entitled "An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit," approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight A supplement to—191, 224, 237, 323, 332, 720.
- 224 entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women" (Revision of 1870). Supplement to—191, 257, 259, 529, 752
- 225 to provide for the taxation of real and personal property of this State for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing, reconstructing, development, extending and equipping State charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions and appurtenances thereto—228, 416, 528, 778
- 226 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which supplemental act was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven. A supplement to—228.
- 227 to amend an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels, providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—228

- 228 An act regulating the sale or exposure for sale of ice cream, ices and kindred frozen products, providing for the sale of such products by avoirdupois weight, and providing penalties for the violation thereof"—228.
- 229 entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven A supplement to—228, 459, 492, 511, 637
- 230 concerning a legislative record—229
- 231 concerning the control of water in brooks and streams in counties by counties, cities, townships and villages—229, 436, 441, 684, 1146, 1148
- 232 to authorize the State House Commission to contract for and cause to be installed an electrical and mechanical system for registration of votes of members of the General Assembly—229, 342, 458, 459, 492, 501, 602, 1017, 1109.
- 233 providing for the appointment in cities having between fifty-five thousand and two hundred thousand inhabitants, within counties other than counties of the first class, of officials and employees of the district court, other than the judge—229, 416
- 234 to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—229
- 235 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulating, planting, care and control of trees and shrubbery upon the public highways in the counties of the State," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—230, 695, 791, 986
- 236 concerning fraudulent conveyances and to make uniform the law relating thereto A supplement to—230, 416, 417, 860
- 237 entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight A supplement to—230.
- 238 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the incorporation of rural cemetery associations and to regulate cemeteries" (Revision of 1877)—230
- 239 entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances

- further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight. A supplement to—230, 317, 319, 501, 876, 1141
- 240 An act relating to allowances of costs and counsel fees to an attorney, solicitor, counsel or proctor, where he is an interested party—231, 305, 307, 501, 662.
- 241 providing for the retirement and pensioning of court interpreters in counties of the first class in this State—231, 360, 458, 521, 1171, 1172.
- 242 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—231, 732, 733.
- 243 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred. A supplement to—231.
- 244 entitled "An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and close seasons for such capture and possession" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—231, 500, 501, 799, 864.
- 245 concerning legislative counsel and agents; regulating the employment thereof, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act—232.
- 246 annexing to Jackson township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provisions of an act entitled "An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same—232, 405, 414, 530, 710.
- 247 annexing to Lakewood township in the county of Ocean a portion of the territory annexed to the county of Ocean by virtue of the provision of an act entitled "An act altering and resettling a part of the boundary line between the counties of Monmouth and Ocean, and annexing certain lands to the county of Ocean," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and providing for the government of the same—232, 405, 414, 710.
- 248 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the establishment of game refuges by the board of fish and game commissioners, and for the protection of the game in such refuges," approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—232, 305, 307, 359, 500, 502, 592.
- 249 entitled "An act concerning trust companies" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—232, 461, 494, 513.
- 250 entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act concerning intoxicating liquor used or to be used for beverage purposes,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two"—233.
- 251 concerning the term of office of clerks to recorders in towns—233.

- 252 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled "An act to regulate fees,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six," and which amendment was approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen,' and which supplement was approved February eighteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, approved March fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—233.
- 253 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six,' which supplement was approved April sixth, one thousand nine hundred and eight," which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, which further amendment was approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—233, 305, 307, 910.
- 254 concerning the term of office of municipal superintendents of public works of this State—233.
- 255 to create and incorporate a school district to be known as the school district of the borough of Hopewell—234, 611, 619, 697, 912.
- 256 entitled "An act concerning banks and banking" (Revision of 1899); approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—234, 462, 494, 513.
- 257 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate the practice of midwifery in the State of New Jersey,' approved March eighth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two," approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and ten—234, 412, 414, 527, 1173.
- 258 to enable any corporation heretofore or hereafter constituted or organized for the purpose of the enforcement of laws enacted for the protection of dumb animals, or constituted or organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of dumb animals, whether incorporated by any special act of the Legislature of this State or under the laws of this State, to amend its charter and providing the procedure therefor—234, 322, 323, 516, 720, 781.
- 259 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred ninety-eight," which supplement was approved April eighth, nineteen hundred twenty-one—234, 500, 501, 724.
- 260 to establish a uniformity of fees and charges for the indexing, filing and recording of documents or papers in the office of the register of deeds and mortgages and in the county clerk's office in counties of this State where there are no registers of deeds and mortgages (Revision of 1928)—234.
- 261 to amend and to supplement an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning wills,' approved April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six," which supplement was approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred and six—235, 500, 501, 727.
- 262 concerning tuberculosis hospitals in counties of the second class—251.
- 263 concerning salaries in certain second class counties and certain second class cities of this State—251, 306, 308, 309, 445, 521, 936.

- 264 An act to amend an act to amend an act entitled "Supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight," approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—251, 318, 320, 910, 1143
- 265 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes' (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen," which amending act was approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—251, 340, 342, 452, 521, 1186
- 266 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—251, 405, 414, 458, 611, 619, 701, 779.
- 267 entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—252, 405, 414, 663, 779
- 268 entitled "An act to establish a Department of Conservation and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission," approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and fifteen. A supplement to—252, 611, 619, 792, 797, 987.
- 269 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which said supplement was approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, which amendment was itself approved April seventh, nineteen hundred and nineteen," which amendment was approved March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six—252, 305, 307, 323, 358.
- 270 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 thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—252, 1129
- 271 entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate the same," approved March fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. A supplement to—252, 343, 405, 518, 522, 727, 864.
- 272 concerning receivers or collectors of taxes, and other persons charged with the collection of taxes in municipalities of this State—253, 672, 674
- 273 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen," constituting chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended—253, 609, 618
- 274 entitled "An act to amend the title and body of an act entitled 'An act concerning auto busses commonly called jitneys, and their operation in cities,' approved March seventeenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen," approved March twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six. A supplement to—253.

- 275 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one," which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—253, 460, 492
- 276 entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight. A supplement to—254, 460, 493
277. to amend "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—254, 416, 417, 454, 720.
- 278 to repeal an act entitled "An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—254
- 279 to repeal an act entitled "An act amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled 'An act relative to the cancellation of mortgages given to individuals and to corporations other than building and loan associations,' approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—254
- 280 entitled "An act concerning trust companies" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—255, 353, 360, 844
- 281 authorizing the sale of the New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers located in the town of Kearny in the county of Hudson—255, 310, 515, 638
- 282 providing for the retirement of certain municipal employees in cities of the second class of this State and providing a pension for such retired municipal employees and their dependents—255.
- 283 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning banks and banking" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—255, 353, 360, 845
- 284 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate hunting with firearms for wild animals and fowl and angling for fish in fresh waters, and providing for the issuance of licenses for such hunting and angling," approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—255, 305, 307, 323, 358
- 285 in relation to uniforms, badges, caps, wearing apparel and insignia of railroad employees—255

- 286 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchises, rights, and any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same," passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—256, 322, 323, 324, 453, 521, 592.
- 287 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize two or more municipalities in this State by means of a commission to acquire, either by purchase or condemnation, and operate privately owned water works now or hereafter supplying water therein, and in all other municipalities, if any, in which water is supplied by the same water works, together with the franchise, rights, and in any or all other appurtenant property of the owner or owners, of such works, and to enlarge and extend the same," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—256.
- 288 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898)—344.
- 289 to amend an act concerning judgments (Revision of 1877, page 523)—344.
- 290 to regulate the practice of surgery, to license surgeons, and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof—344, 689, 693, 924.
- 291 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—344, 714, 717, 786, 857, 1140.
- 292 to create a Board of Chiropractic Examiners and to regulate the practice of chiropractic and to provide penalties for violation of this act and to prohibit the practice of any other mode or system under the name of chiropractic—345, 781.
- 293 entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight. A supplement to—345, 416, 417, 712, 1154.
- 294 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A further supplement to—345, 436, 441, 514, 937, 940.
- 295 to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—345.
- 296 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight—345, 436, 443.
- 297 to amend an act 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 act was approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and four—345, 436, 441, 925, 1154.

- 298 An act to authorize and enable small land owners to drain and improve their lands—346, 501, 504, 792.
- 299 to incorporate the township of Stockholm in the county of Sussex—346.
- 300 to amend an act entitled “An act for the limitation of actions” (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six—346.
- 301 for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith—346, 413, 415, 608, 753.
- 302 relative to bridges now or heretofore or hereafter erected over canals in this State—346, 500, 502, 728, 864.
- 303 fixing the compensation of the supervising examiners, senior examiner, and examiners of the Department of Banking and Insurance of this State, Building and Loan Division—346
- 304 concerning the regulation and licensing of persons, firms, corporations engaged in business as contracting master electricians or working as journeymen, in installing wiring and apparatus for electric light, heat, or power purposes and to regulate the business of master electricians and journeymen for the protection and the best interests of the public, and providing penalties for the violation of this act—346.
- 305 entitled “An act concerning public utilities; to create a board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,” approved April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and eleven. A supplement to—347, 416, 417, 796, 1173
- 306 entitled “An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities,” approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—347, 405, 417, 662, 922.
- 307 relating to the making and keeping of the records in the office of the clerk, register of deeds, and mortgages and surrogates of the counties of this State—347, 749, 750, 979.
- 308 providing for and fixing the compensation of deputy county clerks, special deputy county clerks, undersheriffs, chief clerks or executive clerks to the sheriff, and deputy surrogates in all counties of this State, now or hereafter having a population of not less than eighty-two thousand nor more than one hundred and seventy-five thousand inhabitants—347, 671, 674, 755.
- 309 to authorize a conveyance of certain State lands situated in the township of Ewing, Mercer County—347, 440, 443, 864.
- 310 to amend an act entitled “An act creating the office of the Comptroller of the Treasury, and defining the duties thereof,” approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five—348, 461, 494, 514, 638.
- 311 to amend an act entitled “A supplement to an act entitled ‘An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined; regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof,’ passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight”—348, 416, 417, 527, 638.
- 312 entitled “An act to establish the office of Register of Deeds and Mortgages in certain counties of this State,” approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and four. A supplement to—348.

- 313 An act entitled "An act creating a Department of Municipal Accounts and the office of Commissioner of Municipal Accounts, and defining his duties and powers," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—348, 416, 417, 683
- 314 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—348, 464, 494, 532, 638.
- 315 entitled "An act to authorize the sale or mortgaging of lands and premises in which a person mentally incapacitated may have an inchoate right of dower, and provide for the determination, release or purchase of such inchoate right of dower," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—349, 613, 620, 704, 912
- 316 entitled "An act to regulate the practice of courts of law" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—349, 500, 503, 798, 907.
- 317 authorizing cities, villages, towns, and counties to establish, construct, improve, equip, maintain, and operate airports or landing fields—349, 481, 493, 699, 1165, 1197
- 318 entitled "An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. A supplement to—349, 416, 417, 666
- 319 to regulate fees in all actions for penalties in summary proceedings, by statute, before recorders in cities, boroughs and townships—349
- 320 concerning the appointment and term of office of Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes in certain cities—349, 518, 522, 832, 912, 985, 990, 993, 1141
- 321 to amend an act entitled "An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—350, 748, 749, 952, 1129.
- 322 to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean—350, 500, 503
- 323 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—350, 416, 506, 521, 523, 530
- 324 to amend and supplement an act entitled "An act concerning contagious and infectious diseases among cattle; regulating the importation of cattle into this State, and providing measures to check the spread of diseases among cattle in this State; creating the Commission on Tuberculosis Among Animals, prescribing its powers and duties and fixing penalties for violations of this act," approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and to repeal certain sections thereof, approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—350, 437, 441, 507, 627, 697, 715, 718, 789, 912.

- 325 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning the government of certain cities in this State, and constituting a municipal Board of Fire and Police Commissioners therein, and defining the powers and duties of such board, and vesting in such board certain powers of management and appointment now vested in other departments or offices in such cities, and providing for the maintenance of such board,' approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and seven"—350, 436, 440, 856, 987.
- 326 to incorporate the Fifth Judicial District of the County of Bergen—351, 585, 587
- 327 to repeal an act entitled "An act providing for hack stands in front of certain hotels," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—351
- 328 to repeal an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five"—351
- 329 to amend an act entitled "A further act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning railroads' (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen," which further amendment was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—351
- 330 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved April ninth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—351.
- 331 entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen A. supplement to—352
- 332 concerning the office of registrar of vital statistics, in cities of this State, now or hereafter having a population of not less than fifty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants, and providing for the government of the same—352.
- 333 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the marking and stamping of crates, baskets and carriers in which fruits and vegetables to be sold or offered or exposed for sale are packed, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—352, 461, 494, 515, 638
- 334 concerning the term of office of police magistrates in cities of this State now or hereafter having a population of not less than thirty thousand nor more than fifty thousand inhabitants—352, 412, 415, 501, 516, 526, 584, 586, 601
- 335 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning auto busses and their operation," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—353
- 336 entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the viola-

- tion of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. A supplement to—353, 440, 442.
- 337 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. A supplement to—465, 520, 523.
- 338 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning District Courts" (Revision of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—466, 500, 503, 794.
- 339 for the relief of John H. Enright—466, 672, 674, 984.
- 340 to amend an act entitled "An act to license and regulate the business of private detectives and detective agencies and to provide that the violation of any provision hereof shall be a misdemeanor—466, 520, 523.
- 341 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for the said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928)—466, 500, 503.
- 342 entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty. A supplement to—466, 615, 621.
- 343 to amend an act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—466, 614, 621, 735, 969.
- 344 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—467, 583, 587, 761.
- 345 to amend an act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning district courts' (Revision of 1898), which supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two"—467, 583, 588, 1105.
- 346 relative to the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in certain counties of this state—467, 945.
- 347 supplement to an act entitled "An act for the assessments and collection of taxes, approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six. A further supplement to—467, 531.
- 348 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898)—467, 860.
- 349 to encourage the propagation of game in the State of New Jersey and providing a license therefor—468.
- 350 entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing,

- maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven. A supplement to—468, 500, 502, 736, 912
- 351 An act for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years, and to authorize certain judges to order that such judgment shall not operate as a disqualification of such persons for any office, and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such, and providing for the revocation of such order—468, 584, 588, 904, 1143.
- 352 entitled "An act relating to the sale of lands by cemetery companies," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty A supplement to—468, 584, 587, 736, 922.
- 353 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Court of Chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two"—468, 500, 502
- 354 concerning Public Parks in certain counties of this State and to regulate the same—468, 616, 623, 737, 1144.
- 355 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—469, 500, 502, 665, 779.
- 356 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898)—469.
- 357 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, as amended by act approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and as further amended by act approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—469, 585, 587, 925, 1154.
- 358 to validate and confirm the appointment of certain legal assistants by the Prosecutor of the Pleas in certain counties of this State and to validate and confirm the payment of the salary or compensation of such appointees—469
- 359 concerning the term of office of medical inspectors of boards of education of this State—469, 614, 620
- 360 entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—469, 611, 619, 737, 864
- 361 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to authorize the board of chosen freeholders of any of the several counties in 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 act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—470, 585, 587, 703, 913
- 362 fixing the compensation of police recorders in townships of this State—470, 521, 523.
- 363 relative to recorders in townships of this State—470, 521, 523.
- 364 to amend an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined, regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels, and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," approved April

- first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—470, 616, 623, 799
- 365 An act entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision, of 1918) A supplement to—470, 866, 869, 950, 1174
- 366 providing for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceedings of the Spanish-American War Veterans of the Department of New Jersey—470, 500, 502, 761, 1187, 1191.
- 367 entitled "An act concerning cemeteries," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and nine A supplement to—471, 499, 503, 738, 922
- 368 to permit municipalities maintaining no hospital or institution for the observation of persons charged with misdemeanor or disorderly conduct to contract with other municipalities for their maintenance during observation—471, 500, 501, 739
- 369 to grant, remise, release, convey and confirm unto the record owner of lands and premises, the title to which has escheated to the State of New Jersey, the right, title and interest of the State of New Jersey in such lands so escheated—471, 672, 674, 788.
- 370 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—471, 594, 670, 841
- 371 entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two A supplement to—471, 500, 502, 606, 740.
- 372 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—472, 519, 522, 582, 729
- 373 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning motor vehicles bailed, rented or leased, without a driver, to be operated by the bailee, or lessee, his agent or servant, for purposes other than the transportation of passengers for hire, and their operation upon public highways," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six,' which amendment was approved March thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," which amendment was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—472, 594, 672, 794, 1174
- 374 to authorize the sale, and/or change from one public use to another such use of land or any estate or interest therein owned by any municipal or other corporation having power of eminent domain, and to provide compensation for any additional burden or damage that may be imposed or caused by such change of use—472, 500, 502
- 375 to fix the pay or salary of certain employees of the Rahway Reformatory—472, 613, 620, 1176
- 376 vesting the title to real estate of which Mary M McDermott died seized and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey in one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in James Walsh—472, 689, 693, 854, 1206
- 377 to authorize the issuing of licenses to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines for buying and selling merchandise at public auction within this State—473

- 378 An act to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing limited appropriations for the relief and education of certain indigent children in the cities of this State," approved March twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three—473, 614, 621, 667, 922.
- 379 entitled "An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers," approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven A supplement to—473
- 380 to amend a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery, to license physicians and surgeons and to punish persons violating the provisions thereof—473, 617, 623.
- 381 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—473, 673, 675, 790, 938, 942
- 382 to amend an act entitled "An act relative to police magistrates in cities of the second class"—473, 499, 503, 686, 779
- 383 to amend an act entitled "An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine, approved March twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—474, 714, 717, 829
- 384 to amend an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning minors, their adoption, custody and maintenance" (Revision of 1902), approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and two, which amendment was approved March eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—474, 615, 621, 707
- 385 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions, located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds," approved February twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and eighteen—474, 613, 620, 851, 1174
- 386 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning conditional sales and to make uniform the law relating thereto,' approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen," which amendatory act was approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—474, 615, 621
- 387 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for overflow of the tide, or the filling in, of the lands contained within the bounds of any meadow company; heretofore organized by virtue of the provisions of any special or general act of the Legislature of this State, to provide funds, to defray the expenses thereof and to protect adjoining meadows, or other lands from damages, and to assess a portion of the cost thereon on such adjoining lands," which act was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—474, 622, 704, 987
- 388 entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two. A further supplement to—475, 673, 675, 947
- 389 to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—475.

- 390 An act authorizing the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to a proposed additional interstate bridge across the Delaware River between Phillipsburg, New Jersey, and Easton, Pennsylvania, providing for a report thereon and making an appropriation—475, 616, 622, 690, 694, 825.
- 391 to annex a portion of the township of Lopatcong in the county of Warren, to the town of Phillipsburg, in the county of Warren—475, 614, 621, 700, 938, 943.
- 392 to amend an act entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, as amended by Chapter ninety-three, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and nineteen; Chapter eighty-five, Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one; and Chapter forty-nine of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—475.
- 393 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the court of chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—476, 610, 618, 927.
- 394 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting the Court of Chancery' (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two," which said supplement was approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen—476, 610, 618, 927.
- 395 relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgages against loss—476, 610, 618, 928.
- 396 relating to mortgages, and the protection of the holders of any mortgage against waste or misapplication, of the income from the mortgaged lands—476, 610, 618, 705, 946.
- 397 entitled "An act respecting the Court of Chancery" (Revision of 1902), approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two. A further supplement to—476, 610, 618.
- 398 relative to mortgages, the foreclosure thereof and regulating proceedings on foreclosure—477, 610, 619, 706.
- 399 appropriating money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of Morris Canal and Banking Company, and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey—477, 615, 621, 798, 1140.
- 400 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—477.
- 401 to amend an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same, and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—477, 609.

- 402 An act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revisions of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight." A further supplement to—477, 613, 620.
- 403 validating a deed or conveyance made by any general guardian conveying any interest which minors may have in lands situate in the State of New Jersey—478, 615, 622
- 404 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning warehouse receipts, and to make uniform the law relating thereto," approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven—478, 767, 769.
- 405 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—478, 613, 620, 788, 1174.
- 406 entitled "An act for the punishment of crimes" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—478.
- 407 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen—478.
- 408 to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessments and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto—478, 583, 586, 603, 709.
- 409 to provide for the completion of the vital records of New Jersey by the filing of copies of such records dated prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, with the State Registrar of Vital Statistics, and for filing and indexing the same alphabetically and in such manner as to render them readily available for reference—479, 584, 586, 683.
- 410 to amend an act entitled "An act for the assessment and collection of taxes" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—479, 609, 617, 848, 1141.
- 411 relating to the compensation of each and all deputies, clerks, and chief clerks, or executive clerks in the offices of the county clerk, surrogate and register of deeds and mortgages in counties of the first class of this State—479, 753.
- 412 to incorporate the borough of Somerdale, in the county of Camden—479, 767, 769, 830, 922.
- 413 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, constituting chapter one hundred and fifty-two of the Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A supplement to—479, 673, 674, 726, 922.
- 414 to incorporate the borough of Pine Valley in the county of Camden—479, 767, 769, 830, 922.
- 415 to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden—480.
- 416 to incorporate the borough of Lindenwold, in the county of Camden—480, 767, 769, 831, 922.
- 417 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the assessment and collection of taxes,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved

- April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and six A further supplement to—480, 491, 492, 509, 519, 522, 525
- 418 An act entitled "An act to establish public parks in certain counties in this State and to regulate same," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six A supplement to—480, 689, 693, 744, 922
- 419 for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three A supplement to—480, 749, 750, 906, 1140:
- 420 to incorporate the borough of Pine Hill, in the county of Camden—480, 767, 769, 831, 923
- 421 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," which amendatory act hereby amended was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—480, 672, 674, 759, 864.
- 422 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898)—481, 741, 742, 797, 1004
- 423 entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight A supplement to—481, 692, 694, 849.
- 424 entitled "An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen A supplement to—481, 615, 622, 660
- 425 concerning cemetery and cemetery associations, and providing for the regulation of the same—481, 616, 622.
- 426 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, approved February twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—481, 768, 770, 924
- 427 to amend an act entitled "An act constituting courts for the trial of small causes" (Revision of 1903), approved April eighth, nineteen hundred and three, passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—482.
- 428 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—482, 692, 694
- 429 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of professional engineers and land surveyors," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—482
- 430 relating to transportation or removal of goods and chattels—482.
- 431 entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act concerning evidence' (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred" A supplement to—482, 594.
- 432 concerning contingent fees—482.

- 433 An act to regulate the occupation of painting, the use of paints containing certain materials and for other purposes—483, 776, 994
- 434 to prevent deception in the sale of paints; to provide for true labels for the same when offered for sale; for the enforcement of this act by the State chemist; for penalties for the violation of the same, and for other purposes—483, 776, 994
- 435 relating to the sale of property by married women, where they acquire title to same by gift, devise or inheritance—483, 594, 741
- 436 to amend an act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A further supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the imposition of State taxes upon certain corporations and for the collection thereof," approved April eighteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four,' which supplement was approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and six," and which amendment was approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, approved April twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—483, 833
- 437 to further amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended—483, 594, 955, 1206
- 438 to further amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented—483, 594, 829, 833, 834
- 439 relating to motor vehicles and their use thereof on the highways of this State—484
- 440 to amend an act entitled "An act to tax the transfer of property or resident and non-resident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale, in certain cases," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine—484, 594, 759, 969
- 441 to amend an act entitled "An act to protect persons performing labor or furnishing materials for the construction, alteration or repair of public works," approved February sixteen, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—484, 613, 620, 1131
- 442 to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Union—484, 584, 586.
- 443 to amend an act entitled "An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State Real Estate Commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," approved April fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—484, 617, 623, 782, 923
- 444 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act creating a department of municipal accounts and the office of commissioner of municipal accounts, and defining his duties and powers,' approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen," approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—484, 615, 622.
- 445 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine A supplement to—485, 967, 971, 1033.
- 446 authorizing the State University of New Jersey to provide for instruction in the principals and practice of real estate law—485, 867, 870, 990.

- 447 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—485.
- 448 to reorganize the office of the State Purchasing Agent and concerning the purchase of all furniture, equipment, material, supplies, printing and stationery for the use of the State and State institutions, boards, commissions and officers—485.
- 449 concerning trust funds created by public subscription for the support and maintenance of widows and children of deceased members of the police and fire departments of municipalities of this State—485, 616, 623, 783, 923.
- 450 to repeal and re-enact with amendment section nine of "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one—486
- 451 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the protection of certain kinds of birds, game and fish, to regulate their method of capture, and provide open and closed seasons for such capture and possession'" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—486, 779.
- 452 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"—486, 613, 620, 956, 1174.
- 453 to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class or second class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of sixty years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension—486.
- 454 to provide for and regulating rates for gas distribution throughout the State—486.
- 455 entitled "An act for the establishment of county mosquito extermination commissions and to define their powers and duties," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve. A supplement to—486, 692, 694, 996.
- 456 to create a flood district commission for controlling floods and wet lands in certain counties of this State; defining its jurisdiction, powers and duties and providing a scheme for carrying its object into effect—487.
- 457 to enable cities fronting on tidal waters of this State to reclaim, fill and improve lands under water within any such city and to make assessments upon lands especially benefited by such improvements—487, 609, 617, 659, 690, 694, 861.
- 458 for the payment of a bonus to each soldier, or a dependent or dependents thereof, who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the war between the United States and the German Empire and its allies—487, 749, 750, 950, 1143.
- 459 to fix and define a portion of the southerly boundary line and a portion of the wasterly boundary line of the borough of Avon-by-the-Sea, in the county of Monmouth—487, 672, 674, 853, 1152.
- 460 to amend an act entitled "An act to give to disabled veterans of the World War who were admitted to the practice of law in this State certain law books"—487.

- 461 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission, or any municipality governed by a board of commissioners," approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and constituting Chapter two hundred and fifty-two of the Pamphlet Laws of one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—487, 615, 621, 795, 923.
- 462 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning public utilities; to create a Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to prescribe its duties and powers,' approved April twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and eleven," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—488.
- 463 entitled "An act relative to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision 1908), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight. A supplement to—488
- 464 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State bordering on the Atlantic Ocean having a population of not less than twenty thousand nor more than one hundred thousand inhabitants,' approved March twelfth, nineteen hundred and twenty-four"—488, 891, 892, 967.
- 465 fixing the salaries of county detectives in counties of the third class—488.
- 466 concerning the terms of inspectors of buildings in boroughs of this State—488.
- 467 entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—488, 615, 621, 1035, 1054.
- 468 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance and support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—489.
- 469 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—489, 690, 693.
- 470 to repeal an act entitled "An act defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labelled and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—489.
- 471 defining mattresses, regulating the making, remaking and sale thereof, prohibiting the use of unsanitary and unhealthful materials therein, requiring that the materials used shall be accurately described, and prescribing the manner in which mattresses shall be labeled, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this act—489.
- 472 entitled "An act authorizing the acquisition and maintaining by the State of New Jersey in conjunction with the State of Pennsylvania of toll bridges across the Delaware River and providing for free travel across the same," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred twelve. A further supplement to—489, 690, 694, 799, 1206.

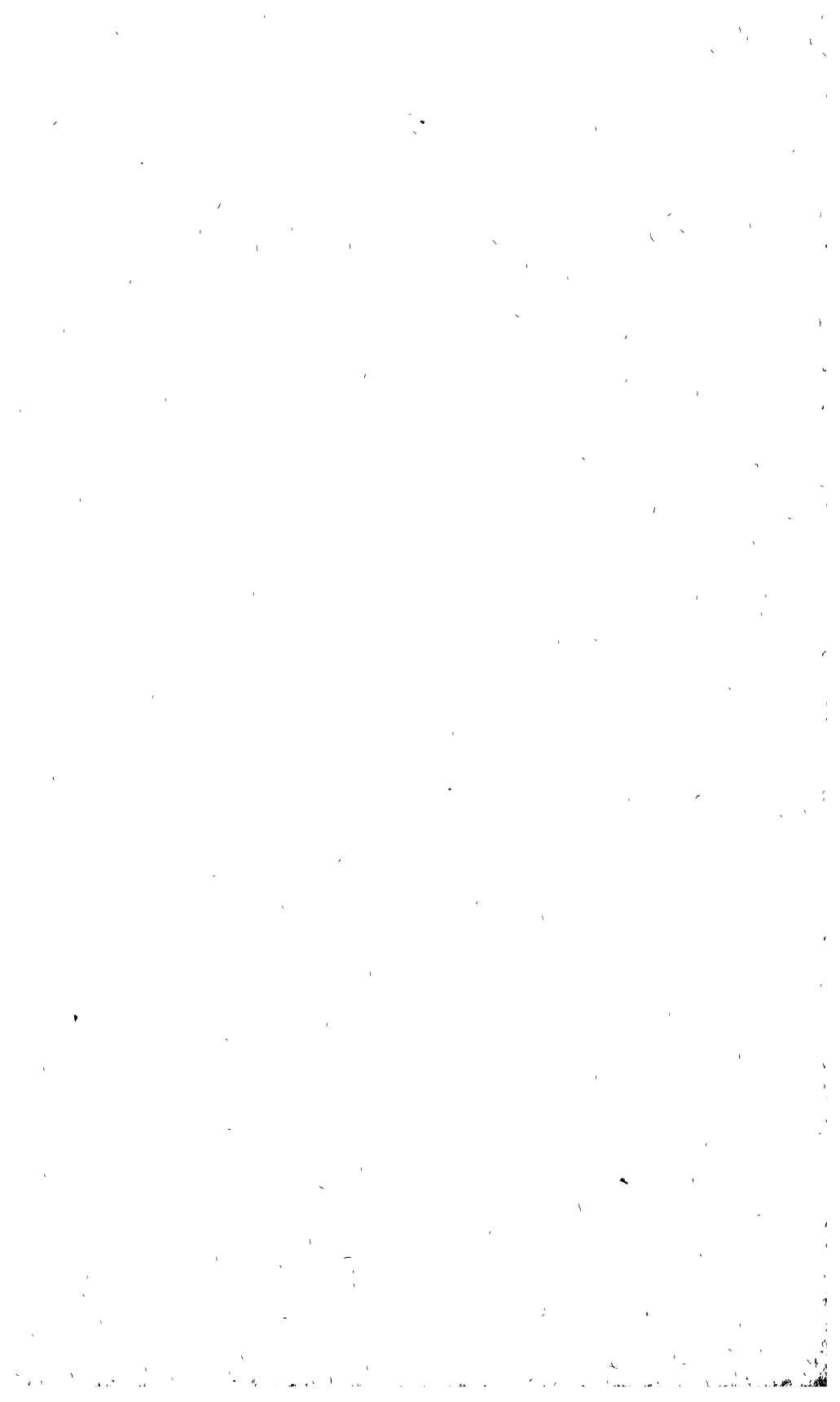
- 473 An act concerning employees in the fire departments of the municipalities of this State—490, 673, 817, 865, 950.
- 474 to annex to the city of Egg Harbor City, part of the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic—490, 612, 620, 802, 1154.
- 475 providing for chambers or offices for Justices of the Supreme Court—490, 616, 622, 909.
- 476 to amend an act entitled "An act to define, regulate and license real estate brokers and salesmen, creating a State real estate commission, defining its powers and duties, and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," passed March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—490, 617, 623, 744, 1093, 1095, 1119.
- 477 to amend "An act to permit bathing and swimming in the fresh waters of this State," passed March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—490, 616, 623.
- 478 entitled "An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine A supplement to—490, 808, 835, 923, 1004.
- 479 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—490, 689, 693, 801, 938, 944.
- 480 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning railroads" (Revision of 1903), approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—505, 690, 693, 907, 1142.
- 481 entitled "An act to authorize two or more municipalities of this State to jointly construct and maintain outlet or trunk sewers and disposal works, and to authorize every such municipality to construct local sewers within its corporate limits connecting with or discharging into such joint outlet or trunk sewers," approved March fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, constituting chapter thirty-six of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine A further supplement to—505, 611, 619, 669, 740
- 482 to incorporate the borough of Hi-Nella, in the county of Camden—505, 767, 769, 832, 923
- 483 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—506.
- 484 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to Circuit Court judges in counties of the first class in this State," approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—506, 767, 770, 905, 1004, 1092.
- 485 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—525, 614, 620, 787, 1142.
- 486 entitled "An act to permit recognized organizations, composed of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines of the military, naval or air service of the United States, to use State armories for the holding of military and other affairs," approved March third,

- one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. A supplement to—526, 732, 733, 829
- 487 An act to amend an act entitled “An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State,” approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two—579, 867, 870, 1098, 1099, 1133, 1207.
- 488 to amend an act entitled “An act declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with the issuance, sale, offer for sale, purchase, offer to purchase, promotion, negotiation, advertisement or distribution of securities within this State, and providing for the investigation and prevention of such practices,” approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—579, 809, 836, 905, 1142.
- 489 to amend an act entitled “An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred (\$300) dollars or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages, when given as security for any such loan or advancement,” approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—579
- 490 concerning corporations (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. A supplement to—579, 867, 870
- 491 providing for military participation in the celebration to be held in connection with the State Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and making an appropriation therefor—714, 717, 720
- 492 to validate, confirm, authorize and direct the payment of certain obligations, and/or contracts of municipalities of this State—593, 689, 693, 760, 872.
- 493 to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by boroughs—593, 672, 674, 726, 1032.
- 494 for the relief of Maude Weeks—593, 672, 674, 762, 987
- 495 authorizing and empowering the Governor, the Treasurer, and the Comptroller of the State of New Jersey, constituting the State House Commission of said State, acting for and on behalf of the State of New Jersey, to grant and convey to Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, or one of its subsidiary companies, a right-of-way over the lands of the State of New Jersey in the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, in consideration of a conveyance by said Corporation or one of its subsidiaries, to the State of New Jersey, or its nominee, of lands owned by said company or companies in the City of New Brunswick, and in the Township of North Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey—601, 833, 834, 848, 865, 869, 948, 1142
- 496 to amend an act entitled “An act to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Morris”—627, 866, 869, 951, 1024
- 497 to amend an act entitled “An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and materials in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land” (Revision of 1898)—631, 741, 742, 916, 967, 971
- 498 entitled “An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land” (Revision of 1898) A supplement to—631, 741, 742, 916, 968, 971
- 499 to amend an act entitled “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—631, 741, 742, 917, 967, 971.
- 500 An act entitled "An act to secure to mechanics and others payment for their labor and material in erecting any building and in making certain improvements to land" (Revision of 1898). A supplement to—631, 741, 742, 917, 969, 971.
- 501 to incorporate the fifth judicial district of the county of Bergen—634, 732, 733, 801, 872.
- 502 to incorporate the first judicial district of the county of Ocean—668, 891, 892, 1176.
- 503 to validate certain ordinances heretofore passed by municipalities—668, 865, 869, 1109, 1186.
- 504 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, approved March sixteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five," approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-six—668, 865, 869.
- 505 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—668, 914, 915.
- 506 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen—688, 767, 769, 849, 923.
- 507 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled, 'An act concerning townships' (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine"—748, 866, 869, 955, 1022.
- 508 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof; fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles; fixing the amount of license and registration fees; prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violation,' approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, as amended by an act approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and as further amended by an act approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and as further amended by an act approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four," approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—843.
- 509 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act concerning counties,' approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen," approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—848, 891, 893, 984, 1187.
- 510 entitled "An act to tax the transfer of property of resident and nonresident decedents, by devise, bequest, descent, distribution by statute, gift, deed, grant, bargain and sale in certain cases," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and nine. A supplement to—852, 1134, 1136, 1178
- 511 to amend an act 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 the several supplements and acts amendatory thereto, which amend-

ment was approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—881, 925, 987.

- 512 An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals, and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs, and townships, under certain restrictions, for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority' (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight," which amendment was approved October eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—882, 929, 1143.
- 513 to amend an act entitled "An act respecting the employment of disabled soldiers, sailors, marines and nurses, in the service of the State or municipalities thereof, and providing a penalty for violation thereof," approved March seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—882, 931, 1034, 1185
- 514 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. A further supplement to—906, 929, 1106, 1155.
- 515 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six—962, 997, 999, 1030, 1186.
- 516 to validate proceedings heretofore had by school districts authorizing the issuance of bonds—982, 1140.
- 517 to further amend an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, as heretofore amended and supplemented—993, 998, 999, 1031, 1140.
- 518 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—1116
- 519 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred A further supplement to—1213, 1258.
- 520 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning district courts" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine—1214, 1243.
- 521 making effectual the record of the probate, filing or recording of any foreign will in this State prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety—1245, 1251.
- 522 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof' (Revision 1927), approved March thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven," approved April sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine—1256.



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- 1 An act concerning contempts arising out of acts or omissions with respect to committees constituted by joint resolutions of the Legislature—51, 54
- 2 entitled “An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith,” passed March twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one A supplement to—236, 257, 259, 419
- 4 entitled “An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,” approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. A supplement to—155, 156, 412, 415, 607.
- 6 validating and confirming deeds conveying lands made by a school district of this State—155, 156, 171, 179, 843
- 9 to validate and confirm titles to real estate conveyed by corporations organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey, whose charters had expired prior to the execution of the deeds therefor—645, 647, 692, 695, 844.
- 10 to amend an act entitled “An act for the settlement and relief of the poor, and providing for municipal, county or joint county relief, excepting from county or joint county relief, certain municipalities” (Revision of 1924)—155, 156, 171, 179, 323, 1005.
- 11 authorizing any county and one or more municipalities, and one or more school districts or any of them to enter into a joint contract providing for public health service—645, 647, 768, 770, 845
- 17 to amend an act entitled “An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State,” approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one, as amended by act approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—361, 364, 439, 443, 507
- 18 to amend an act entitled “An act to establish a State highway system, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof” (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—155, 156, 172, 179, 463, 522.
- 19 concerning the creation and maintenance in perpetuity or for a lesser time of a trust fund or funds for the protection or benefit of some or all of the employees of any corporation of this State, or of any corporation a subsidiary thereof or affiliated therewith—302, 303, 324, 326
- 20 to amend an act entitled “An act concerning marriages” (Revision of 1910), approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and ten—362, 363, 340, 343, 845
- 25 relating to the filing of plans and specifications in the building departments of the State of New Jersey, and the various municipalities thereof and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof—650, 651, 997, 1000, 1106.

- 26 An act concerning the care and custody of minor children—462, 463, 615, 624, 743.
- 28 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning trust companies" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—201, 203, 748, 750, 846.
- 30 entitled "An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State and to provide State aid therefor," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. A supplement to—872, 873, 1099, 1100, 1101.
- 31 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a Department of Agriculture and to prescribe its powers and duties," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—336, 337, 464, 703.
- 32 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—464, 465, 585, 588, 609, 690, 694, 1110.
- 34 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, town, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by boards of commissioners or improvement commissions in this State," approved April twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the title whereof was amended to read as herein by an act approved April second, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—677, 678, 890, 893, 1122, 1185.
- 35 entitled "An act concerning townships" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—302, 303, 413, 415, 701.
- 37 entitled "An act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in the course of employment, establishing an elective schedule of compensation, and regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder," approved April fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. A supplement to—639, 641, 732, 735.
- 41 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the retirement of life guard officers and life guards employed in cities of the fourth class in this State, and providing a pension for life guard officers and life guards so retired—302, 303, 440, 443, 508, 607, 641, 644.
- 43 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A further supplement to—318, 340, 343, 402.
- 45 to amend an act entitled "An act relative to the appointment of court criers to Supreme and Circuit Courts, and providing for the compensation thereof," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—653, 655, 781, 782, 888.
- 47 entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen. A supplement to—302, 303, 810, 837, 889.
- 49 to validate ordinances adopted by municipalities on or after April ninth, nineteen hundred twenty-one—462, 463, 500, 504, 846.
- 50 to amend an act entitled "A general act relating to boroughs" (Revision, 1897), approved April twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven—302, 304, 500, 504, 847.

- 54 An act to promote the public health and safety, to provide for the elimination of unsanitary and unsafe structures now used for dwelling purposes in cities of this State; to authorize the acquisition, by purchase or condemnation, of such structures, together with the land upon which they stand; the construction thereon of new dwellings, and to provide for the letting of the same and of apartments therein at reasonable rentals—932, 954, 956
- 55 entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies, and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two A supplement to—934, 935, 954, 957
- 56 to permit the retirement, on pension, from public office or position, of the librarians in cities of the first class, after twenty-five years' continuous service in public office or position and after having attained the age of seventy years, and defining the manner of payment of the said pension—934, 935, 954, 1006.
- 59 making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this enumerated, and for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations—302, 304, 464, 495
- 60 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, nineteen hundred and two—304, 305, 324, 326
- 61 entitled "An act giving to State banks power to act in a fiduciary capacity," approved April twelve, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen A supplement to—677, 678, 749, 750, 821
- 62 entitled "An act concerning mutual fire insurance companies," approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five A supplement to—303, 304, 464, 494, 508.
- 64 to further amend and to further supplement an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of municipalities, except counties, by a municipal council and a municipal manager," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three—361, 364, 440, 443, 697, 818
- 67 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend the law relating to the property of married women" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four—336, 337, 550, 713
- 68 providing for and authorizing the pensioning of former associate justices of the Supreme Court of this State, and fixing their compensation—137
- 74 to enable counties of this State, which have no county hospital, to aid and assist in supporting and maintaining contagious buildings and pavilions permanently maintained by any hospital or hospitals located in such county—772, 774, 850, 971, 972, 1015
- 76 to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of members of boards of chosen freeholders, directors of boards of chosen freeholders and county supervisors in certain counties of this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—813, 814, 867, 871
- 77 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was itself approved April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eleven—723, 749, 750, 804

- 78 An act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision of 1896), approved April twenty-first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six Supplement to—677, 678, 749, 751, 803
- 81 concerning financial responsibility for damages caused by the operation of motor vehicles—653, 655, 732, 734, 826
- 82 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—304, 305, 340, 343, 418
- 83 concerning the distribution for advertising and educational purposes of a comprehensive book entitled "New Jersey—Life, Industries and Resources of a Great State"—811, 866, 870, 965
- 85 to provide for the control and use of county roads in this State—878, 880, 891, 893, 965
- 87 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the regulation of vehicles, animals and pedestrians on all public roads and turnpikes, and prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act, and penalties for said violations, and granting authority to towns, cities, boroughs and townships, under certain restrictions for the adoption of ordinances further regulating vehicles, pedestrians and animals, and designating the authorities to enforce its provisions, and defining their powers and their authority" (Revision of 1928), approved July fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight—639, 641, 692, 695, 886
- 89 concerning corporations heretofore organized and now existing under any law of this State since repealed authorizing the incorporation of societies or clubs for social, intellectual and recreative purposes and maintaining, for the use and accommodation of its members, a club house and associated facilities for the playing of golf or other outdoor sports—645, 648, 692, 695, 818
- 90 to restore to the several school districts of the State moneys illegally taken from the main stem railroad and canal tax fund for the benefit of the State Highway Extension Sinking Fund, the Soldiers' Bonus Sinking Fund, and the State Institution Construction Fund, by appropriating same to a special railroad tax school fund for distribution to school districts—1120, 1123
- 91 to repeal an act entitled "An act to appropriate and to provide for the payment of a portion of the State tax levied and assessed upon railroad and canal property in this State to the State Highway Fund established under the provisions of an act entitled 'An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding forty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election,' approved March seven<sup>t</sup>eenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and by the act entitled 'An act for the construction, improvement, reconstruction and rebuilding of the State Highway System, including bridges, tunnels, viaducts and rights of way as parts thereof; providing for the defraying of the cost of the same by the taxation of real and personal property in this State, and by the creation of a debt of the State in an amount not exceeding thirty million dollars by the issuance of bonds therefor, and for the submission of this act to the people at a general election,' passed at the one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven session of the Legis-

- lature," approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—336, 337
- 92 An act to provide for the creation of the New Jersey State Board of Regents and to define its powers and duties—653, 655, 731, 733, 754.
- 93 concerning State scholarships at Rutgers College—653, 656, 731, 753, 754, 806
- 94 to repeal an act entitled "An act giving additional title to the State Agricultural College," approved March fifteen, nineteen seventeen—653, 656, 731, 732, 816
- 95 to regulate the use by educational institutions of titles indicating a relationship with the State—653, 656, 731, 732, 754
- 96 to amend an act entitled "An act creating a Department of State Police, providing for the appointment of a superintendent thereof, together with the officers and men who shall constitute the force, defining their powers and duties, and making an appropriation for the expenses connected therewith," passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, passed April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—653, 656, 692, 696, 702.
- 97 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of credit unions," approved March sixth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—654, 656, 809, 836, 1114.
- 98 to conserve, protect, control and regulate the use, development and diversion of surface, subsurface and percolating waters of the State; to control and regulate the construction and maintenance of dams, to create a water policy commission and define its powers and duties and to transfer to such commission the jurisdiction, powers, rights and duties of the department of conservation and development over water supplies, dams and flood control—1175, 1183
- 99 to limit the time within which persons claiming under certain deeds may contest the validity of the titles to land acquired by persons claiming under certain judicial sales or the priority of certain liens—813, 814, 931, 932
- 100 entitled "An act concerning unpaid taxes, assessments and other municipal charges on real property, and providing for the collection thereof by the creation and enforcement of liens thereon" (Revision of 1918), approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eighteen A supplement to—336, 338, 768, 771, 888
- 103 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act respecting conveyances' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight," which act was approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-two—650, 651, 1138
- 105 concerning the support and education of children born out of wedlock—337, 338, 464, 495, 860
- 107 validating the sale of certain lands, hereditaments or real estate made under any decree, judgment or order of any court of this State, or any execution or other process issued thereon—651, 931, 932, 1007
- 108 to authorize counties to appropriate moneys for the maintenance of charitable hospitals in such counties—465, 865, 870, 1008
- 110 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—462, 463, 671, 675, 735, 741, 742, 800, 864

- 111 An act validating and confirming conveyances heretofore made to any lodge, subordinate lodge, society, or other body or association not incorporated at the time of said conveyances—654, 656, 692, 696, 698.
- 112 to repeal an act entitled "An act to prohibit the catching of eels during certain months of the year in the seaside waters of the townships of Dennis and Upper in the County of Cape May," approved April twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—337, 338, 439, 443, 887
- 114 to amend an act entitled "An act creating a commission for the erection of an additional interstate bridge over the Delaware River between the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, and a point in the State of New Jersey, making an appropriation therefor, and to repeal acts inconsistent herewith," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—645, 648, 671, 675, 702
- 115 to amend an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the appointment of commissioners for the better protection of fishing interests of the State of New Jersey,' approved March seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy," which said supplement was approved September twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and seven—654, 656, 749, 750, 996
- 117 to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved February twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—654, 657, 732, 734
- 119 to incorporate the "Borough of Shiloh" in the county of Cumberland—465, 615, 624, 713
- 120 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'A supplement to an act entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen,' which supplement was approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen," and which amendment was approved March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—362, 364, 501, 504, 883
- 121 entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—337, 338, 501, 504, 883
- 122 entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—362, 364, 501, 504, 884
- 123 entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—651, 652, 782
- 126 concerning the guardianship of incompetent veterans and of minor children of disabled or deceased veterans and the commitment of

- veterans, and to make uniform the law with reference thereto—723, 724, 749, 751, 819
- 128 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide for the payment of wages in lawful money of the United States every two weeks,' approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine," approved April third, nineteen hundred and twenty-eight—639, 642, 692, 696, 1009
- 129 concerning employments and promotions in police departments of municipalities of this State—811
- 132 to authorize the representation of the State of New Jersey in the inaugural ceremonies of the Honorable Herbert Hoover as President of the United States on March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and making an appropriation for the expenses thereof—197.
- 141 entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair, and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven A supplement to—877, 879, 915, 916, 1026
- 143 entitled "An act to provide for assistant prosecutors in the several counties of this State," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and two A supplement to—813, 814, 867, 870, 952
- 144 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, nineteen seventeen A supplement to—498, 692, 696, 756, 853, 932, 971, 972, 1009
- 145 to prescribe the duties of public officers of this State with respect to granting leaves of absence to certain veterans to attend State and national conventions of State and national organizations of former soldiers, sailors and marines—646, 648, 691, 695, 824
- 146 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the employment of persons in compressed air," approved April seventh, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—654, 657, 769, 772, 817
- 147 authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate tunnel commission and defining its powers and duties—933, 934, 971, 972, 979, 998, 1000, 1027, 1160, 1179
- 148 to expedite and simplify the collection and payment by banks of checks and other instruments for the payment of money—1166, 1197
- 150 to annex to the city of Ocean City, in the county of Cape May, meadow lands contiguous thereto—498, 585, 588, 884
- 152 authorizing and providing for the appointment of an interstate bridge commission and defining its powers and duties—876, 914, 916, 979, 998, 1001, 1026
- 157 entitled "An act concerning trust companies" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-four, eighteen ninety-nine A supplement to—677, 678, 749, 751, 821
- 158 entitled "An act creating a department to be known as the Board of Commerce and Navigation, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved, by law, upon the Board of Riparian Commissioners, the Department of Inland Waterways, the Inspectors of Power Vessels, and the New Jersey Harbor Commission," approved April eighth one thousand nine hundred and fifteen A supplement to—654, 657, 692, 696, 825
- 159 entitled "An act concerning the charitable, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and con-

- ducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds," which title was amended as here stated by act approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen A supplement to—654, 657, 732, 734, 820
- 162 An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two—640, 642, 769, 771, 847, 984, 1096, 1098, 1162, 1195
- 163 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-seven—879, 880, 931, 932, 1021
- 164 authorizing and regulating the use of probation and the suspension of sentence in certain courts and providing for the appointment of probation officers and defining their powers and duties (Revision of 1929)—988
- 165 to establish Juvenile and Domestic Relations Courts, defining their jurisdiction, powers and duties, and regulating procedure therein (Revision of 1929)—988, 989
- 168 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—1161, 1162, 1196
- 170 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—677, 679, 868, 872, 1010
- 171 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—876, 997, 1000, 1115
- 174 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—876, 877, 997, 1000, 1115
- 175 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—1166, 1167, 1195
- 176 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—1095, 1097, 1135, 1136, 1193
- 177 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—1166, 1167, 1194
- 179 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—811, 812, 868, 872, 1011
- 180 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning building and loan associations" (Revision of 1925), approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—1096, 197, 1135, 1136, 1194
- 182 relating to testamentary trusts—876, 877, 998, 1000, 1010
- 186 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—773, 774, 863, 871, 1011

- 191 An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which supplement was approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve—640, 642, 768, 771, 1184
- 192 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three A supplement to—646, 648, 769, 772, 885
- 193 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three—640, 642, 769, 772, 885
- 194 entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and three A supplement to—678, 679, 732, 734, 841
- 196 entitled "An act defining motor vehicles and providing for the registration of the same and the licensing of the drivers thereof, fixing rules regulating the use and speed of motor vehicles, fixing the amount of license and registration fees, prescribing and regulating process and the service thereof, and proceedings for the violation of the provisions of the act and penalties for said violations," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one A supplement to—813, 815, 971, 972, 1012, 1131, 1163, 1164, 1196
- 198 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the licensing of private nursing homes for the care, treatment and nursing of persons ill with disease or who are crippled, infirm or in any way afflicted," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—678, 679, 809, 836, 866, 870, 1012
- 199 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning the charitable, hospital, relief, training, correctional, reformatory and penal institutions, boards and commissions located and conducted in this State, which are supported in whole or in part from county, municipal or State funds," approved February twenty-eighth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, approved April eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen—362, 363, 403
- 200 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities of the second class, which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than twenty thousand," approved April twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and seven—655, 658, 867, 871, 1013
- 202 entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and regulating the disbursement thereof," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight A supplement to—640, 642, 732, 734, 902
- 203 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, nineteen hundred and two—773, 774, 1005, 1116
- 204 to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation and incorporation of insurance companies and to regulate the transaction of insurance business in this State," approved April third, nineteen hundred and two—773, 775, 868, 871, 1118.

- 206 An act for the payment of a pension to the widow, during her lifetime and widowhood, of any person who has served continuously for a period of thirty-five years, or over, as a chief engineer at the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park; *provided*, said person shall have died while still in said service and without taking advantage of an act known as "An act for the establishment of an employees' retirement system for the employees of the State of New Jersey," approved March thirty-first, nineteen twenty-one, or any other pension act—1096, 1097, 1134, 1136, 1179
- 208 entitled "An act to establish a Department of Conservation and Development and to consolidate therein the State Water Supply Commission, the Board of Forest Park Reservation Commissioners, the State Geological Survey, the Washington Crossing Commission, the State Museum Commission, and the Fort Nonsense Park Commission," approved April eighth, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen A supplement to—646, 648
- 209 to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a Department of Agriculture, and to prescribe its powers and duties," passed March twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—646, 649, 1113, 1183
- 210 to establish a commission to study and report upon plans for providing a comprehensive scheme of rapid passenger transit between the several communities in the counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Ocean and Salem, as well as between such communities and the City of Philadelphia, and making an appropriation for the expenses of said commission—646, 649, 810, 837, 1031.
- 211 to amend an act entitled "An act to create the South Jersey Port District and to provide for the appointment of the South Jersey Port Commission, and to define its powers, duties and jurisdiction and making an appropriation for its expenses," passed April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—646, 649, 768, 771, 902
- 212 to amend an act entitled "An act to improve the condition of tenement houses in this State and to establish a State Board of Tenement House Supervision," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand nine hundred and four, as amended by act approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and to amend certain sections of said act which were amended by chapter two hundred and thirteen, Public Laws of New Jersey, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at page four hundred and sixty-seven, approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-nine, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and an act to amend certain sections of said act approved March twenty-six, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—773, 775, 833, 834, 903
- 213 to repeal an act entitled "An act requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies and horse railroad companies to make annual returns to the State Board of Assessors," approved May third, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine—646, 649, 782, 1124
- 214 entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen A supplement to—813, 815, 867, 871, 964

- 215 An act entitled "An act concerning counties," approved March fourth, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen A supplement to—877, 879, 1023, 1025, 1028
- 216 entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three,' which amendment was approved May seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seven," which amendment was approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and nine,' approved March twenty-second, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven," which amendment was approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight An amendment to—1096, 1097, 1135, 1136
- 217 to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three," which said supplement was approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two,' which amendment was itself approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and twenty-four," and which further amendment was approved February third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five—647, 650, 769, 772, 1014
- 220 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—640, 643, 768, 771, 826.
- 221 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning municipalities," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen—935, 998, 1001, 1124
- 222 authorizing the sale and conveyance to the city of Hackensack in the county of Bergen of lands situate therein owned by the State of New Jersey and no longer needed for military purposes—640, 643, 732, 734, 903
- 225 entitled "An act concerning municipalities," comprising chapter one fifty-two of the Laws of nineteen seventeen. A supplement to—640, 643, 733, 734, 901
- 233 entitled "An act to provide for appointment of an Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission and to define its powers and duties," being chapter forty-nine of the laws of nineteen eighteen, approved February fourteen, nineteen eighteen, and supplements and amendments thereto. Supplement to—73
- 237 to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning county boards established for the protection of the public health and the registration of vital facts and statistics in counties of this State," approved May fifth, eighteen eighty-four, and all supplements thereto and amendments thereof—640, 643, 768, 771, 1014, 1016, 1020.
- 240 to amend an act entitled "An act relating to the court of common pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred—604, 605, 633.
- 241 entitled "An act relating to the construction of theatres, opera houses, grandstands and other public entertainment, in the municipalities of this State, which have no local building supervision," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven A supplement to—873, 874, 914, 916, 963

- 243 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to incorporate associations not for pecuniary profit," approved April twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto—773, 775, 1098, 1099, 1192
- 245 to regulate fishing by vessels, other than those engaged in the taking of menhaden, in the waters of the Atlantic Ocean, within the jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, with shirred or purse seines, otter or beam trawls, and to require a license for such fishing—1002, 1003, 1099, 1102
- 247 to amend an act entitled "An act fixing the compensation of prosecutors of the pleas in counties of this State other than counties of the first class," approved March twenty-ninth, nineteen twenty-six—876, 879, 914, 916, 1107.
- 248 to amend the title and body of an act entitled "An act providing for the retirement of police officers in counties of the second class now or hereafter having a population in excess of two hundred thousand inhabitants, providing a pension for such retired police officers and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said department," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—647, 650, 768, 770, 867, 871, 965
- 249 entitled "An act by which the State of New Jersey agrees with the State of New York upon the comprehensive plan for the development of the Port of New York, pursuant to the compact authorized by the two States and signed April thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and consented to and approved by Congress and the President of the United States, August twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to effectuate the same, and making an appropriation therefor," approved February twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two A supplement to—878, 879.
- 252 respecting cities of the first class and providing for the registration of voters for municipal elections—647, 650, 731, 733, 841.
- 254 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, and to repeal certain sections thereof—935, 945, 983
- 255 to further amend an act entitled "An act relating to courts having criminal jurisdiction and regulating proceedings in criminal cases" (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, as amended by acts approved April twentieth, nineteen hundred and nine, April ninth, nineteen hundred and ten, March eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, February sixteenth, nineteen hundred and eighteen, and April seventeenth, nineteen hundred and nineteen—1002, 1003, 1023, 1025, 1125.
- 256 authorizing the correction of errors and omissions which have occurred or may occur in the apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes on gross receipts of street railways, traction, gas and electric light, heat and power corporations using or occupying public streets, highways, roads or other public places in this State—773, 775, 891, 893, 963
- 257 validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance of promissory notes of cities of this State for school purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds—723, 724, 768, 771, 887
- 258 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning free public libraries," approved April fourteenth, one thousand nine hundred and five—723, 724, 782, 1017

- 259 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the proper construction, grading and drainage of the unimproved township and borough roads of the State, and to provide State aid therefor," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—641, 643, 768, 771, 1108.
- 260 to provide for the maintenance of a separate fund for the operation of radio stations or convention halls in municipalities bordering on the Atlantic Ocean in this State—640, 644, 743, 964
- 262 to amend a supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections" (Revision of 1920), passed May fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and the amendments thereof and the supplements thereto, which supplement was passed October ninth, nineteen twenty-eight—876, 877, 915, 916, 1017
- 265 entitled "An act to establish a State Highway Department and to define its powers and duties, and vesting therein all the powers and duties now devolved by law upon the Commissioner of Public Roads, and the existing State Highway Commission and Highway Commission," approved March thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—1166, 1168, 1178.
- 266 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the appointment and compensation of secretaries to the Chancellor and Justices of the Supreme Court," approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight—1161, 1162, 1181
- 267 to acquire by gift, devise, grant, purchase or condemnation, land or water rights and to place structures thereon as a part of the State Highway System and providing for the cost thereof—1160, 1161, 1198.
- 268 providing for the construction of a permanent war memorial in the city of Verdun, France—640, 644, 705, 708
- 270 to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the retirement of policemen and firemen of the police and fire departments in municipalities of this State, including all police officers having supervision or regulation of traffic upon county roads, and providing a pension for such retired policemen and firemen and members of the police and fire departments, and the widows, children and sole dependent parents of deceased members of said departments," approved April fifteenth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—1164, 1165, 1193
- 272 entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three. A supplement to—874, 875, 945, 1020
- 273 to provide for the elimination of railroad crossings at grade on State highways, and for the improvement, relocation and reconstruction of crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and for the location and construction of new crossings of railroads and State highways not at grade, and providing for changes in municipal and public utility rails, lines and pipes in or on such crossings, and for the maintenance of all such crossings—723, 724, 768, 770, 805
- 274 to amend an act entitled "An act to define, regulate and control the business of the making of loans or advancements of money in sums of three hundred dollars (\$300) or less in amount, and to regulate the assignment of wages when given as security for any such loan or advancement," approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen—874, 875, 1134, 1136, 1180

- 276 An act to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance," approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one—774, 776, 868, 871, 1110.
- 277 to establish a Department of Banking and Insurance, approved February tenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one. A supplement to—774, 776, 1135, 1136
- 278 entitled "An act to authorize banks and trust companies to establish branch offices or agencies for the transaction of their business," approved March third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five. A supplement to—813, 815, 1099, 1100, 1128.
- 279 concerning trust companies (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—774, 776, 1099, 1100, 1128
- 280 concerning banks and banking (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. A supplement to—774, 776, 1099, 1100, 1132
- 281 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning banks and banking" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—876, 877, 1099, 1100, 1132.
- 282 to amend an act entitled "An act concerning trust companies" (Revision of 1899), approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine—811, 812, 1099, 1100, 1132
- 283 making further appropriations for the support of the agencies of the State government in this act enumerated, for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in appropriations—1168, 1169, 1182.
- 284 making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof—1168, 1169, 1182.
- 285 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred. A further supplement to—604.
- 286 to amend an act entitled "An act to impose a tax on the sale of motor vehicle fuels as herein defined to be paid by distributors as herein defined, regulating the sale of such fuels; providing for the collection of said tax, for reports of sales of such motor fuels and for the disposition of the revenue derived from such tax, and fixing penalties for the violation of the terms thereof," approved April first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven—814, 815, 1005, 1021.
- 287 respecting banks and trust companies—663, 671, 822
288. entitled "An act respecting conveyances" (Revision), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. A further supplement to—814, 815, 867, 871, 1024.
- 289 entitled "An act to establish a State Highway System, and to provide for the improvement, betterment, reconstruction, resurfacing, maintenance, repair and regulation of the use thereof" (Revision of 1927), approved March thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven. A supplement to—709, 769, 770, 1013.
- 290 to incorporate the first judicial district court of the county of Burlington—811, 812, 998, 1001, 1022
- 291 accepting the gift of Foster M. Voorhees of certain lands known as Hill Acres, situate at High Bridge, Hunterdon County, New Jersey, together with the buildings thereon, and the furnishings, books,

- rugs, pictures, tools, stock, horses, wagons and automobiles thereon, to be used for forestry or similar purposes—814, 815, 891, 893, 1126
- 292 An act for the relief of Elwood B Moore—875, 914, 916, 958
- 293 entitled "An act regulating the employment, tenure and discharge of certain officers and employees of this State, and of the various counties and municipalities thereof, and providing for a Civil Service Commission and defining its powers and duties," approved April tenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight A further supplement to—873, 874, 891, 894, 980
- 294 to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of pharmacy in this State," approved March nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and one—878, 880, 946, 971, 972, 1025
- 295 entitled "An act relating to the propagation, planting, preservation and gathering of clams and oysters in the tidal waters of this State, and enlarging and defining the powers and duties of the Board of Shell Fisheries," approved March twenty-fourth, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen A supplement to—878, 880, 998, 1000, 1126
- 296 entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the punishment of crimes' (Revision of 1898), approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight," approved June fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, which said supplement was approved April thirteenth, one thousand nine hundred and eight, approved March eleventh, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four A further supplement to—1161, 1163, 1192
- 297 to amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the appointment of district boards of water supply commissioners in the water supply districts created by an act entitled 'An act to create two water supply districts in the State of New Jersey, to be known respectively as the North Jersey Water Supply District and the South Jersey Water Supply District,' and defining the powers, duties, terms of office, and compensation of such commissioners, and providing for the obtaining, maintenance and operation of water supplies or new or additional water supplies by said commissioners as agents of and by contract with municipal and other corporations in their respective water districts, and further providing for the raising, collecting and expenditure of the moneys necessary therefor," approved March sixteenth, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen—878, 880, 914, 915, 953
- 298 to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the abandonment of navigation upon the Morris canal and providing for the dismantling of the canal and the disposition of portions of the property, the title to which is now held in trust for the State of New Jersey by the Morris Canal and Banking Company upon terms and compensation fixed by said Morris Canal and Banking Company, and providing for the review of said terms and compensation by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the State of New Jersey, and further providing for the management and control of such property pending the disposition thereof," approved March twelfth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four—933, 934, 1023, 1025, 1127
- 299 appropriating from the State fund a sum of money to be expended by and under the direction of the State Board of Commerce and Navigation for the construction in whole or in part of such works and structures, including seawalls, bulkheads, jetties and other approved devices necessary and proper in order to protect the riparian lands and taxable properties of this State, in municipalities within the county of Ocean, bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, from destruction by encroachment of the Atlantic Ocean and other destructive agencies of the sea—899

- 300 An act to permit the merger or consolidation of savings banks—1246, 1247.
- 303 to extend the system of State highways by the acquisition of lands, interest in lands and water rights, for the construction of piers and the operation of ferries, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof—1246, 1247.
- 304 appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation the appropriation heretofore made pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof," approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, to be used for the Manasquan Inlet—1246, 1250
- 305 entitled "An act relating to the Court of Common Pleas" (Revision of 1900), approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred A supplement to—1246, 1249, 1254
- 306 entitled "An act to regulate the ascertainment and payment of compensation for property condemned or taken for public use (Revision of one thousand nine hundred)," approved March twentieth, one thousand nine hundred A supplement to—1258, 1259
- 307 entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the State government and for several public purposes for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred and thirty, and regulating the disbursement thereof," approved May fourth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine A further supplement to—1259

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Joint Resolution No 1, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the joint commission, created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No 14 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mortgage Laws Commission,' in order to enable said commission to further continue its study of the laws concerning mortgages, their drafting, formation, recording, cancellation and foreclosure, and to formulate and report to the Legislature a comprehensive law embodying a uniform scheme for the drafting, forming, recording, cancelling and foreclosing of mortgages on real estate in the State of New Jersey"—60, 200, 323, 355, 1153

No 2, entitled "Joint resolution for the creation of a commission for the study of the rural roads of our State in connection with appropriations of State funds made for their aid"—87, 134, 163, 196, 322, 464

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No 4, entitled "Joint resolution requesting Congress of the United States to submit the question of the manufacture and sale of light wines and beers in the United States to the vote of the people of the several states"—87, 855

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No 6, entitled "A joint resolution making application to the Congress for the calling of a convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States"—87, 855

No 7, entitled "A joint resolution directing the State Board of Taxes and Assessments to undertake and complete a survey and investigation of tax exempt property, located in the several municipalities of this State, used by universities and colleges for education purposes, and by State and county government agencies, and to report to the Legislature in what manner such municipalities may be compensated, in lieu of taxes, for governmental benefits extended by such municipalities to such universities and colleges"—88, 134, 136, 413, 415, 547, 521, 639

No 8, entitled "Joint resolution empowering the Governor to appoint a farm relief committee to investigate the public market needs of New Jersey agriculture and report its findings with recommendations to the Legislature and to provide an appropriation to defray the expenses thereof"—116, 306, 308, 323, 353, 692, 696, 913

No 9, entitled "A joint resolution relative to the dumping and disposal of garbage at sea by the city of New York, and directing the institution of proceedings on behalf of the State of New Jersey to abate the nuisance caused thereby"—227, 692, 696

Joint Resolution No 10, entitled "A joint resolution continuing the commission heretofore created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No 4 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, entitled 'Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of two members of the Senate, to be named by the President thereof, two members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker of the House, and two citizens to be selected by the Governor, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive plan of traffic rules and regulations, and to devise a uniform scheme of administration for the enforcement of the motor vehicle law and the State traffic act,'" approved March twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six—256, 520, 522, 681, 692, 697, 1151

No 11, entitled "A joint resolution creating a commission consisting of three Senators to be named by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of investigating the subject of pensions paid by the State and the several counties and municipalities thereof"—257, 340, 342, 446

No 12, entitled "A joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President thereof, and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker, who shall constitute a joint commission for the purpose of revising an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections' (Revision of 1920), and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and making an appropriation therefor"—257

No 13, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the drainage of wet lands in northern New Jersey"—436, 440, 682, 913

No 14, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three members of the House of Assembly, to be appointed by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint commission to inquire into the subject of the State-wide and uniform regulation of the sale and use of fireworks in the State of New Jersey, and to prepare such legislation covering the subject, as it may deem to be advisable for submission to the next session of the Legislature"—491

No 15, entitled "Joint resolution for the appointment of a Commissioner of Public Finance to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation, and the finances of the State, county and municipal governments, to make a thorough canvass of the sources of revenue in the State, counties and municipalities, to determine whether there are any practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and whether there are any economies that can be effected which will result in a reduction of taxes, and to make recommendation to the Legislature as a result of such investigation, and making an appropriation therefor"—491

No 16, entitled "A joint resolution authorizing and empowering the Port of New York Authority to make a preliminary survey for the purpose of thereafter constructing an interstate vehicular bridge from Staten Island across Raritan Bay to a

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No. 18, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the observance and commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski, on October 11th, 1929; establishing a commission to be known as the New Jersey Pulaski Sesquicentennial Commission; and designating October 11th, 1929, as General Pulaski's memorial day"—597, 672, 674, 706, 986.

No. 19, entitled "A Joint Resolution continuing the joint commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 15 of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, known as the 'Mechanics Lien Commission,' in order to further revise the present mechanics' lien laws, and for the purpose of further inquiring and ascertaining what legislative enactments are necessary concerning the laws relating to mechanics' liens"—632, 741, 966, 1102, 1103, 1121.

No. 20, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission to provide for State participation in the 'Light's Golden Jubilee' to be held at Dearborn, Michigan, on or about October twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and to appropriately mark the site at Menlo Park, in this State, commemorating the distinguished services of Thomas A. Edison"—688, 892, 1107.

No. 21, entitled "A Joint Resolution for the creation and appointment of a commission consisting of three members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate and three members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof and four citizens to be selected by the Governor, two of whom shall be representatives of the Outdoor Advertising Association of New Jersey, two representatives of the New Jersey Committee for the Restriction of Outdoor Advertising, who shall constitute a joint commission to investigate the subject of outdoor advertising and to determine what regulations governing outdoor advertising should be enacted"—731, 866, 869, 951.

No. 22, entitled "A Joint Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to revise the Federal income tax law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions"—761, 823, 1005.

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Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled "Joint Resolution to amend the title of a joint resolution entitled 'Joint resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee consisting of the President of the Senate and three other members of the Senate to be named by the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Assembly and three other members of the House of Assembly to be named by the Speaker thereof, who shall constitute a joint committee to make a survey of all questions of public interest, to investigate violations of law and the conduct of any State official, State department, commission, board or body, and to ascertain what departments or activities of the State government may be curtailed or eliminated, and further, to make a general survey of the finances of the State, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and to amend and supplement the body thereof"—51.

No. 2, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint committee appointed under Joint Resolution No. 13, Laws of 1928, approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the preliminary report of the said joint committee"—235, 236, 257, 259, 418.

No. 3, entitled "Joint Resolution continuing and reconstituting the commission to investigate and report concerning the need and advisability of the development of property in and near Newark Bay, its tributaries and Arthur Kill in the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Passaic and Union for the promotion in said area of commerce, manufacturing and transportation"—524, 725.

No. 4, entitled "Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer inter-municipal, inter-county and inter-state projects, to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions and to provide for the financing of such a commission"—201, 202, 520, 523, 805.

No. 5, entitled "Joint Resolution for the creation of a commission on State audit and accounting system for the State and the several departments, boards and commissions receiving State moneys or public funds of any kind"—201, 202, 227, 244, 246, 517.

No. 6, entitled "Joint Resolution empowering the Governor to employ experts and accountants to audit the accounts of departments, boards, commissions, officers and agencies of the State, and to devise a more efficient system of accounting therefore, and to provide an appropriation to defray the cost thereof"—235, 236, 257, 259, 354, 425.

No. 7, entitled "Joint Resolution to continue the commission created pursuant to the provisions of Joint Resolution No. 12

of the legislative session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint resolution for the creation of a commission consisting of eight citizens of the following classifications and number; two economists, one of whom shall be from the faculty of Princeton University and one from the faculty of Rutgers State University, one farmer, one banker, one manufacturer, one member of the State Board of Taxes and Assessment, to be appointed by the Governor; one senator to be appointed by the President of the Senate; one assemblyman, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, who shall constitute a joint commission to be known as the tangible personal property tax commission for the purpose of studying the question of the tax on tangible personal property now imposed on industry, agriculture and trade in New Jersey to the end that farmers, manufacturers and merchants of New Jersey may compete on the same basis with the farmers, manufacturers and merchants of other States where the personal property tax has been repealed,' approved April third, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and making an appropriation therefor"—201, 202, 343, 456, 522.

Joint Resolution No. 8, entitled "A Joint Resolution creating a commission to study and report to the next Legislature upon a plan or plans to carry out and administer intermunicipal and intracounty projects in counties of the first class, and to provide for the co-operative discharge of governmental functions"—652, 823.

No. 9, entitled "Joint Resolution continuing the commission created by Joint Resolution No. 5 of the Session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, entitled 'Joint Resolution creating a commission to survey the activities and work of the public schools and educational institutions within our States supported in whole or in part by public funds, to recommend a comprehensive program of public education and sources of revenue for its support, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved March twenty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight"—655, 658, 762.

No. 10, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for a commission to investigate and report with respect to the marking of historical places in the State of New Jersey"—652, 653, 842.

No. 11, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate and consider the need and advisability of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation in this State"—652, 653, 690, 695, 842.

No. 12, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the appointment of a commissioner of public finance to make a thorough and scientific investigation of the system of taxation, and the finances of the State, county and municipal governments; to make a thorough canvass of the sources of revenue in the State, counties and municipalities; to determine whether there are any practicable methods for scientifically controlling expenditures, and whether there are any economies that can be effected which will result in a reduction of taxes, and to make recommendation to the Legislature as a result of such investigation, and making an appropriation therefor"—743, 753, 827.

No. 13, entitled "Joint Resolution providing for the filing of the testimony taken by the joint commission appointed under Joint Resolution No. 1, Laws of one thousand nine hundred

and twenty-eight, approved January thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and the report of the said joint commission"—812, 867, 871, 1127.

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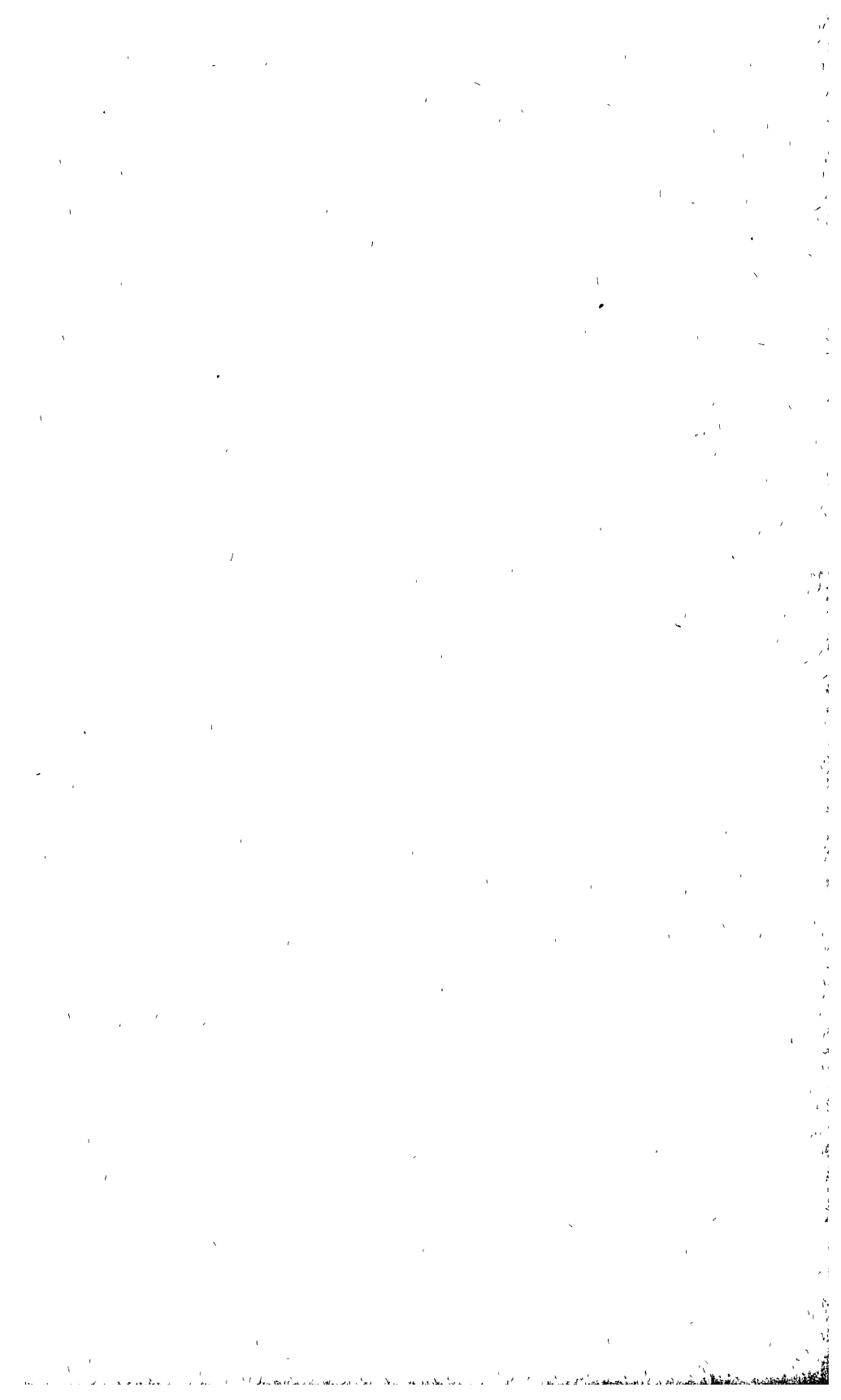
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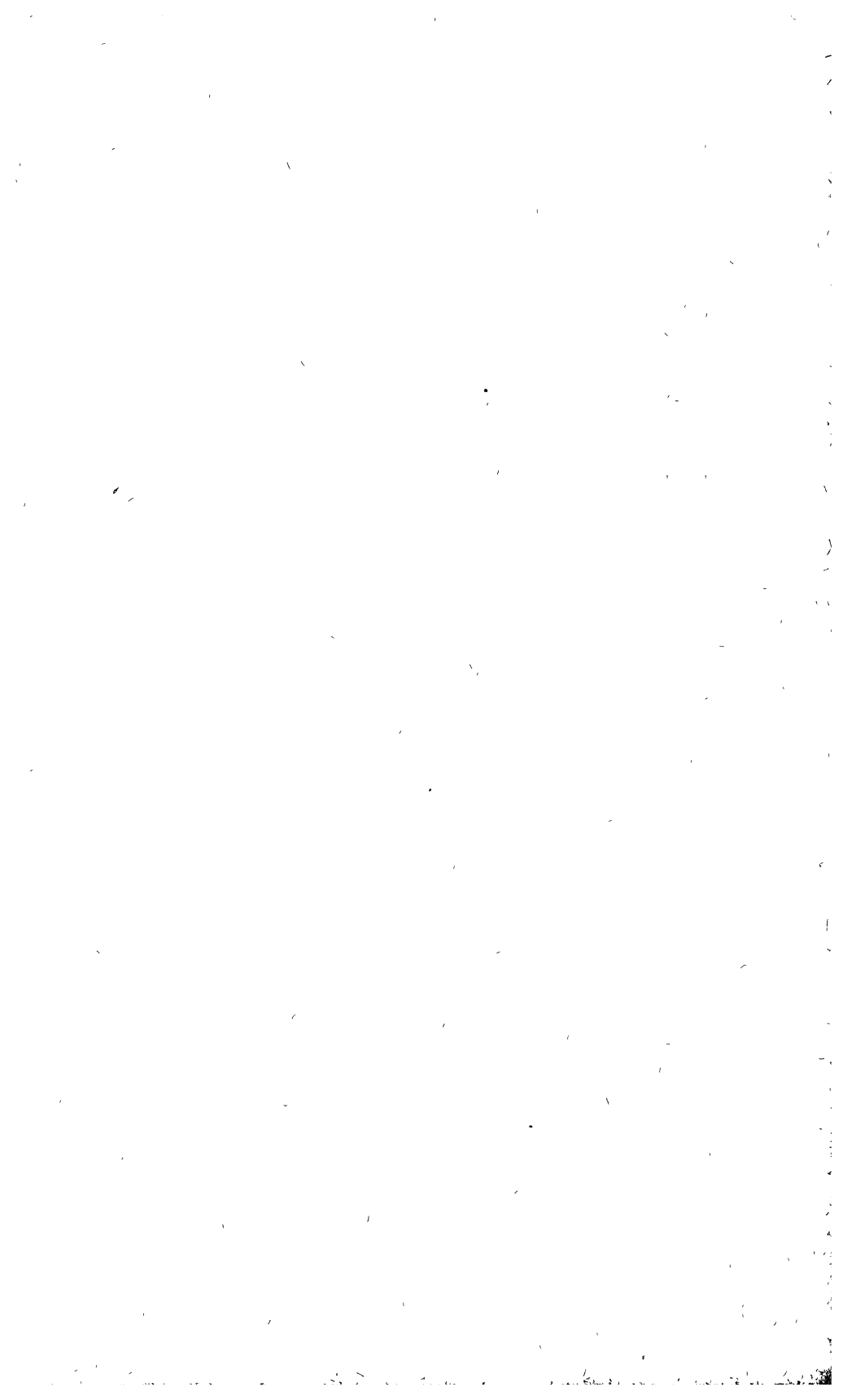
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**Concurrent Resolution No. 1**, entitled "A Concurrent Resolution recommending to the Congress of the United States that legislation providing for the regulation of interstate motor bus passenger transportation be immediately enacted"—767, 931, 946, 1201.

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That the Congress of the United States of America be requested to pass such legislation as will act as an effectual embargo of the shipment of all implements of warfare ammunition, poison gases or any other articles the receipt of which would tend to prolong a state of conflict—449.



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That a commission confer with a like commission selected by the State of New York, upon the subject of the necessity of taking action to provide for the further construction of transportation facilities—161.

That the Court of Errors and Appeals be requested to expedite the decision of the cause pending, "In the matter of the application of Frank Hague for a writ of habeas corpus," and that a copy of this concurrent resolution be forwarded to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—661.

That the Senate and General Assembly meet in Joint Session on the 24th day of June, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of examining Frank Hague with reference to the matters under inquiry and investigation by the Joint Committee, in order to obtain information necessary as a basis for such legislative action as the Senate and General Assembly may deem necessary and proper. That a subpoena issue to Frank Hague—1091.

Authorizing and directing the President of the Senate to petition the Federal Bureau administering radio matters to bring about immediately a more just and equitable distribution of radio facilities among the broadcasting stations of the State—1200.

That the Congress of the United States, and the various departments concerned, be urged to speed in every possible way the building of a canal across this State to link up the Delaware River with New York Bay—1212.

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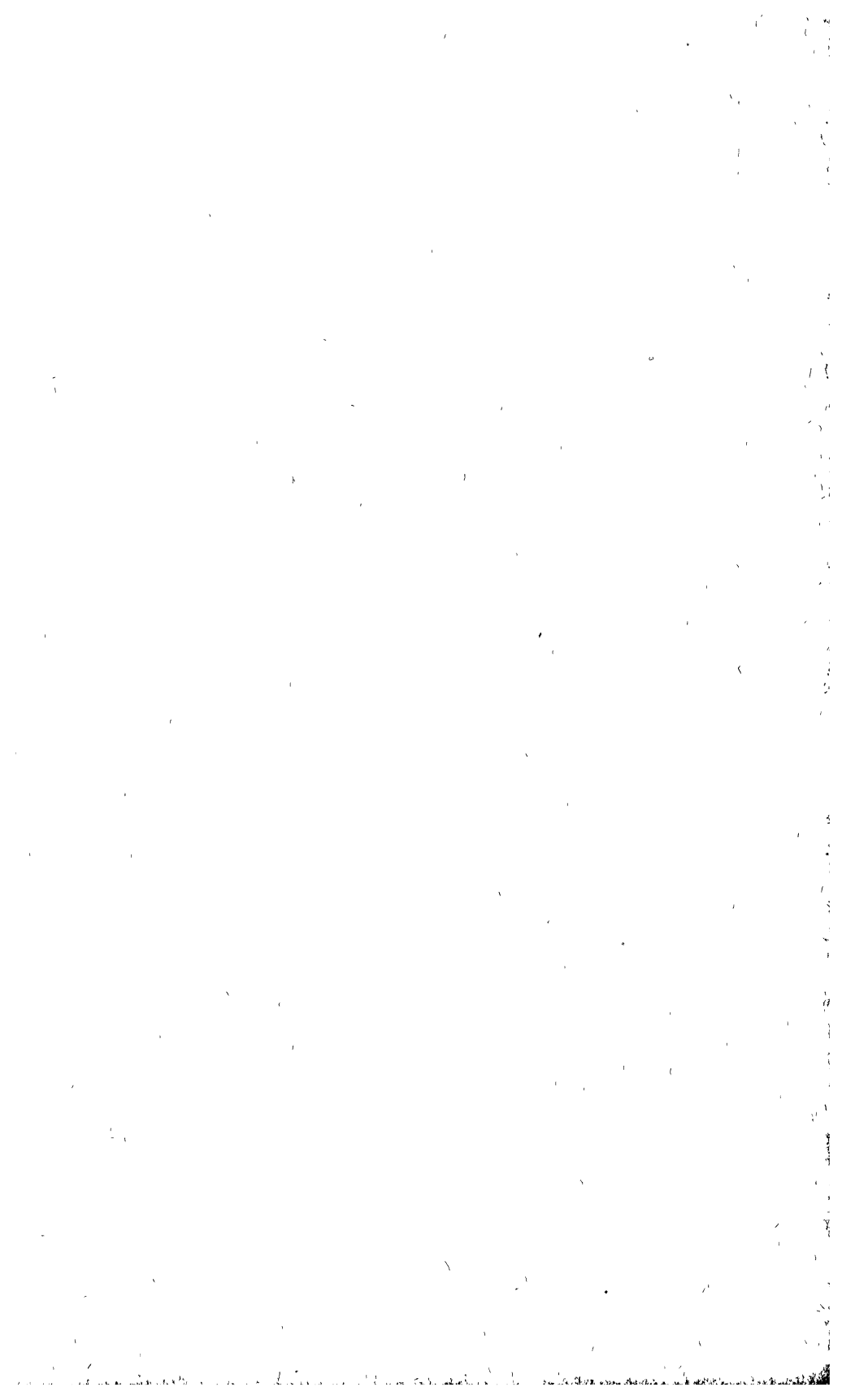
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Resolved—That the Hon. S. Rusling Leap, of Salem County, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Speaker and other officers when they are elected—4.

That the Hon. Morris E. Barison, of Hudson County, who is a Master in Chancery of this State and a member of this House, administer the oath of office to the Hon. Anthony J. Siracusa, of Atlantic County, a member, by whom the oath of office shall be administered to the members-elect.—5.

That a committee inform the Governor that the House has organized—8.

That the Clerk inform the Senate that the House has organized—8.

That the House fill the usual positions—9.

That, unless otherwise ordered, the regular hours of meeting of the House for morning, afternoon and evening sessions shall be respectively at 12 o'clock noon, two and eight o'clock. Until otherwise ordered, adjournment of Monday evening sessions shall be until Tuesday morning at 12 o'clock noon—29.

That the 1928 Rules of the House be adopted as the Rules for the 1929 session with the exception of Rule No. 63 and No. 69, which rules are to be amended—30.

That Rules No. 63 and No. 69 be revised—30.

That a committee of five be appointed by the Speaker to procure the attendance of clergymen to open the sessions of the House with prayer—35.

That each member and officer of this House be furnished with five hundred (500) "Complimentary Slips"—35.

That the Committee on Stationery, when appointed be directed to furnish for the use of the members of the House, and officers thereof, file books for Senate and House bills and also Minute files—35.

That certain number of copies of the Legislative Manual be distributed—35.

That one thousand (1,000) copies of all bills be printed for the use of the Members of the House and Senate, and for all public distribution, and that six hundred (600) copies of all official reprint bills be printed—36.

That five hundred (500) copies of the Governor's messages be printed for the use of the members of the House of Assembly—36.

That the State Printer be instructed to mail to each member of the House, a copy of each part of the Minutes of the House—36.

That a copy of the Journal of the Senate be distributed to members of the House and mailed to the home with a copy of the Minutes of the General Assembly—36.

Resolved—That the State Printer be instructed to mail to each member of the House at least one copy of each bill and resolution—36.

That the State Printer be instructed to mail to the home address of the Clerk of the House, Secretary to the Speaker, Secretary to the Majority Leader, the Secretary to the Minority Leader, a printed copy of all bills, Minutes of the House and Senate, and daily memoranda of bills acted upon—37.

That a sufficient number of copies of the daily calendar, showing brief memorandum of the bills reported and passed second and third reading in the House, be distributed among the members of the Senate—37.

That when a similar calendar of bills reported passed second and third reading in the Senate, is prepared by the Secretary of the Senate, be distributed among the members of the House—37.

That to each four members of the House shall be assigned one clerk, who shall keep the file books of the House in complete and satisfactory order—37.

That all bills offered to the House, by either a member of a committee thereof, purporting to be a substitute bill for one in the possession of the House, shall not be received, considered or acted upon, unless the bill so offered as a substitute shall substantially cover the same subject matter as contained in the original bill—37.

That eight hundred (800) copies of the Weekly Minutes be printed for the use of the House of Assembly—37.

That the House of Assembly extend to the family of the late Felix Fuld, of the City of Newark, in the County of Essex, its sincere sympathy in this the hour of their bereavement—86.

That the House of Assembly hereby records its profound sorrow at the passing of the Hon. Charles W. Letzgas and extends to the bereaved family its sincere sympathy—109.

That 750 copies of the South Jersey Port Commission's Annual Report for the year 1928 be printed—113.

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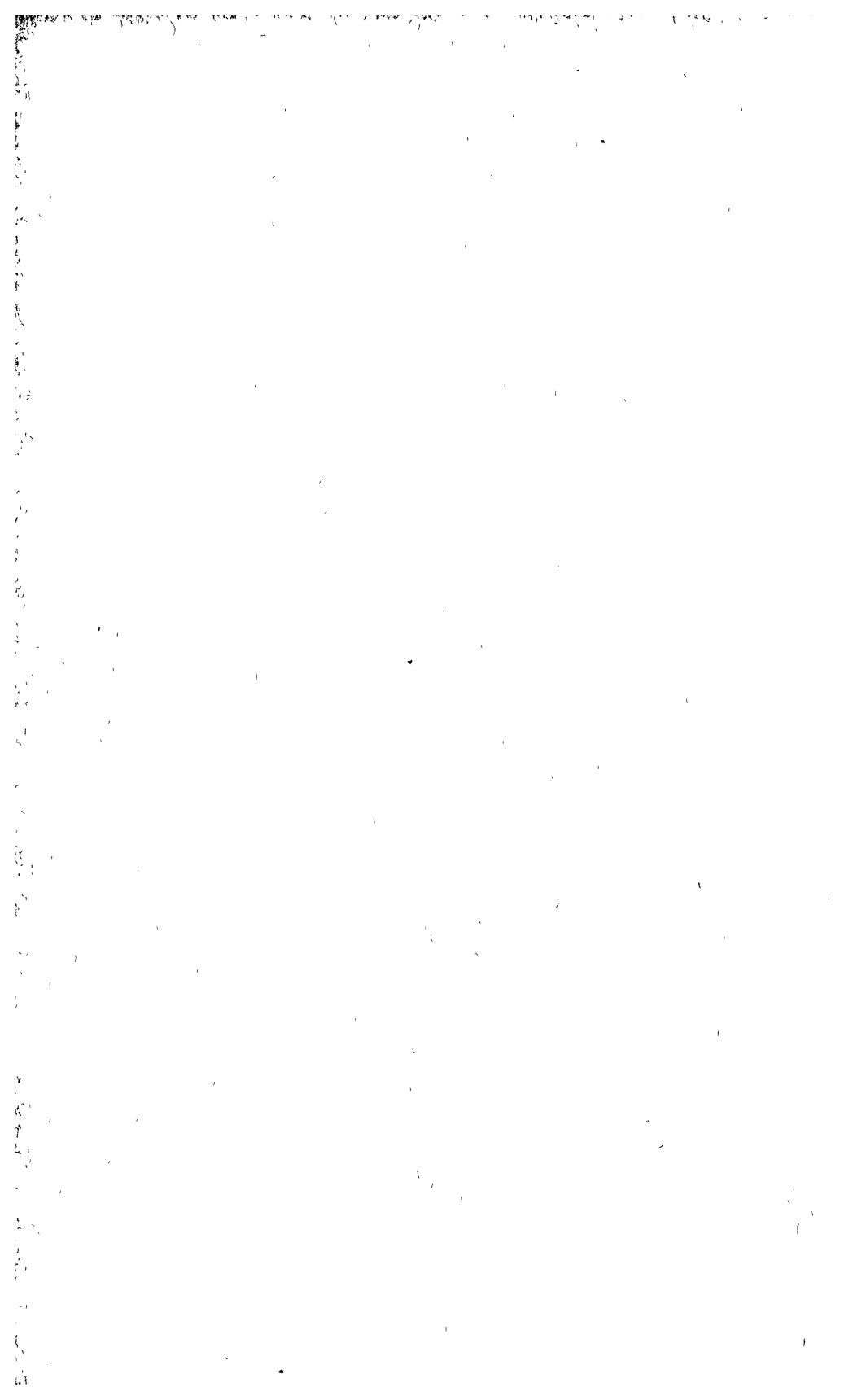
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- Annexation to Egg Harbor City, part of Galloway Township—A. B. 474—490, 612, 620, 802, 1154.
- Annexation of land to Lakewood Township, Ocean County—A. B. 247—232, 405, 414, 710.
- Annexation of land to Jackson Township, Ocean County—A. B. 246—232, 405, 414, 530, 710.
- Annexes a portion of the township of Hopatcong, Warren County, to the town of Phillipsburg—A. B. 391—475, 614, 621, 700, 938, 943.
- Appropriates \$302,257.51 for repayment to Weimer Storage Company and others of tax collected by Motor Vehicle Commissioner on mileage basis from vehicles in interstate traffic. Act declared unconstitutional by Chancery Court—S. B. 202—640, 642, 732, 734, 902.
- Appropriates money for the payment of taxes on lands formerly of the Morris Canal and Banking Company and now held in trust for the State of New Jersey—A. B. 399—477, 615, 621, 798, 1140.
- Appropriates \$60,000 for State Highway Commission to develop ferry terminal at Cape May Point, opposite Lewes, Del.—S. B. 267—1160, 1161, 1198.
- Appropriates \$25,000 for Trenton anniversary—A. B. 1—49.
- Appropriates \$18,096 for building at Newark airport for 44th Division Air Service—S. B. 59—302, 304, 464, 485.
- Appropriation for the repayment of excise taxes collected from motor vehicles operated for the purpose of carrying passengers or property in interstate commerce—A. B. 423—481, 692, 694, 849.
- Appropriation of \$1,500 for repair of old Tavern House in Haddonfield Borough—A. B. 218—190, 226, 239, 786.
- Appropriation of \$10,000 for mortgage law commission—A. B. 102—122, 163, 175, 682.
- Appropriation of \$150,000 to repair damage by storm at Point Pleasant and other Ocean County resorts. Expenditure will be under supervision of State Board of Commerce and Navigation—S. B. 299—899.
- Appropriation of \$350,000 for laying tracks across Delaware River Bridge at Camden—A. B. 193—184, 257, 258, 1104.
- Appropriation—supplemental appropriations bill—S. B. 283—1168, 1169, 1182.
- Appropriation—annual appropriations bill—S. B. 284—1168, 1169, 1182.
- Armories—use of armories by fraternal organizations composed of former soldiers, sailors and marines—A. B. 486—526, 732, 733, 829.
- Armories—for transfer to Hackensack of property owned by State but no longer needed for armory purposes—S. B. 222—640, 643, 732, 734, 903.
- Attorney-General to institute proceedings to restrain New York from dumping garbage at sea—A. J. R. 9—227, 692, 696.
- Attorney-General to investigate taking of water from Delaware by New York—S. J. R. 16—711, 732, 734, 806.
- Attorney-General to investigate pollution of Delaware by Pennsylvania factories—S. J. R. 17—711, 732, 734, 822.
- Attorney-General to investigate beach pollution—S. J. R. 18—722, 743, 807.
- Audit and Finance Commission—S. J. R. 5—201, 202, 227, 244, 246, 517.
- Audits—empowers Governor to employ accountants to audit books of departments, commissions, etc., of State—S. J. R. 6—235, 236, 257, 259, 354, 425.
- Auto insurance—compulsory automobile insurance of at least \$10,000—A. B. 439—484

- Aviation—for continuation to investigating need of aiding, regulating and controlling aviation—S. J. R. 11—652, 653, 690, 695, 842
- Avon—fixes boundary line of Avon-by-the-Sea—A. B. 459—487, 672, 674, 853, 1154.

## B.

- Bail—makes it the duty of clerks of the various courts before accepting recognizances, to request from the persons entering into the bail a sworn statement setting forth the location of property, the assessed value thereof, the amount for which the property is taxed, together with a full statement of all uncanceled recognizances—A. B. 288—344.
- Banking—for uniform statute governing collection of checks, notes and other items deposited in banks—S. B. 148—1116, 1197
- Banking—permits the making of "call" or "street" loans by New Jersey banking institutions—A. B. 43—90, 156, 157, 237, 241.
- Banking—deposit made by insurance company with State Banking Department not to be delivered to trustees in dissolution without approval of commissioner—A. B. 487—579, 867, 870, 1098, 1099, 1133, 1207.
- Banking—issuance of injunctions by Court of Chancery and appointment of receivers under Security Act—A. B. 488—579, 809, 836, 905, 1142
- Banking—vacancies in board of directors in trust companies, shall be filled by remaining members of board until next election—S. B. 28—201, 203, 748, 750, 846.
- Banking—banks not members of Federal Reserve System to maintain three per cent reserve against time deposits—A. B. 256—234, 462, 494, 513
- Banking—allows trust companies to decrease their capital stock—S. B. 287—663, 671, 822.
- Banking—requires bonding of all officers and employees of trust companies; prevents sale to bank of surety bonds by foreign surety companies which evade or ignore State laws—A. B. 280—255, 353, 360, 844
- Banking—permits shares or parts of bonds secured by mortgages or bonds secured by trust mortgages to be deposited with the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance—A. B. 381—473, 673, 675, 790, 938, 942
- Banking—three per cent reserve required of trust companies not members of Federal Reserve System—A. B. 249—232, 461, 494, 513.
- Banking—prescribes additional matters to be set out in certificate of incorporation of a bank; provides for publication, notice, hearing and review of applications for charters, prescribes the requisites for obtaining a certificate of authority to do business; punishes false oaths, and provides for orders being made by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, enforceable by appropriate penalties—S. B. 281—876, 877, 1099, 1100, 1132
- Banking—prescribes additional matters to be set out in the certificate of incorporation of a trust company; provides for publication, notice, hearing and review of applications for charters, prescribes the requisites for obtaining a certificate of authority to do business; punishes false oaths, and provides for orders being made by the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, enforceable by appropriate penalties—S. B. 282—811, 812, 1099, 1100, 1132
- Banking—reduced from 3 per centum to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per centum per month maximum rate of interest on small loans—S. B. 274—874, 875, 1134, 1136, 1180
- Banking—amends the Trust Company Act so as to permit the par value of the shares of the capital stock in any Trust Company to be issued for not less than \$10 00 per share—A. B. 19—58, 166, 176, 414, 421, 592

- Banking—companion bill to No 280—A B 283—255, 353, 360, 845
- Banking—prohibits commissioner of Banking and Insurance and his deputies and examiners from having any dealings with banks except with institution with which they were dealing prior to appointments—S B 276—774, 776, 868, 871, 1110.
- Banking—requires verification by Commissioner of Banking and Insurance before approving or acting on any document filed in his department—S B 277—774, 776, 1135, 1136
- Banking—provides for publication, notice, hearing and reviewing of applications for branch offices—S B 278—813, 815, 1099, 1100, 1128
- Banking—provides that trust companies shall not use in their business capital or surplus installments until the same are fully paid; and shall not write up assets except after approval of the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, may pay dividends in cash or stock, and previous stock dividends are validated—S. B. 279—774, 776, 1099, 1100, 1128
- Banking—provides for banks same regulations as Senate No. 279 does for trust companies—S. B 280—774, 776, 1099, 1100, 1132
- Banking—permitting trust companies to use word “bank” in corporate name—S B 157—677, 678, 749, 751, 821.
- Banks—to allow State banks to change corporate name—S B 61—677, 678, 749, 750, 821
- Banking probe—provides for filing of banking probe testimony—S J R 13—812, 867, 871, 1127
- Barbers—to regulate barber business—A B. 196—185, 437, 442, 507, 583, 586.
- Bonding—provides for the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, etc., which shall mature in not more than three years—A B 273—253, 609, 618
- Bonding—permits municipality to issue limitation obligations maturing in not more than three years, to issue assessment obligations maturing within the life of the assessments and for other temporary obligations to be taken up through budget appropriations—A B 274—253
- Borough clerks—tenure for—A B 69—98, 110
- Building and loan association—changes from \$50,000 to \$100,000 in assets building and loan associations governed by provisions of statute on limitation of expenses—S B 180—1096, 1097, 1135, 1136, 1194
- Building and loan association—permits merging of building and loan associations by two-thirds of members present at meeting rather than two-thirds of all members of association—S. B. 168—1161, 1162, 1196
- Building and loan association—relates to loans by—A. B. 122—126, 693, 695, 978.
- Building and loan association—governs election of directors of building and loan associations—S B 170—677, 679, 868, 872, 1010
- Building and loan association—amendment to have thirty per cent limitation apply to borrowed money whether on demand or time loans—S. B. 171—876, 997, 1000, 1115
- Building and loan association—dividends of building and loan associations to be credited only out of net profits—S. B. 174—876, 877, 997, 1000, 1115.
- Building and loan association—amendment to title to Building and Loan Act of 1925 Admits word “employees”—S B 175—1166, 1167, 1195
- Building and loan association—amendment to permit directors to name committee to examine accounts—S B 176—1095, 1097, 1135, 1136, 1193
- Building and loan association—amendment to eliminate countersigning on checks, etc., by president—S B 177—1166, 1167, 1194

Building and loan association—amendments to make mandatory reserve by associations before dividends are declared two per cent of net profits Reserve not to exceed 15 per cent of total assets of association—S B. 179—811, 812, 868, 872, 1011

Building codes—for imposition of penalty for violating—S B 25—650, 651, 997, 1000, 1106

## C.

Capital punishment—abolishes capital punishment for life imprisonment—A B. 39—89

Carranza memorial—allowing purchase of land near Chatsworth, Burlington County, as memorial to Captam Emilio Carranza, Mexican aviator—S B. 208—646, 648

Case Committee—provides for filing in state library transcript of Case Committee testimony—S J R 2—235, 236, 257, 259, 418

Cemeteries—authorizes cemetery associations to convey vacant lands not needed for cemetery purposes—A B 367—471, 499, 503, 738, 922

Cemeteries—provides for the distribution of moneys arising from the sale of lands unsuitable for burial purposes—A B. 352—468, 584, 587, 736, 922.

Cemeteries—vests control of cemeteries in municipalities—A B. 103—122, 225, 238, 299

Cemeteries—increases from three cemeteries to five number which may be permitted under incorporation act—A. B. 104—122, 225, 238, 299, 312, 600.

Cemeteries—permits assessments for local improvements upon cemeteries—A. B 238—230

Cemetery associations—provides for the regulation of—A B 425—481, 616, 622.

Censors to review motion pictures—A. B. 176—181, 501, 504.

Chancery Act—amends so that the court may appoint a person other than the sheriff or Master in Chancery to sequester property—A. B. 353—468, 500, 502

Chancery Act—amends, regulating the issuance of subpoenas to respond—A. B. 393—476, 610, 618, 927.

Chancery Act—amends, regulating the issuance of subpoenas to answer—A B. 394—476, 610, 618, 927

Children—gives mother custody of child under 14 years of age when father has failed for five years to give proper care to child—S. B. 26—462, 463, 615, 624, 743.

Children—employment regulation of resident and non-resident children—A B. 22—58, 341, 342, 403, 435, 440, 507, 583, 739, 861, 991.

Chiropractic—amends the act regulating—A B 380—473, 617, 623.

Chiropractic examiners—creates a board of and regulates the practice of chiropractic—A B 292—345, 781.

Circuit Court judges may perform marriage ceremony—S B 20—302, 303, 340, 343, 845

Civil Service—makes compulsory salary schedule adopted by Civil Service Commission for employees of second class counties exceeding 250,000 and second class cities 125,000—A B 263—251, 306, 308, 309, 445, 521, 936.

Civil Service—frees South Jersey Port Commission from Civil Service limitation in employment and removal of assistants—S B 211—646, 649, 768, 771, 902

- Civil Service—removes Civil Service Commission and provides for appointment of five new members by Governor—S. B. 293—873, 874, 891, 894, 980.
- Civil Service—building inspectors under—A. B. 156—132, 166, 177, 246, 325, 864.
- Civil Service protection for Italian interpreters in police courts of second class cities—A. B. 147—130.
- Civil suits—permits the institution of civil suits against the various State departments or agencies—A. B. 72—117, 225, 239.
- Common Pleas Judges—permits appointment of additional Common Pleas Judge for county between 83,000 and 100,000 population—S. B. 43—318, 340, 343, 402.
- Conditional sales contracts—provides that a separate book be provided for conditional sale contracts affecting goods attached to realty and the indexing of the same in the name of the record owner—A. B. 386—474, 615, 621.
- Contempt—provides for punishment of persons found guilty of contempt in refusing to appear before Legislative Investigating Committees—S. B. 1—51, 54.
- Contempt—authorizes State Police to serve subpoenas and warrants issued by Legislature—S. B. 2—236, 257, 259, 419.
- Contracts—provides that any officer appointed by the Governor or Legislature, any member of the Legislature, any member of any State commission, institution, board, bureau or other agency of this State or any person holding any office of profit, of trust under the government of this State, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor where such person is directly or indirectly concerned in any agreement or contract for the construction of any bridge or building of any kind, whatsoever, constructed at public expense—A. B. 323—350, 416, 506, 521, 523, 530.
- Contracts—amends laws relating to property of married women—S. B. 67—336, 337, 500, 504, 713.
- Counsel fees be permitted to counsel for proceedings in court in connection with his official duty—A. B. 240—231, 305, 307, 501, 662.
- Constitutional Convention for amendments to United States Constitution—A. J. R. 6—87, 855.
- Conveyance Act—amends, to have provisions apply to instruments hereafter executed as well as those heretofore executed—S. B. 103—650, 657, 1138.
- Corporation Act—clarifies section regulating merger of foreign and domestic corporations—A. B. 515—962, 997, 999, 1030, 1186.
- Corporation Act—permits corporations to put par value on stock issued without—A. B. 517—993, 998, 999, 1031, 1140.
- Corporation charters—notation of amendment to corporation charter on record of original corporation—A. B. 253—233, 305, 307, 910.
- Corporation tax—provides for a graduated scale of the annual corporation franchise tax and extends certain exceptions therefrom—A. B. 436—483, 833.
- Corporation tax—makes definite and clear provisions of Section 19 and 36 of the Corporation Act—A. B. 437—483, 594, 955, 1206.
- Corporation tax—provides a graduated scale of taxes on corporation for capital stock or increases in capital stock—A. B. 438—483, 594, 829, 833, 834.
- Corporations—does away with the requirement for dividends over a period of five years whenever the stock purchased represents a majority in control of outstanding stock—A. B. 370—471, 594, 670, 841.

- Corporations—provides for the filing of statements containing information concerning the goods or chattels to be transported from one place to another, except such goods that are sold to businesses regularly employed in the sale of goods—A B. 430—482.
- Corporations—limits corporation stock with voting rights to shares not transferred within thirty days of meeting for election—A. B. 165—134, 436, 441, 510
- Corporations to petition municipal governing body for approval of housing conditions—S. B. 54—932, 954, 956
- Corporations—continuation of rights of corporations, not for pecuniary profit, after merging—S B 243—773, 775, 1098, 1099, 1192.
- Corporations—permits corporations which have established pensions funds for employees to create separate trust funds of the moneys—S. B. 19—302, 303, 324, 326
- Corporations—makes an officer, director or agent of any corporation liable to conviction for crime for issuing a worthless check of any corporation—A. B. 90—120, 199, 200, 246, 403, 999, 1000
- Corporations—for proving non-compliance of foreign corporation of New Jersey Laws Eliminates necessity of Secretary of State going to remote parts of state for testimony involving such corporations—A. B 29—60.
- Counties not having park commissions to erect and maintain parks and docks along roads where the same touch navigable streams—A B 421—480, 672, 674, 759, 864.
- Counties to establish police department for supervision of traffic—S B. 85—876, 880, 891, 893, 965
- Counties to regulate electrification—A B. 467—488, 615, 621, 1035, 1154.
- Counties to expend money for control of flood waters in brooks—A B 231—229, 436, 441, 684, 1146, 1148.
- Counties—for commission to study plan for intermunicipal or intercounty project in first class counties—S. J. R. 8—652, 823
- Counties to appropriate not exceeding one-tenth of one per cent of total assessed valuations for charitable hospitals in county—S. B. 108—465, 865, 870, 1008.
- County health boards—for repeal of act for establishment of county boards of health—S. B. 237—640, 643, 768, 771, 1014, 1016, 1020.
- County parks—permits boards of freeholders in counties having a population of between 200,000 and 400,000 to authorize expenditures for county park purposes where such authorization is approved by the majority of freeholders—A B 354—468, 616, 623, 737, 1144
- County detectives—additional county detective in third class counties on Atlantic Ocean—A. B. 463—488
- County park commission—for appointment of, by freeholders, issuance of bonds for parks, etc, by board of five members—S B 215—877, 879, 1023, 1025, 1028.
- County detectives—permits appointment of captain of county detectives in first class county Salary to be approved by judges of Court of Quarter Sessions—A B. 214—189.
- County boards of chosen freeholders to enter into an agreement with municipalities for the maintenance and repair of canal bridges—A B 302—346, 500, 502, 728, 864.
- County planning commissions has control of laying out streets, avenues and roads, etc—A B 264—251, 318, 320, 910, 1143.

- County park referendum—requires petition by at least ten per cent of voters for resubmission of—S B 47—302, 303, 810, 837, 889
- County freeholders under Traffic Act to have equal jurisdiction with municipal power for governing traffic on county roads—S B 87—639, 641, 692, 695, 886
- County act of 1918—amends, enabling counties to perform public work—A. B 117—125, 168, 177, 447, 521, 881
- County without county hospital to assist in maintaining buildings for contagious diseases by other hospital—S. B 74—772, 774, 850, 971, 972, 1015.
- County clerks—regulates the making and keeping of the records in the office of county clerk, registrar of deeds and surrogate in counties of this State—A B 307—347, 749, 750, 979
- County tuberculosis hospital confers on boards of freeholders of second class counties power over—A B 262—251
- County clerk's records—for clerks docket in county clerk's office for recording all papers in each suit—A B 200—186
- County clerk name court crier in county with population between 200,000 and 400,000—S B. 45—653, 655, 781, 782, 888
- County engineer—five-year term for—A B 118—125, 168, 177, 595
- County clerk to have loose leaf book for judgments—A B 157—132.
- Court criers—permits county clerk to name court crier in county with population between 200,000 and 400,000—S B 45—653, 655, 781, 782, 888
- Court actions—regulates the bringing of court actions—A. B 300—346
- Court practice—amends court practice by including officers of corporation, party to any action, to provide for examination before trial—A B. 66—94.
- Court procedure—provides that where a prosecutor shall move for a nolle prosequi of an indictment, he shall first submit to the judge of the court, a copy of the indictment and his reason for nolle prosequi the same in writing to be approved by the judge—A B 337—465, 520, 523
- Court procedure—provides for the service of pleadings upon adverse attorneys within seventy-two hours after the same is filed—A B 316—349, 500, 503, 798, 907
- Court procedure—provides for twenty peremptory challenges in cases of carnal abuse—A B. 348—467, 860
- Court procedure—"notice of protest" evidence in trials for issuance of bad checks—A B 505—668, 914, 915
- Court procedure—permits a defendant in a criminal case to obtain a certificate of reasonable doubt on his application for bail, after his conviction, by any justice of the Supreme Court as well as the trial judge—A B 77—117, 165, 176, 947
- Court records—method of cancellation of record judgments—A B 65—94, 584, 587, 724
- Courts—repeals the 1928 law providing for the transfer of actions to the circuit court, from the district court, where a set-off exceeds the jurisdiction of the district court—A B 328—351
- Courts—uniform time for filing notices of trial—A B 11—56, 95, 96, 455, 521, 710
- Courts—additional Common Pleas judge for Camden—A. B. 243—231.
- Courts—makes it unnecessary for a judge to be present when a grand jury makes a presentment—A B 422—481, 741, 742, 797, 1004

- Courts—permits judges, upon the recommendation of the freeholders to parole prisoners so that they may pay fine while on parole—A B. 59—93, 135, 136, 163, 193, 637, 669
- Courts—remedies existing doubt as to constitutionality of new Atlantic County judge bill—S B 285—604
- Courts—permits appointment of additional Common Pleas judge for county with population of more than 400,000 when Governor decides public interest demands appointment—S B. 240—604, 605, 633
- Courts—additional Common Pleas judge in Passaic, Bergen, Camden and Union counties—A B 159—133, 257, 258, 414, 425, 586
- Courts—governs probation system in courts—S. B. 164—988
- Courts—for uniform State Juvenile Court practice—S. B 165—988, 989
- Credit unions to have “productive” as well as “provident” objects—A. B 108—123, 341, 342, 605
- Credit unions—permits ten or more persons engaged in agricultural pursuits to establish credit unions—S B 97—654, 656, 809, 836, 1114
- Crimes—provides for the relief of persons convicted of crime committed while under the age of twenty years; authorizes certain judges to order that such judgments shall not operate as disqualification for any office and shall not operate as a conviction of crime or be provable as such—A B 351—468, 584, 588, 904, 1143
- Cruelty to animal cases—procedure in—A B 132—128, 171, 179, 323, 334, 894, 897.
- Crippled Children’s Commission—provides for membership on—A B 130—127, 225, 239, 246, 249, 361, 464

## D.

- Death certificate—compels signing of, before burial of deceased person—A B. 142—129, 257, 259, 323, 354
- Debts—to prevent debtors from disposing of property where claim has not been first reduced to judgment at law—A B 236—230, 416, 417, 860
- Debt statements—allows removal from county debt statement cost of roads for which counties will be re-imbursed by State—S B. 4—155, 156, 412, 415, 607
- Debt statements—prohibits deduction in municipal debt statement for improvements where assessments are not confirmed within six months from date of improvements—A B 166—180, 460, 493
- Debt statements—to define “assessed valuation” for bonded indebtedness of municipality—A. B 183—183, 461, 493.
- Deeds—requires addresses of parties to deeds, mortgages, etc, for recording—A B. 153—132
- Deeds—requires county clerks or register of deeds to include in abstracts of such deeds the post office addresses of the grantees when said addresses are contained in said deeds—A B 265—251, 340, 342, 452, 521, 1186
- Deeds—requires residence of each of parties to be stated in filing of deeds—A B 133—128, 169, 178, 323, 334
- Deeds—acknowledgment of deeds by treasurer of corporation—A. B 134—128, 170, 179, 199, 205, 244, 1185.
- Deeds—limits time or claiming rights under unrecorded deeds—S. B 99—813, 814, 931, 932.
- Delaware River bridge—creates separate commission to operate Delaware River bridge at Camden—S B 152—876, 914, 916, 979, 998, 1001, 1026

- Delaware River bridge—to allow operation of trains across—A. B. 194—185, 257, 258, 1105.
- Dentists to practice as interne in public hospital or other institution after making application to State Board for examination—A. B. 174—181, 305, 307, 608, 752.
- Dentistry—permits applicants for licenses to practice dentistry to take examinations therefor without limitation provided applicants meet the requirements now established—A. B. 270—252, 1129
- Detective agencies—directs that Superintendent of State Police, instead of Comptroller, issue license for detective agency—A. B. 51—91, 134, 135, 163.
- Detectives—provides for the appointment of three members on a board to regulate the business of private detectives—A. B. 340—466, 520, 523.
- Dey House—acquisition of the Dey House, Washington Headquarters, at Preakness, Passaic County—A. B. 135—123, 437, 441, 596, 1092, 1094.
- Disorderly persons—includes under disorderly person those committing assault and battery, larceny, etc., or embezzlement where value of property taken is under \$50—A. B. 47—91, 322, 324, 595
- District court act—amends, so that the “true” amount intended to be recovered is substituted instead of the amount as indicated in the face of the summons—A. B. 452—486, 613, 620, 956, 1174
- District court in Burlington County—S. B. 290—811, 812, 998, 1001, 1022
- District court employees in cities with population between 55,000 and 200,000 to be appointed by mayor—A. B. 233—229, 416
- District courts—provides that where a judgment is obtained in the district court, the clerk of the said court may issue an execution immediately to a constable outside the county wherein the judgment was obtained—A. B. 338—466, 500, 503, 794
- District courts—provides for two district courts in cities having more than 135,000 inhabitants—A. B. 355—469, 500, 502, 605, 779
- District courts—increases the mileage fee to constables of district courts from four cents to six cents per mile—A. B. 356—469.
- District courts—provides that where a case has not been moved in the district court for more than two years, the same shall be considered discontinued—A. B. 86—119, 309, 444, 521.
- District courts—provides for the appointment of additional clerical administrative help in district courts where such district court is set in a county seat—A. B. 70—116, 224, 238, 323, 328, 763, 765
- District courts—to allow appointment of assistant clerk for district court—A. B. 182—182, 492, 796
- District courts—increases jurisdiction of—A. B. 2—49, 164, 175, 237, 240
- Draining—authorizes small land owners to drain and improve their lands—A. B. 298—346, 501, 504, 792.
- Divorce act—repeals supplement to—A. B. 18—58.
- Drugs—defines drugs that may be sold by grocers and stores—A. B. 116—125

## E.

- Education—referendum on whether board of education in districts advancing beyond 12,000 population shall be elected by the people or appointed by the mayor—S. B. 191—640, 642, 768, 771, 1184.
- Education—allowing establishment of cafeteria by boards—S. B. 192—646, 648, 769, 772, 885.

- Education—requires districts lacking high schools to continue sending pupils to the district with such an institution—S B 193—640, 642, 769, 772, 885
- Education—makes permissible in third class cities direct sale of school bonds to trustees of Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund—S. B 117—654, 657, 732, 734
- Education—consolidation of school districts—A B 485—525, 614, 620, 787, 1142
- Education—provides for State financial aid to blind students who are seeking higher education—A B 318—347, 416, 417, 666
- Education—attendance officer not be discharged except after hearing—A B. 468—489
- Education—"Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools" to be only law effecting control of public schools—A B 469—489, 690, 693
- Education—vests control of vocational schools in the boards of freeholders—A B 330—351
- Education—deems as disorderly person anyone having charge of any child between the ages of seven and sixteen years, who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions of the Free Public School Act—A. B. 269—252, 305, 307, 323, 358.
- Education—computation for pension time served as district clerk or as member of board of education—S B 216—1096, 1097, 1135, 1136.
- Education—additional polling places for school elections where more than 500 ballots are cast at two consecutive annual school elections—S. B 217—647, 650, 769, 772, 1014
- Education—permits boards of education to sell and dispose of lands acquired under the condemnation act where such lands have ceased to be necessary for school purposes—A B. 405—478, 613, 620, 788, 1174
- Education—permits education boards in municipalities with less than 8,000 inhabitants to fix hours for holding school elections—S. B. 162—640, 642, 769, 771, 847, 984, 1096, 1098, 1162, 1195
- Education—provides for the furnishing to the voters in school districts, a statement of the revenue and the manner in which it is disbursed for school purposes—A B 294—345, 436, 441, 514, 937, 940.
- Education—increase from \$40 to \$60 allowance made for pupil attending high school in district other than that in which he resides—A B 205—187, 500, 502, 687, 840
- Education—continues commission for survey of work of public schools and educational institutions supported in whole or part by public funds—S. J. R 9—655, 658, 762
- Education—for supporting education of children born out of wedlock—S B. 105—337, 338, 464, 495, 860.
- Education—restores to school districts gross receipts of main stem railroad tax—S. B. 90—1120, 1123.
- Education—permits district education board to refrain from issuing bonds maturing before the date of issuance, but allowing the sale of remaining bonds which have been sanctioned by voters—S. B. 272—874, 875, 945, 1020.
- Education—to enlarge purposes for which a city school district may issue bonds so as to include "other buildings or structures for school purposes"—S B. 82—304, 305, 340, 343, 418.
- Education—permits third class cities to convert promissory notes for schools into marketable bonds—S B 257—723, 724, 768, 771, 887

- Education—vests the appointments of boards of education for county vocational school in the boards of freeholders—A. B. 291—344, 714, 717, 786, 857, 1140.
- Education—removes statutory limitation of \$2,500 on salary of helping teachers permitting commissioner of education to fix amount—A. B. 168—180, 518, 673, 674, 728, 1159.
- Education—creates Board of Regents—S. B. 92—653, 655, 731, 733, 754.
- Education—designed to discontinue State scholarships at Rutgers College after September, 1929—S. B. 93—653, 656, 731, 733, 754, 806.
- Education—to discontinue use of title “State University of New Jersey” as designation for “State Agricultural College”—S. B. 94—653, 656, 731, 732, 816.
- Education—to prohibit use by educational institution words “New Jersey,” “State of New Jersey,” etc., to express relationship to State—S. B. 95—653, 656, 731, 732, 754.
- Election districts—authorizes the governing body of any municipality to change the election district lines where certain conditions exist—A. B. 84—119, 317, 319, 659, 767, 769, 949, 959, 1093.
- Election Law Commission—providing creation of commission consisting of three Senators named by the Senate President and three Assemblymen named by the Speaker of the House to revise Election Laws—A. J. R. 12—257.
- Elections—requires the Commissioner of Registration to acknowledge receipt of change of residence notices forwarded to him—A. B. 400—477.
- Elections—provides for the naming of members of a county board of elections and regulates their term of office—A. B. 426—481, 768, 770, 924.
- Elections—regulates absentee voting under certain conditions—A. B. 342—466, 615, 621.
- Elections—amends permanent registration law to eliminate conflicting points—S. B. 254—935, 945, 983.
- Elections—limits campaign expenditures for United States Senator or Governor to newspaper advertising, circularization, travelling expenses and poll watchers—A. B. 113—124.
- Elections—allowing voting machines in elections—A. B. 149—131.
- Elections—to amend Municipal Manager Act by eliminating primary election and substituting a non-partisan general election—S. B. 64—361, 364, 440, 443, 697, 818.
- Elections—forbids secret distribution of circulars attacking candidates at elections—A. B. 111—124.
- Elections—authorizes the county clerk to tabulate the general election returns—A. B. 85—119, 317, 319, 447, 521, 592.
- Elections—prevents registering of voters within two weeks of election day—S. B. 252—647, 650, 731, 733, 841.
- Elections—changes procedure in publication of names to be stricken from registry lists—S. B. 262—876, 877, 915, 916, 1017.
- Elections—provides for filing of membership of district boards of registry and election by common pleas judge with consent of respective county chairman—A. B. 37—89, 317, 319, 946.
- Elections—prohibits members of county boards of elections from becoming candidates for elective office—A. B. 28—59, 317, 319, 758, 999, 1000, 1023, 1141.
- Election laws—commission to study election laws—A. J. R. 3—87, 134, 136, 163, 196, 323, 365, 464.

- Electricians—regulates and licenses the business of contracting master electrician and journeymen—A. B 304—346
- Employers liability act—supplements, by requiring that no petition shall be dismissed for want of prosecution until service of notice—A B 229—228, 459, 492, 511, 637
- Endurance contests—makes it unlawful for anyone to engage in a contest of speed or endurance for a longer time than twelve hours during twenty-four hours—A. B 406—478
- Enright—provides for the relief of John H Enright, who sustained disabilities during the course of employment—A B 339—466, 672, 674, 984
- Escheated lands—provides for the release of the interest of the State of New Jersey in lands which have escheated, where a decree in chancery has been entered declaring that the person dying seized of the land held the same in trust for others—A B 369—471, 672, 674, 788.
- Essex county park commission to convey to Essex board of freeholders land needed for widening or realignment of county roads—A B 271—252, 343, 405, 518, 522, 727, 864.
- Essex county park commission to transfer to Newark portion of Park Avenue—A, B 191—186, 244, 323, 356, 840
- Executions—increases from \$200 to \$500 the exemption from execution of personal property—A B 80—118

## F.

- Fees—increases from \$10 to \$25 fee for board of pharmacy examination and increases to two years length of study required in a school of pharmacy—S B 17—361, 364, 439, 443, 507
- Filing fees—fees for filing documents in office of register of deeds and mortgages—A B 260—234
- Fire companies—allows township to turn land over to—S B. 35—302, 303, 413, 415, 701
- Fire companies—allows \$2,500 by municipality for volunteer fire company—A B. 152—131, 306, 308, 420
- Fire companies—allows contracts between municipalities and incorporated fire companies—A B 13—57, 439, 442, 509
- Fire departments—permitting municipal governing body to stipulate hours for platoons for paid fire department in order to grant twenty-four hours leave—S B 220—640, 643, 768, 771, 826
- Fire districts for camp meeting association—A B 171—181, 224, 237, 323, 331, 1185
- Fireworks—commission for regulating fireworks—A J R 14—491
- Fireworks—prohibiting discharging of fire crackers, etc, within limits of the State, without permit—A B 220—190, 808, 836
- Fireworks—forbidding sale of toy pistols, fire crackers, etc, in State—A. B 221—190, 808, 836
- Fish and game—limits taking of oysters from creeks emptied in the Delaware Bay above Cohansey Creek during May and June—S B 122—362, 364, 501, 504, 884
- Fish and game—prohibits taking of oysters from natural oyster beds under tidal waters for planting in any other State—S B 123—651, 652, 782
- Fish and game—increases membership of Fish and Game Commission from seven to nine members—S B 115—654, 656, 749, 750, 996

- Fish and game—to limit oyster dredge to 190 pounds for use in Delaware Bay or River—S. B. 120—362, 364, 501, 504, 883.
- Fish and game—makes unlawful to dredge for oysters before sunrise or after sunset or on Sunday—S. B. 121—337, 338, 501, 504, 883.
- Fish and game—allows Fish and Game Commission jurisdiction on predatory birds—A. B. 451—486, 779.
- Fish and game—provides for the encouragement of propagation of game and further provides for the licensing of breeders of game—A. B. 349—468.
- Fish and game—prohibits the sale of black or Oswego bass except for propagating purposes—A. B. 419—480, 749, 750, 906, 1140.
- Fish and game—increases resident hunting and fishing, licenses from \$1.50 to \$3.00—A. B. 284—255, 305, 307, 323, 358.
- Fish and game—close season of one year on ruffed grouse—A. B. 244—231, 500, 501, 799, 864.
- Fish and game—close season on wild duck, Wednesdays of open season—A. B. 202—186, 316, 318, 909.
- Fish and game—makes unlawful taking of pike except from May 20 to end of November—A. B. 203—186.
- Fish and game—to prohibit sowing of wheat, etc., as decoy for—A. B. 204—187.
- Fish and game—requires special license for hunting of woodcock—A. B. 57—92, 157, 158, 684, 778.
- Fish and game—allows vessels with purse or shirred nets, otter or beam trawls to fish within two miles of shore—S. B. 245—1002, 1003, 1099, 1102.
- Fish and game—makes catch of woodcock, snipe, etc., conform to federal regulations—A. B. 6—55, 95, 96, 299, 300, 591.
- Fish and game—five year close season on female ring-necked pheasants—A. B. 7—56, 95, 96, 299, 300, 591.
- Fish and game—closed season on yellow legged snipe, woodcock, etc., to conform to federal regulations—A. B. 8—56, 95, 96, 299, 310, 592.
- Fish and game—closed season of three years on wild turkeys—A. B. 9—56, 95, 96, 299, 310, 592.
- Fish and game—to permit Fish and Game Commission to construct small islands in inland tidal waters for places where general public may gun—A. B. 46—90.
- Fish and game—gives discretion to Fish and Game Commission in erection of wire boundary for game refuge—A. B. 248—232, 305, 307, 359, 500, 502, 592.
- Fish and game—repeals act prohibiting catching of eels in close seasons in Dennis and Upper Townships, Cape May County—S. B. 112—337, 338, 439, 443, 887.
- Fish and game—permits oysters planted in disputed section of New Jersey, Delaware portion of Delaware Bay to be removed by New Jersey planters and replanted elsewhere—S. B. 295—878, 880, 998, 1000, 1126.
- Flood District Commission—creates and defines powers—A. B. 456—487.
- Floods—provides for appointment of a commission of seven members to be appointed by the Governor to investigate, inquire into and report methods and probable cause of controlling floods and the draining of wet lands in northern New Jersey—A. J. R. 13—436, 440, 682, 913.
- Foreclosure proceedings—provides for uniform filing of fees in foreclosure proceedings. Conforms to the recording of the Mortgage Laws Commission A. B. 388—475, 673, 675, 947.

- Foreclosure proceedings—establishes uniform fees in uncontested foreclosure proceedings. Conforms to the revision of Mortgage Law Commission—A B 397—476, 610, 618
- Foreclosure proceedings—regulates the foreclosure of mortgages generally conforms to the revision of the Mortgage Law Commission—A B 398—477, 610, 619, 706
- Fornication—increases the penalty for the crime of fornication from a maximum of \$50 to \$500. Maintains the provision concerning six months' imprisonment—A B 82—118
- Freeholders—permits member of board of freeholders to be appointed county counsel—A B 506—688, 767, 769, 849, 923

## G.

- Gaming devices—to prohibit the sale and distribution of—A B 226—228
- Gasoline tax—provides for payment of gasoline tax by jitneys the same as by other automobiles—A B 335—353
- Gasoline tax—provides for a 1,500 gallon exemption from the gasoline tax for rural free delivery carriers—A B 311—348, 416, 417, 527, 638
- Gasoline tax on auto buses—A. B 227—228
- Gasoline tax—extends scope of gas tax in refineries—S B 286—814, 815, 1005, 1021
- Gasoline tax—exempts motor boats from—A B 107—123
- Golf clubs—to extend right to vote by proxy to members of golf club on questions in their organization—S B 89—645, 648, 692, 695, 818
- Grade crossings—confers upon the Board of Public Utility Commissioners the power to order the elimination of grade crossings where more than one railroad crosses a public highway at grade—A B 407—478

## H.

- Hack stands—repeals the act regulating hack stands in front of hotels, approved March 26, 1917—A B 327—351
- Health—controlling bathing in fresh water streams—A B 477—490, 616, 623
- Health—defines drugs and remedies that may be sold by grocers and patent medicine stores—A B 450—486
- Health—allows State Department of Institutions and Agencies to revoke licenses of private nursing homes—S B 198—678, 679, 809, 836, 866, 870, 1012
- Health—empowers local boards of health to pass ordinances requiring the landlords of business buildings to supply heat of at least 68 degrees—A B 357—469, 585, 587, 926, 1154
- Health—authorizes any county and one or more municipalities of school districts to enter into a joint contract for public health service—S B 11—645, 647, 768, 770, 845
- Health—regulates New Jersey narcotics act to conform with federal statutes—S B 296—1161, 1163, 1192
- Hicks—provides for the relief of M Louise W. Hicks, who was injured on the steps leading to the State House last winter—A. B 71—116
- Highway route from Camden to McKee City by way of Black Horse Pike—A. B 479—490, 689, 693, 801, 938, 944

- Highways—provides for State Route No. 29A beginning in Lambertville and extending along Delaware River through Stockton, Raven Rock, etc., to Frenchtown—S B 141—877, 879, 915, 916, 1026
- Highways—provides that the State Highway Commission shall regulate the use of bridges taken over or constructed by the State Highway Commission A B 350—468, 500, 502, 736, 912
- Highways—permits appeal to jury in Circuit Court to determine necessity for taking municipal lands for State highway purposes—S B 163—879, 880, 931, 932, 1021.
- Highways—provides that \$2,100,000 shall be apportioned to the various counties from the motor vehicle tax for the improvement of their highways—A B 364—470, 616, 623, 799
- Highways—makes route for proposed Mercer County highway loop conform with old Larson act, restoring Bakersville—A B 518—1116
- Highways—State highway beginning at Route 25 between Jersey City and Camden, through Hightstown, Bordentown—A B 447—485
- Highways—creates a new State highway from Jersey City to Dover by way of Kearny and Harrison, and Hanover and Littleton—A B 428—482, 692, 694
- Highways—adds a spur from the State highway route running through Burlington to a bridge about to be built between Burlington and Bristol—A B 314—348, 464, 494, 532, 638
- Highways—increase from \$50,000 to \$75,000 amount to counties by Highway Commission for borough and township roads—A B 99—122
- Highways—for elimination of railroad grade crossings on State highways by division of cost between railroad companies and highway commission Yearly program for elimination to be forwarded—S B 273—723, 724, 768, 770, 805
- Highways—permits the allocation of moneys by the State Highway Commission for the reconstruction of unimproved borough and township roads—A B 96—121
- Highways—includes Garfield and Wallington in State Highway Route S-3—S B 110—462, 463, 671, 675, 735, 741, 742, 800, 864
- Highways—route S-3 to begin on route No 3 from borough of East Rutherford, extending to the vicinity of Clifton and Nutley to connect with route No 6—A. B 222—191
- Highways—State highway route No 7 to begin at route No 25 in Jersey City and extend through Kearny, North Arlington, etc—A B 209—188
- Highways—creates State highway extending from Blairstown, through Hardwick township, Millbrook, to Flatbrookville, Sussex County—A B 52—92, 518, 522, 698
- Highways—gives to municipalities receipts in excess of \$2,000,000 on gasoline tax for roads—A B 101—122, 196, 200
- Highways—distribution of \$210,000 for township and borough roads—S B 30—872, 873, 1099, 1100, 1101
- Highways—directs that State highway route No 36 extend from Keyport to Highland Beach by way of Keansburg, Belford, Atlantic Highlands and Highlands—S B 18—155, 156, 172, 179, 463, 522
- Highways—provides for payment to counties of interest charges on funds borrowed by counties to construct State highways under the reimbursement provisions of the State Highway Act—S B 289—709, 767, 770, 1013
- Highways—gives State Highway Commission power to deal with holders of disputed land, once believed public property—S B 265—1166, 1168, 1178

- Highways—increases amount of State road aid to townships to be taken from motor vehicle fund—S. B. 259—641, 643, 768, 771, 1108.
- Historical places—commission to investigate marking of New Jersey historical places and report to next session of Legislature—S. B. 194—678, 679, 732, 734, 841.
- Hobart Act—for repeal of prohibition enforcement act, known as—A. B. 250—233
- Hopewell borough—to create school district of—A. B. 255—234, 611, 619, 697, 912
- Hospitals—allowing interchange of facilities of municipal and county hospital—A. B. 187—183, 318, 320, 414, 425, 637.
- Hospitals—permitting counties to appropriate not exceeding one-tenth of one per cent of total assessed valuations for charitable hospitals in county—S. B. 108—465, 865, 870, 1008
- Housing conditions—allows corporations to petition municipal governing body for approval of—S. B. 54—932, 954, 956
- Hudson tunnel—provides for appointment of separate Interstate Tunnel Commission to operate—S. B. 147—933, 934, 971, 972, 979, 998, 1000, 1027, 1160, 1179

## I.

- Income taxes—memorializes and requests Congress of the United States to revise the Federal Income Tax Law in order to reduce the present rate of taxation on earned incomes, fees and commissions—A. J. R. 22—761, 823, 1005
- Incorporates first judicial district of Union county—A. B. 442—484, 584, 586.
- Incorporation Hi-Nella borough, Camden county—A. B. 482—505, 767, 769, 832, 923
- Incorporates the Fifth Judicial district of the county of Bergen—A. B. 326—351, 585, 587
- Incorporates the First Judicial district of the county of Ocean—A. B. 322—350, 500, 503
- Incorporates the borough of Hi-Nella, Camden—A. B. 415—480.
- Incorporates the borough of Lindenwold—A. B. 416—480, 767, 769, 831, 922
- Incorporates the borough of Pine Hill, Camden county—A. B. 420—480, 767, 769, 831, 923
- Incorporates the borough of Somerdale, Camden county—A. B. 412—479, 767, 769, 830, 922
- Incorporates the borough of Pine Valley, Camden—A. B. 414—479, 767, 769, 830, 922
- Incorporates borough of Manville, Somerset county—A. B. 136—128, 171, 179, 299, 592
- Incorporates the township of Stockholm, Sussex county—A. B. 299—346
- Incorporates fifth judicial district of Bergen—A. B. 501—634, 732, 733, 801, 872.
- Indigent school children—provides that a sum of \$3,000 instead of \$1,000 may be expended by a city for the assistance of—A. B. 378—473, 614, 621, 667, 922
- Inheritance laws—gives the right to disposition of real estate inherited from adopting parent to an adopted child—A. B. 384—474, 615, 621, 707
- Inheritance tax—amends—A. B. 383—474, 714, 717, 829

- Inheritance taxation—rates of—A. B. 440—484, 594, 759, 969.
- Insurance—governing use of forms for fire insurance business for supplemental contracts governing additional risks—S B 203—773, 774, 1005, 1116
- Insurance—to allow placing of insurance against falling aircraft, parts of contents thereof, as protection against damage to properties, etc—S B 204—773, 775, 868, 871, 1118.
- Insurance company to invest in stock of other non-dividend insurance companies—A. B. 195—185, 316, 319, 450, 521, 720
- Insurance companies—permits insurance companies other than life insurance companies to purchase and acquire stock of other companies—A B 371—471, 500, 502, 606, 740
- Insurance companies—obviates the requirement for filing written assent of stockholders of insurance companies where changes are to be made in the charter of the company or the certificate of incorporation—A. B. 372—472, 519, 522, 582, 729
- Insurance—allows mutual fire insurance companies organized prior to 1875 to provide in policy a limited liability to pay upon call any portion or all of the premium not paid in cash—S B 62—303, 304, 464, 494, 508
- Insurance companies—relates to names of casualty companies—S B 60—304, 305, 324, 326
- Insurance company may invest not exceeding five per cent of assets in city housing projects—S B 55—934, 935, 954, 957
- Insurance on taxicabs—A B. 180—182, 716, 718, 959, 1143
- Installment financing—commission of three Senators and three Assemblymen to investigate installment purchases of automobiles, etc.—A J. R. 17—580.
- Intermunicipal and interstate projects—commission to report to next Legislature S J. R. 4—87, 855
- Interstate buses—asks Congress to regulate interstate buses—A C R 1—767, 931, 948, 1206
- Institutional tax—one-half mill tax for year 1930 for State institutions—A B 225—228, 416, 528, 778.
- Institutions and agencies—increases the membership of the Board of Control of from eight to nine members—S B 199—362, 363, 403
- Institutions—allows State Department of Institutions and Agencies to revoke licenses of private nursing homes—S B 198—678, 679, 809, 836, 866, 870, 1012.
- Institutions—establishes new reformatory for men at Armandale—S B 159—654, 657, 732, 734, 820
- Institutions—permits county officers from time to time to reopen—A. B. 385—474, 613, 620, 851, 1174
- Investigating committee—recommends that the Case Committee be continued in power. Also names Assemblymen Leap, Newcomb and Blunt to take the place of the present members, whose terms have expired—S J R 1—51.
- Investigating committee—provides for filing in State library transcript of Case Committee testimony—S J R 2—235, 236, 257, 259, 618

## J.

- Joint Commission—authorizes the Joint Commission of New Jersey and Pennsylvania to proceed in surveys, investigations and other matters incidental thereto in relation to the proposed interstate bridge between Phillipsburg and Easton—A B 390—475, 616, 622, 690, 694, 825.

- Joint Commission for elimination of toll bridges—fixes terms of office of members of—A B 472—489, 690, 694, 799, 1200
- Judgements—requires all satisfactions of judgments to be recorded and marked upon the original record where the judgment is recorded—A. B. 289—344.
- Judicial districts—Mendham borough and Chester, Washington townships, etc., in first judicial district of Morris county—A. B. 496—627, 866, 869, 951, 1024
- Judgments—can be released by filing bond—A. B. 4—49, 225, 239, 323, 325.
- Judicial districts—first judicial of Ocean county—A. B. 502—668, 891, 892, 1176.
- Judicial districts—creates first judicial district of Warren county—A. B. 53—92, 224, 237, 499, 503, 665, 840, 862
- Judicial districts—Incorporates third judicial district of Essex county to comprise Bloomfield, Belleville and Nutley—A. B. 41—90, 135, 136.
- Judicial districts—adds Wall township, Spring Lake borough, South Belmar, Manasquan and Brielle to first judicial district of Monmouth—A. B. 30—60
- Jury compensation—increases pay of petit jurors from three to five dollars per day—A. B. 175—181, 320, 456, 501, 503, 850, 1146, 1147
- Juries—revives old system of struck juries—S. B. 255—1002, 1003, 1023, 1025, 1125
- Jury commissioners—provides for the appointment of necessary clerical help in the offices of—A. B. 76—117, 165, 176, 323, 329, 840.
- Jury commissioners—appointment by Governor—A. B. 26—59, 95, 97, 163, 173, 227, 247, 497

## K.

- Kearny Home—authorizes sale of New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers at Kearny and use of receipts for construction of a Veterans' Home of All Wars to be located north of Trenton—A. B. 281—255, 310, 515, 638

## L.

- Labor Commissioner to order discontinue theatre, etc., deemed unsafe for such purpose—S. B. 241—873, 874, 914, 916, 963
- Labor—reduces from 60 hours to 48 hours time for employment in bakery in one week and from 10 hours to 8 hours in one day—A. B. 213—189.
- Labor—governs hours for employees working under compressed air—S. B. 146—654, 657, 769, 772, 817
- Labor Department—creation in Department of Labor with bureau for women and children with chief named for five years and her salary \$3,600—A. B. 33—88, 340, 342, 685, 751, 780, 892, 893, 911, 986
- Legislative agents—to regulate by registration, legislative counsels and agents who lobby for measures in Legislature—A. B. 245—232.
- Legislative employees—limits number—A. B. 105—123
- Legislative record—commission to control arrangement of—A. B. 230—229.
- Legislature—mechanical registration of votes of members of the Assembly—A. B. 232—229, 342, 458, 459, 492, 501, 602, 1017, 1109
- Library Act—corrects, to restore to library boards the local superintendent of schools left out through printing error—S. B. 258—723, 724, 782, 1017.
- Lien for hospitals, physicians for accident services when patient receives compensation—A. B. 173—181.

"Light's Golden Jubilee"—provides committee to participate in, at Dearborn, Mich.—A. J. R. 20—688, 892, 1107.

Little Basin—permits Port Authority to bid for purchase of Little Basin of the Morris Canal—S. B. 298—933, 934, 1023, 1025, 1127.

### M.

Magistrates' Fees—increases the fees allowed to magistrates under the traffic act—A. B. 341—466, 500, 503.

Manasquan River channel—provides for improving—A. B. 5—50, 306, 307.

Marriages—Circuit Court judges—S. B. 20—302, 303, 340, 343, 845.

Married persons, male or female, to appoint an agent, to act in their stead in the disposal of any interest in real estate—A. B. 296—345, 436, 443

Married women—regulates the sale of property by married women where they acquire title to same by gift, devise or inheritance—A. B. 435—483, 594, 741.

Married women—amends laws relating to property of married women in regard to making contracts—S. B. 67—336, 337, 500, 504, 713.

Married woman responsible solely for her torts—A. B. 21—58, 234, 238, 323, 324, 912

Mattresses—repeals the act of 1918 regulating the manufacture and sale of mattresses—A. B. 470—489

Mattresses—regulation of making and sale of mattresses—A. B. 471—489.

Mayors—increases from 2 to 4 years term of mayor in cities of less than 12,000 inhabitants—S. B. 32—464, 465, 585, 588, 609, 690, 694, 1110.

Meadow companies—provides for the control of the "overflow by tide" of the meadow companies where the water is allowed to remain within the bonds for certain periods—A. B. 387—474, 622, 704, 987.

Mechanics' Lien Act to make clear to what constitutes acceptance of public works—A. B. 441—484, 613, 620, 1131

Mechanics' Lien Commission—continues Mechanics' Lien Commission—A. J. R. 19—632, 741, 966, 1102, 1103, 1124.

Mechanics' Lien Law—contracts to be signed by owner in mechanics' liens—A. B. 497—631, 741, 742, 916, 967, 971

Mechanics' Lien Law—companion to 497. Status of mortgagee—A. B. 498—631, 741, 742, 916, 968, 971

Mechanics' Lien Law—companion to 497. Status of mortgages—A. B. 499—631, 741, 742, 917, 967, 971.

Mechanics' Lien Law—companion to 497 "Stop Notice Book," for county clerk—A. B. 500—631, 741, 742, 917, 969, 971.

Midwife—for suspension of license of—A. B. 257—234, 412, 414, 527, 1173.

Milks—provides for standards and grades of milk. Gives the State Department of Agriculture power to enforce the regulations—A. B. 424—481, 615, 622, 660

Moore—bill for relief of Elwood B. Moore—S. B. 292—875, 914, 916, 958.

Mortgage cancellation—certification of signature on—A. B. 144—130, 257, 258, 323, 355, 710.

Mortgage foreclosures—facilitates mortgage foreclosure proceedings and reducing cost thereof; recommended by Mortgage Laws Commission—A. B. 278—254.

- Mortgage foreclosures—companion to No. 278—A. B. 279—254.
- Mortgage foreclosures—eliminates redemption of property sold by sheriff under mortgage foreclosure to other than complainant—A. B. 14—57
- Mortgage foreclosures—removes necessity of indexing his pendens action in foreclosure—A. B. 15—57, 134, 135, 163, 172, 323, 464.
- Mortgage foreclosures—cancellation of his pendens by court when attorney or plaintiff are missing—A. B. 16—57, 134, 136, 163, 172, 323, 464.
- Mortgage foreclosure—facilitates—A. B. 154—132.
- Mortgage laws—permits second and third mortgagee to pay taxes, insurance premiums or interest on prior encumbrances and add the amount so paid to his mortgage. Conforms to the Revision of Mortgage Laws Commission—A. B. 395—476, 610, 618, 928
- Mortgage laws—continues commission created to investigate—A. J. R. 1—60, 200, 323, 355, 1153.
- Mosquito Extermination Commission—vests in Governor appointment to—A. B. 49—91, 999.
- Motion picture machines—regulation of moving picture machines and projectors—A. B. 12—57.
- Motion picture shows—reduces from sixteen to fourteen the age at which children are permitted to enter moving picture shows unaccompanied by parent or guardian, etc.—A. B. 94—120, 171, 179, 246, 250, 719.
- Motion pictures—misdemeanor for exhibiting obscene plays and moving pictures—A. B. 23—59, 208, 246, 249
- Motor vehicle fund—increases amount of State road aid to townships to be taken from motor vehicle fund—S. B. 259—641, 643, 768, 771, 1108
- Motor Vehicle Commissioner to require owners of machines to show financial responsibility to amount of \$10,000 for injury or death of person and \$1,000 for damage to property when such driver has been convicted of reckless driving, operating machine while intoxicated, etc.—S. B. 81—653, 655, 732, 734, 826
- Motor vehicles—appropriates \$302,257.51 for repayment to Weimar Storage Company and others of tax collected by Motor Vehicle Commissioner on mileage basis from vehicles in interstate traffic Act declared unconstitutional by Chancery Court—S. B. 202—640, 642, 732, 734, 902.
- Motor vehicles—provides liability insurance for automobiles carrying passengers for hire other than jitneys—A. B. 336—353, 440, 442.
- Motor vehicles—companion bill to No. 275—A. B. 276—254, 460, 493.
- Motor vehicles—provides pension for motor vehicle inspectors after twenty years of service—S. B. 196—813, 815, 971, 972, 1012, 1131, 1163, 1164, 1196
- Motor vehicles—amends the Motor Vehicle Act with respect to the size and weight of commercial vehicles and trailers—A. B. 401—477, 609
- Motor vehicles—increases registration fees for motor vehicles with gross weight and carrying capacity over 20,000 pounds—A. B. 508—843.
- Motor vehicles—for revocation of driver's license in omnibus operation for violation of speed—A. B. 237—230.
- Motor vehicles—amends Motor Vehicle Act by providing all omnibuses having carrying capacity of more than 13 passengers shall be equipped with a speed governor sealed by the Department of Motor Vehicles to insure compliance with speed regulations—A. B. 275—253, 460, 492
- Motor vehicles—governs revocation and restoration of motor vehicle license—A. B. 184—183, 226, 239, 323, 357

- Motor vehicles—increases license fee for motor buses—A. B. 234—229.
- Municipal accounts—permits the Commissioner of Municipal Accounts to verify by direct communication outstanding taxes or other municipal charges—A. B. 313—348, 416, 417, 683
- Municipal employees delegated to attend convention of G. A. R., American Legion, etc., on leave of absence with pay—S. B. 145—646, 648, 691, 695, 824.
- Municipal Manager Act—amends by eliminating primary election and substituting a non-partisan general election—S. B. 64—361, 364, 440, 443, 697, 818.
- Municipalities may acquire property in a foreign State—S. B. 144—498, 692, 696, 756, 853, 932, 971, 972, 1009.
- Municipalities—provides for selection of public safety commissioner, commissioner of public works, and commissioner of streets and highways by city council in second class cities of less than 20,000 population—S. B. 200—655, 658, 867, 871, 1013.
- Municipalities—enables municipality to acquire water works where distribution plant is connected with system of the owner in an adjoining municipality—S. B. 186—773, 774, 867, 871, 1011.
- Municipalities—permits cities on tidal waters to reclaim and improve lands—A. B. 457—487, 609, 617, 658, 690, 694, 861.
- Municipalities—amends the "Pierson Bond Act" so as to permit municipality to construct harbors—A. B. 461, 487, 615, 621, 795, 923.
- Municipalities maintaining no hospital for observation of persons charged with misdemeanor or disorderly conduct to contract for the use of such facilities with other municipalities having suitable institutions—A. B. 368—471, 500, 501, 739.
- Municipalities—amends the Act of 1918 concerning municipalities with references to the salaries paid the members of the governing body of such municipalities—A. B. 344—467, 583, 587, 761.
- Municipalities to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and other revenue for the payment of public improvements—A. B. 306—347, 405, 417, 662, 922
- Municipalities—authorizes the sale or exchange from one public use to another public use, land or interests therein owned by a municipality or other corporation having the power of eminent domain—A. B. 374—472, 500, 502.
- Municipalities and counties to join for control of water courses Companion of 266—A. B. 267—252, 405, 414, 663, 779
- Municipalities—gives city of Long Branch right to grant leases on land for 99 years after referendum—S. B. 194—678, 679, 732, 734, 841.
- Municipalities—regulates the establishment of lines and boundaries of wards in municipalities governed by boards of aldermen. Places the responsibility for such changes with such boards—A. B. 83—119, 224, 227, 1118, 1142.
- Municipalities—to permit president of boards of aldermen to fill vacancies—A. B. 68—95, 224, 237, 444, 521, 637.
- Municipalities to contract with other municipalities for detention of juvenile offenders—A. B. 207—187, 235, 240, 323, 335, 637
- Municipalities—to allow mayor to cast deciding vote in deadlock—A. B. 210—188, 224, 237, 323, 333, 688.
- Municipalities—publication of notice of sale by municipality on land—A. B. 185—183, 224, 237, 323, 331, 637.
- Municipalities to purchase oils and gasoline without advertising for bids—A. B. 164—134, 689, 693.

- Municipalities to require removal of weeds from lots—A B. 138—129, 167, 178, 199, 204, 244, 758, 710, 780, 798.
- Municipalities—permitting municipal governing body to stipulate hours for platoons for paid fire department in order to grant twenty-four hours leave—S B. 220—640, 643, 768, 771, 826.
- Municipalities—amendment for enacting of municipal ordinances by requiring publication one week instead of two days before final passage, and the elapsing of at least ten days instead of one week between first and final reading—S B. 221—935, 998, 1001, 1121.
- Municipalities to keep parks in manner directed by trustees—A. B. 121—126, 257, 258, 323, 420, 912.
- Municipalities—provides for maintenance of separate fund for operation of radio stations or convention halls in municipalities on Atlantic Ocean—S B. 260—640, 644, 743, 964.
- Municipalities—amends act for incorporation of cities of 1899, to give mayor term of two instead of four years—A. B. 50—91, 459, 492.
- Municipality has power to establish embankment along streams for flood control purposes—A B. 266—251, 405, 414, 458, 611, 619, 701, 779.
- Municipality to take unused balances of bond issues and moneys received from sale of utility plant—A B. 208—188, 460, 492, 507, 609, 618, 689

## N.

- Narcotics Act—regulates New Jersey Narcotics Act to conform with Federal statutes—S. B. 296—1161, 1163, 1192.
- Naturopathy—regulates practice of—A B. 145—130.
- Newark Bay Commission—continues commission for development of land in and near Newark Bay—S. J. R. 3—524, 725.
- North Jersey District Water Supply Commission from four to five members—S B 297—878, 880, 914, 915, 953.
- North Shrewsbury River—survey for dam on—A. B. 150—131, 165, 176, 599

## O.

- Old Age Pension Act for those who have reached age of 70 and upwards—A B. 58—93, 164, 175, 501, 517.
- Osteopaths—governs licensing of osteopaths, chiropractors and naturopaths—A B 25—59.
- Outdoor Advertising—commission on outdoor advertising—A J. R 21—731, 866, 869, 951.
- Outdoor Advertising—for licensing outdoor advertising and assessment upon same Regulates erection of signs near railroads—A. B. 35—88, 632, 729.

## P.

- Paints—regulates the occupation of painting and use of paints containing certain materials—A B. 433—483, 776, 994.
- Paints—prevents deception in the sale of paints, provides that true label shall be placed on same—A. B 434—483, 776, 995
- Park commissions—provides for two additional members on park commissions—A. B 418—480, 689, 693, 744, 922.

- Parks—for appointment of county park commission by freeholders, issuance of bonds for parks, etc., by board of five members—S B. 215—877, 879, 1023, 1025, 1028
- Passaic River bridge—to require Erie Railroad to construct passageway for pedestrians on its new bridge over the Passaic river from Newark to Kearny—A. B. 48—91.
- Pension for widows of chief engineers at Greystone Park State Hospital—S. B. 206—1096, 1097, 1134, 1136, 1179
- Pensions—permits retirement on pension, of librarians in first and second class cities after twenty-five-years continuous service—A B 453—486
- Pensions—includes clerks of boards of education under Pension Act—A B 242—231, 732, 733.
- Pension for dependents of village employees—A. B. 128—127, 170, 178, 246, 312, 752
- Pension law for benefit of certain employees in second class cities as is now provided for in first class cities with the exception of the age limit increased from 55 to 60 years—A. B 282—255.
- Pension Commission—providing creation of Pension Commission, consisting of three Senators named by the Senate President and three Assemblymen named by the Speaker to investigate pensions paid by the State, counties and municipalities—A. J. R. 11—257, 340, 342, 446
- Pension of \$200 monthly for widow of Dr F D Weeks, Superintendent of Skillman Epileptic Village—A B 494—593, 672, 674, 762, 987.
- Pensions—permits governing bodies of cities of second class to pension the widow of a mayor dying in office—A B 78—118
- Pensions—restricts the number of municipal employees entitled to the benefits of the pension fund to those who are physically fit from an insurance standpoint at the time they apply for membership—A. B 92—120, 164, 175, 246, 298, 752
- Pensions—clarifies certain indefinite provisions of the pension act passed by the 1927 Legislature Prevents the possibility of an employee drawing a pension who has recovered from an injury which at the time of the pension would be called "permanent" but would subsequently cease to be of a permanent character—A. B 93—120, 164, 175, 246, 298, 299, 752
- Pensions for employees and officers of villages in first class counties—A. B. 127—127, 170, 178, 246, 312, 752
- Pension for court interpreters in first class county—A B 241—231, 360, 458, 521, 1171, 1172
- Pensions for court attendants in second class county—A B 131—128, 306, 308, 596, 840
- Pensions for county clerk's employees in first class counties—A B. 129—127, 257, 258, 444, 521, 752
- Pension for Gertrude Clayton, widow of Charles H Clayton, employee of the Department of Institutions and Agencies—A. B. 139—129, 671, 673, 978, 1141
- Pensions—county detective pension to go to widow and children until latter is sixteen years of age—A. B 63—94, 316, 318, 602, 1170, 1171
- Pensions—Weights and Measures employees in municipality—A. B 189—184.
- Pensions—for retirement of Weights and Measures Department employees—A B 188—184
- Pensions—gives municipal employee credit upon pension act for period spent in county employ—A B 167—180, 584, 587, 859

- Pension for district court clerks—A. B 163—133, 317, 319
- Pensions—widow of life guard to receive one-half of amount of salary under pension of husband—S B 41—302, 303, 440, 443, 508, 607, 641, 644
- Pension for district court employees—A B 181—182
- Pension for widow of sheriff's employees—A B 126—127, 165, 176, 237, 243, 658, 689, 693, 760
- Pensions for Education Board employees—A. B 3—49, 208, 209, 414, 420, 840
- Pensions—provides where a member of one pension fund who by Legislature was transferred to another fund shall nevertheless receive benefits of first pension—S B 270—1164, 1165, 1193
- Pension for widow of Charles McDermott, Education Department employee—A B 160—133, 671, 673, 854, 1141
- Pension for Supreme Court Justice Minturn—S. B 68—137
- Pension bill for employees of first class counties with retirement age of 60 years—A B 38—89, 226, 239, 405, 499, 670, 849, 940
- Pension for sergeant-at-arms and court criers in first class counties—A. B 34—88, 167, 177, 246, 313, 752.
- Pension for health officer after 25 years service in municipality—A B. 42—90
- Pensions—extends police pension system to second class counties with more than 400,000 population—S B 248—647, 650, 768, 770, 867, 871, 965.
- Pensions—allows pensioning at one-half of salary of librarian in first class city after 25 years of service and reaching 70 years—S. B 56—934, 935, 954, 1006
- Pension for widow of F H Magee, Assistant Attorney-General—A B. 140—129, 671, 673, 978, 1141.
- Pharmacy—increases from ten to twenty-five dollars fee for Board of Pharmacy examination and increases from one to two years length of study required in a school of pharmacy, annual renewal of registration at fee of \$200—S B 17—361, 364, 439, 443, 507
- Pharmacy—provides minimum and maximum penalties instead of fixed \$100 penalties for violation of Pharmacy Act—S B 294—878, 880, 946, 971, 972, 1025.
- Philadelphia bridge—omits from act for interstate bridge between Philadelphia and New Jersey words "between Big Timber Creek on the north, and Mantua Creek on the south," Gloucester County Location to be decided by commission—S B 114—645, 648, 671, 675, 702
- Plumbers—provides for licensing of—A B 161—133, 405, 415, 582, 617, 624, 751, 781, 782, 1138
- Police—gives free transportation on auto buses to police of all grades—A B 286—256, 322, 324, 453, 521, 591
- Police pension board—enables director of public safety to fill vacancies on—A B 449—485, 616, 623, 783, 923
- Police—requires auto buses to carry uniformed police officers and detectives without paying fares—A B 305—347, 416, 417, 796, 1173
- Police departments of municipalities to regulate the sale of second-hand motor vehicles—A B 91—120, 167, 177, 237, 242, 1024
- Police—includes municipalities of population in excess of 5,000 under provision of statute, which limits employment of uniformed police to six days per week—A B 61—93, 246, 247, 912.

- Police—requires five years residence in New Jersey for applicants to appoint on police forces and three years service before promotions may be granted—S B 129—811.
- Police courts—increases the jurisdiction of police courts, recorder's courts, etc., in cities of the third class, boroughs, townships, etc., having a population of over 5,000, so that the same may have jurisdiction over the crimes of assault, simple assault and battery, malicious mischief; larceny or embezzlement, obtaining money or property under false pretenses, receiving stolen property, where the amounts involved are not more than \$50 00, and other criminal offenses the penalty for which does not exceed a fine of \$100—A B 95—121, 167, 177, 299, 311, 894, 895, 976, 977, 981
- Police magistrate to designate an attorney-at-law to act in his stead during his temporary absence or inability to sit—A B 382—473, 499, 503, 686, 779
- Police magistrates—provides that in cities of not less than 30,000 and not more than 50,000, the term of the office of police magistrate shall run concurrently with terms of office of members governing body—A B. 334—352, 412, 415, 501, 516, 526, 584, 586, 601.
- Pollution of waters—survey of pollution of waters of Raritan and Sandy Hook Bays—A. B 172—181, 809, 836, 857, 1153
- Poor—increases board of managers of welfare house for maintenance of, to seven members—S. B. 10—155, 156, 171, 179, 323, 1005
- Port of New York Authority to make survey for bridge from Staten Island to Monmouth County—A J R 16—491, 617, 624, 979, 1159
- Port Authority to bid for purchase of Little Basin of the Morris Canal—S B 298—933, 934, 1023, 1025, 1127.
- Port of New York Authority act—to make effective provision of port compact—A B 212—189, 225, 238
- Port of New York—carries into effect part of the provisions of the port of New York compact between New York and New Jersey—S B. 249—878, 879.
- Prerogative court—permits, to ascertain a sum in gross to be paid where proceedings have been instituted in such court—A B. 315—349, 613, 620, 704, 912
- Professional engineers and land surveyors—defines the qualifications of members of the board of—A B. 429—482
- Prosecutors—permits naming of second assistant prosecutor in counties with population of 100,000 and 200,000—S. B 143—813, 814, 867, 870, 952
- Publication of ordinances in newspaper printed in municipality—A B 504—668, 865, 869
- Publicity—provides for purchase of twenty-five thousand copies at rate of \$2 each of book on New Jersey issued by New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce—S B 83—861, 866, 870, 965.
- Public Service—State House Commission to be empowered to grant right-of-way over lands in North Brunswick Township at Rutgers in property exchange—A. B 495—601, 833, 834, 848, 865, 869, 948, 1142
- Public Utility Commission—includes taxicabs under control of Public Utility Commission—A. B. 462—488
- Public utilities to furnish the name and address of any person, who witnesses an accident, to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners—A B 379—473
- Public utilities—regulates gas rates—A B. 454—486.
- Pulaski—commission for observance of 150th anniversary of death of—A J R 18—597, 672, 674, 706, 986.

## R.

- Railroad act—changes section 55, by substituting word “presumed” for “deemed” to permit defense to be entered for person injured or killed on railroad right of way—A. B. 27—59.
- Railroad crossings—for elimination of railroad grade crossings on State highways by division of cost between railroad companies and highway commission. Yearly program for eliminations to be forwarded—S. B. 273—723, 724, 768, 770, 805.
- Railroad Passes—provides for railroad passes for the members of the South Jersey Port Commission, its secretary, attorney and treasurer—A. B. 329—351.
- Railroad passes for “Standing Advisory Masters”—A. B. 141—129, 439, 442, 506, 520, 523, 660, 714, 717, 783, 956, 1135.
- Railroad tax—restores to school districts gross receipts of main stem railroad tax—S. B. 90—1120, 1123.
- Railroad tax—repeals act for payment of portion of State railroad tax to State Highway Fund—S. B. 91—336, 337.
- Railroads—to require presence of flagman on railroad engine running light beyond yard limits—A. B. 170—180.
- Railroads to acquire by purchase or condemnation right of way 200 instead of 100 feet in width—A. B. 480—505, 690, 693, 907, 1142.
- Railroads—specifies crews for railroad trains—A. B. 219—190.
- Railroad—extends period of time for completion of—A. B. 109—124, 157, 323, 330, 637.
- Railroads—repeals act of 1899, requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies, etc., to make annual returns to State Board of Assessors. Information now obtained under State franchise tax—S. B. 213—646, 649, 782, 1124.
- Real Estate Commission—increases from three to five the membership of—A. B. 443—484, 617, 623, 782, 923.
- Real Estate Commission—includes as real estate salesmen, negotiator of loans secured by mortgage—A. B. 476—490, 617, 623, 744, 1093, 1095, 1119.
- Real Estate Commission—places under the control of the New Jersey Real Estate Commission, developers who own and develop their own properties—A. B. 321—350, 748, 749, 952, 1029.
- Real estate law—authorizes the State University of New Jersey to provide a course of instruction in real estate law—A. B. 446—485, 867, 870, 990.
- Receivers—regulates appointment of receivers and the order in which receivers appointed by any court shall pay over moneys collected by virtue of such appointment—A. B. 396—476, 610, 618, 705, 946.
- Recorders—provides for the appointment of recorders in townships, defines their jurisdiction and fixes their term of office—A. B. 363—470, 521, 523.
- Recorders courts—regulates fees in all actions for penalty in summary proceedings, by statute, before recorders in cities and townships—A. B. 319—349.
- Recording of postponement of judgment in county clerk’s office—A. B. 216—190.
- Registrar of deeds—provides that where corrections or alterations are made in the records in the office of the registrar of deeds, that the deputy or clerk making such alteration or correction shall mark his initials on the margin of such record—A. B. 312—348.

Repeals act for payment of portion of State railroad tax to State Highway Fund—S. B. 91—336, 337

Rural roads—commission for study of rural road policy—A. J. R. 2—87, 134, 136, 163, 196, 322, 464

## S.

Salary of prosecutor of third class counties along the Atlantic Ocean, \$8,000—A. B. 464—488, 891, 892, 967.

Salary—provides that in townships having a population of more than 13,000 the governing body of such township may fix the compensation of the police recorders at the sum of \$2,500—A. B. 362—470, 521, 523

Salary of county detectives at from \$2,200 to \$3,500 in third class counties—A. B. 465—488

Salary—increases the salaries of boulevard commissioners to \$4,500 per annum—A. B. 361—470, 585, 587, 703, 913.

Salary—fixes the salary of banking and insurance department attaches—A. B. 303—346

Salary—provides that in counties having a population of more than 82,000 and less than 175,000 the deputy county clerks, special deputy county clerks, and undersheriffs, chief clerks or executive clerks to sheriff and deputy surrogates, shall receive a salary equal to three-fifths of the annual salary paid to the county clerk, sheriff or surrogate—A. B. 308—347, 671, 674, 755.

Salary—fixes the salary of members of the township committee where such township has a population of more than 5,000 at \$500.00 per annum—A. B. 87—119, 167, 177, 237, 242

Salary—graded salary for court attendants in second class counties—A. B. 252—233.

Salary—additional salary of \$500 per year for Clerk of District Court in Small Claims Division—A. B. 67—94

Salary—fixes the salary of clerks of the judicial districts bordering on the Atlantic Ocean at \$2,500—A. B. 88—119, 166, 176, 199, 203, 244, 719.

Salary—fixes the salary of the judge of a district court in cities having between thirty and fifty thousand inhabitants at \$4,500—A. B. 89—120, 306, 308, 446, 521.

Salary—allows increase for pay of county detective in second class county after one year of service—A. B. 64—94, 134, 135, 246, 299, 715, 718, 763.

Salary—permits municipal governing body to fix salary of all municipal employees including police and firemen—A. B. 62—93, 199, 200, 323, 421, 422, 922.

Salary—compensation for fire wardens increased—A. B. 112—124.

Salary—compensation for surrogates, county clerks and sheriffs in counties along the Atlantic ocean with population between 20,000 and 80,000—A. B. 110—124, 163, 175, 246, 311, 461, 494, 667, 778.

Salary—graduated scale of pay for district court clerks—A. B. 177—182, 808, 836, 1033, 1098, 1099, 1100.

Salary of \$2,500 for freeholders in fourth class counties—S. B. 76—813, 814, 867, 871, 1006.

Salary of \$1,800 for assistant district court clerk—A. B. 162—133, 360, 580, 1142.

Salary—increase in compensation for Commissioners in fourth class cities—S. B. 34—677, 678, 890, 893, 1122, 1185.

- Salary increases for district court judges—A B 148—130
- Salary—graduated scale of pay for sergeants-at-arms of district courts—A B 40—89, 360, 414, 422, 664
- Salary of \$2,500 for committeeman of townships with population in excess of 14,000—A B 155—132, 169, 178, 249, 519, 522, 700, 864
- Salary of Commissioner of Education to be \$15,000—S B 77—723, 749, 750, 804
- Salary of \$9,000 for Common Pleas judge in counties between 82,000 and 150,000 population—A B 192—184, 997, 999, 1103, 1140
- Salary—amends Prosecutors' Salary Act of 1926 to include all counties bordering on Atlantic Ocean—S B 247—878, 879, 914, 916, 1107
- Salary of \$8,000 for judge and \$5,000 for clerk of district court in cities with population of more than 400,000—A B 125—126, 170, 178, 246, 316, 937, 938.
- Salary—increases salaries of secretaries to Chancellor and Supreme Court justices from \$2,000 to \$3,000—S B 262—876, 877, 915, 916, 1017
- Salaries—regulates the compensation of deputies, clerks, chief clerks, and executive clerks in surrogate's, county clerk's and registrar's of deeds offices in first class counties—A B 411—479, 753
- Salaries—substitutes the word "county" for "city" in the act of 1926, regulating the salaries of deputy clerks of the district court—A B 345—467, 583, 588, 1105
- Salaries—fixes the salary of prosecutors of the pleas in counties between 82,000 and 150,000 at \$6,500—A B 346—467, 945
- Salaries—increases salary of the Commissioner of Municipal Accounts from \$6,000 to \$9,000—A B. 444—484, 615, 622.
- Salaries—fixes salary of the mayor of townships, having a population in excess of 14,000 at \$2,000—A B 445—485, 967, 971, 1033
- Salaries—allowing secretary for Circuit Court judges at salary of \$2,500 instead of \$2,000—A B 484—506, 767, 770, 905, 1004, 1092.
- Salaries—allows secretaries and treasurers of county mosquito extermination commissions, a salary of \$100—A B. 55—486, 692, 694, 996
- Salaries—permits boards of freeholders or municipalities to fix salaries of sergeant-at-arms of District Courts—A B 511—881, 925, 987
- Salaries—regulates the salary of reformatory officers of the Rahway Reformatory—A. B. 375—472, 613, 620, 1176
- Safety devices—provides a penalty for employers who fail to safeguard machinery, etc., after notification by the Department of Labor—A B 75—117
- School bonds—permits third class cities to convert promissory notes for schools into—S B 257— 723, 724, 768, 771, 887
- Seal—designates common seal for the Comptroller of the Treasury—A B. 310—348, 461, 494, 514, 638
- Seawalls—for construction of seawalls bordering on Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook Bay—A B 10—56, 341, 342, 856, 1155, 1158
- Sentences—prison sentences for first offenders under 21 years of age only for capital crimes—A B 483—506
- Sentences—prevents a judge of a court who reopens a sentence from imposing a greater punishment upon the defendant than was originally imposed—A B. 81—118, 199, 200, 299, 315

- Sentences—life imprisonment for fourth conviction of crime—A. B. 20—58, 134, 135, 163, 173.
- Sentences—permits defendant convicted of crime and placed under suspended sentence to review legality of sentence—A. B. 36—89, 134, 135, 163, 192, 863.
- Sewers—for enlargement of jointly owned trunk sewers—A. B. 481—505, 611, 619, 669, 740
- Shade Tree Commission—permits committee of freeholders to function as—A. B. 235—230, 695, 791, 986
- Small Cause Courts—authorizes, to hear and determine absence of replevin, within their jurisdiction—A. B. 427—482
- Small Loan act—rate of one and one-half per centum per month interest under Small Loan act; control of licensees, sale of stock, etc., jurisdiction of Banking Commission—A. B. 489—579
- Small Loan act—money loaning organizations prohibited from using words “trust”, “bank”, etc., in advertising business—A. B. 490—579, 867, 870
- Smith—provides for the relief of Lucy A. H. Smith—A. B. 301—346, 413, 415, 608, 753
- Soldiers bonus—provides for payment of, to dependents—A. B. 458—487, 749, 750, 958, 1143.
- South Jersey Port Commission free from Civil Service limitation in employment and removal of assistants—S. B. 211—646, 649, 768, 771, 902
- South Jersey Transit Commission—for study of passenger system between South Jersey counties as well as Philadelphia—S. B. 210—646, 649, 810, 837, 1031
- Spanish-American War Veterans—provides for the compilation and preservation of the record of the annual proceedings of—A. B. 366—470, 500, 502, 761, 1187, 1191
- State contracts—provides for the settlement of disputes arising between any commission, board or agency of the State, and a contractor doing work for such department—A. B. 73—117, 225, 239.
- State lands—authorizes a conveyance of certain State lands situate in the township of Ewing, Mercer County—A. B. 309—347, 440, 443, 864
- State Police uniform—illegal use of, misdemeanor—A. B. 478—490, 808, 835, 923, 1004.
- State Police—increases pay—S. B. 96—653, 656, 692, 696, 702
- State Police—authorizes State Police to serve subpoenas and warrants issued by Legislature—S. B. 2—236, 257, 259, 419
- State Purchasing Agent—reorganizes office of—A. B. 448—485
- Sterilization of inmates of State institutions under certain conditions—A. B. 54—92, 956
- Surgery—regulates the practice of—A. B. 290—344, 689, 693, 924
- Supplementary proceedings to be conducted before a Master in Chancery as well as those other officers now provided by law—A. B. 79—118, 257, 259, 323, 329, 840
- School bonds—makes permissible in third class cities direct sale of school bonds to trustees of Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund—S. B. 117—654, 657, 732, 734.
- Supreme Court justices—reimbursement of, for rentals—A. B. 475—490, 616, 622, 909.

## T.

- Taxation—to give the township of East Hanover, Morris County relief from an exorbitant tax rate caused by the fact, that when the budget was made up, it was not known how much taxes would be received from gross receipts—A. B. 507—748, 866, 869, 955, 1024.
- Taxation—exempts motor boat owners from personal property tax—A. B. 410—479, 609, 617, 848, 1141.
- Taxation—regulates the redemption of property sold for unpaid taxes—A. B. 343—466, 614, 621, 735, 969
- Taxation—provides for the validation and confirmation of certain tax certificates given under the Martin act—A. B. 365—470, 866, 869, 950, 1174.
- Taxation—commissioner of Public Finance to investigate taxation—A. J. R. 15—491.
- Taxation—confers upon the county board of taxation additional powers in the ascertainment of the tax rate of the county—A. B. 417—480, 491, 492, 507, 519, 522, 525.
- Taxation—directs State Board of Taxes to investigate tax exempt property used by universities and colleges—A. J. R. 7—88, 134, 136, 413, 415, 457, 521, 639.
- Taxation—referendum on laws exempting real or personal property from tax—A. B. 197—185
- Taxation—provides for the exemption from taxation of bona fide educational institutions—A. B. 408—478, 583, 586, 603, 709.
- Taxation—repeals act of 1899, requiring cable railroad companies, electric railroad companies, etc., to make annual returns to State Board of Assessors. Information now obtained under State franchise tax—S. B. 213—646, 649, 782, 1124.
- Taxation—for appointment of Personal Property Tax Commission—S. J. R. 7—201, 202, 343, 456, 522.
- Taxation—designed to be remedial in recovery of property sold for taxes where description of land is given in a manner other than that contained in certificate of tax sale—S. B. 100—336, 338, 768, 771, 888.
- Taxation—extends scope of gas tax in refineries—S. B. 286—814, 815, 1005, 1021.
- Taxation—corrects errors and omissions which may occur in apportionment of franchise taxes and taxes in gross receipts of utility companies—S. B. 256—773, 775, 891, 893, 963
- Taxation—exemption of \$500 for veterans extended to widows, etc.—A. B. 45—90, 135, 136, 237, 241.
- Tax boards—provides that the board of chosen freeholders in second class counties shall provide the county board of taxation with an office and facilities for operating such office—A. B. 347—467, 531.
- Tax commissioners—provides that commissioners of taxes and assessments, in cities, having a population of not less than 135,000 shall continue in office during good behavior—A. B. 320—349, 518, 522, 832, 912, 985, 990, 993, 1141.
- Tax sales—simplifies the manner of perfecting title by municipalities, under tax sales—A. B. 331—352.
- Tax sales—authorizes tax collectors to issue certificates direct to persons having interest instead of compelling him to procure an assignment—A. B. 277—254, 416, 417, 454, 720.

- Tax sales—suits in Chancery on property bought for taxes—A. B. 201—186, 317, 319, 403
- Tax sales—advertisement of delinquent tax property before December 31, of year following lapse—A. B. 119—125, 168, 177, 237, 414, 438, 442, 454, 511, 512, 598, 610, 619.
- Tax sales—alters tax liens foreclosures on right of purchasers to collect rents—A. B. 120—126, 168, 178, 237, 327, 894, 896.
- Tenement House act—amends, in respect to the number of fireproof stairways which are compulsory in certain cases—A. B. 389—475.
- Tenement houses—compels six-story tenement houses to have absolutely fire-proof public halls, stairways and corridors—A. B. 295—345
- Tenement house supervision—graduated scale of fees for approval of plans by board of—S. B. 212—773, 775, 833, 834, 903
- Tenure of office—places under tenure of office building inspectors in boroughs—A. B. 466—488.
- Tenure of office—provides that where a medical inspector of the board of education of any municipality shall have held such position continuously for fifteen years, he shall not be removed except for good cause shown—A. B. 359—469, 614, 620
- Tenure of office—provides that all clerks of the board of fire and police commissioners shall hold their position during good behavior—A. B. 325—350, 436, 440, 856, 987
- Tenure of office for tax collectors of any municipality other than county who has held office for five years or more; and any person who may hereafter hold said office five years or more—A. B. 272—253, 672, 674
- Tenure of office for ex-service man in school employ—A. B. 137—129, 224, 238, 323, 333, 592.
- Tenure of office to superintendent of municipal public works—A. B. 254—233.
- Tenure of office for clerk to town recorder—A. B. 251—233.
- Tenure of office for court stenographic reporters—A. B. 215—189, 258, 259, 606
- Tenure of office for municipal treasurer, after five years—A. B. 55—92, 323, 452, 521, 637, 957
- Tenure of office for under-sheriffs in first class counties after ten years—A. B. 198—186, 226, 239, 323, 328.
- Tenure of office for normal school teachers—A. B. 24—59.
- Tenure of office for tax assessor after fifteen years—A. B. 44—90
- Tenure of fire department janitor—A. B. 473—490, 673, 817, 865, 950.
- Tenure for Normal School teachers—A. B. 115—125
- Theatres—permits Labor Commissioner to order discontinue theatre, etc., deemed unsafe for such purpose—S. B. 241—873, 874, 914, 916, 963
- Township advertising—standardizes the method of making newspaper advertisements by townships—A. B. 74—117.
- Township committeemen—prohibits township committeemen from being members of school boards—A. B. 60—93
- Townships to turn over to fire company land at nominal consideration—S. B. 35—302, 303, 413, 415, 701.
- Traction companies—repeals law of 1927, freeing traction companies from paving obligations—A. B. 143—130
- Traction companies under general corporation act to become incorporated under act for formation of traction companies—S. B. 78—677, 678, 749, 751, 803.

- Traffic act—supplement to Traffic act authorizing Motor Vehicle Commissioner and magistrates to revoke drivers' license for reckless driving—A B 239—230, 317, 319, 501, 976, 1141
- Traffic act—specifying colors for traffic signs, right turns on red light, etc—A B 206—187, 226, 240, 323
- Traffic act—to give freeholders under Traffic act equal jurisdiction with municipal power for governing traffic on county roads—S. B. 87—639, 641, 692, 695, 886
- Traffic centers—permits governing bodies of cities to provide for traffic location centers above or below the street level and to construct roadways, parking spaces and such other improvements as may appear necessary in the handling of traffic Provides that the governing body may lease place, sell merchandise and privileges to provide revenue for the construction of such parking places, etc and for the issuance of bonds for that purpose—A. B 413—476, 673, 674, 726, 922
- Traffic courts—removes any doubt as to the right of the board of freeholders to designate a magistrate for the trial of traffic cases arising out of complaints made by the county traffic police—A. B 360—469, 611, 619, 737, 864
- Traffic Commission—continues Traffic and Motor Vehicle Commission which shall report to 1930 Legislature—A J R 10—256, 520, 522, 681, 682, 697, 1151
- Traffic Laws—repeals section 298, of Laws of 1928 (traffic regulations)—A. B. 512—882, 929, 1143
- Trenton—participation of National Guard in 250th anniversary of—A B 100—122, 172, 179, 246, 353, 360, 455, 521, 1206.
- Trust funds—method of distribution of trust funds in instances where person with interest in the trust has been unheard of for fourteen years—S B 182—876, 877, 998, 1000, 1010

**U.**

- U-Drive-It—amends the act regulating “U-Drive-It” automobiles to provide adequate compulsory insurance—A B. 373—472, 594, 672, 794, 1174
- Undertaking—amends the act regulating—A. B 97—121
- Uniforms—provides for issuance free to employees, uniforms worn as a condition of employment by employers—A. B. 285—255
- Uniform Sales act—amends, for delivery of goods under negotiable document—A B 158—132, 165, 175, 237, 243, 306, 308

**V.**

- Validates the appointment of legal assistants by the prosecutor of the pleas in counties having criminal judicial district courts—A B. 358—469.
- Validates the titles of certain properties founded on quit-claim deeds—A B. 293—345, 416, 417, 712, 1154.
- Validates deeds where seals have been omitted, but where the testimonium clause and the acknowledgment recited that it was sealed—A B 297—345, 436, 441, 925, 1154
- Validates deeds made by a corporation, which have been properly signed and executed, except for the affixing of the corporate seal—A. B 402—477, 613, 620

- Validates a deed of conveyance made by a general guardian acting under authority of the Court of Chancery conveying any interest which minors may have in lands situate in the State—A. B. 403—478, 615, 622.
- Validates sheriff's sales on order of Chancellor when notice to non resident defendant is not mailed within necessary time—A. B. 98—121, 167, 177, 448, 521, 710.
- Validates deeds and other documents certified by officials whose terms had expired—S. B. 288—814, 815, 867, 871, 1024.
- Validates deed for real estate conveyance made by corporation after its corporate existence, as limited in its charter, had expired—S. B. 9—645, 647, 692, 695, 844.
- Validates and confirms deeds for conveying lands in school district—S. B. 6—155, 156, 171, 179, 843.
- Validates conveyances by administrator where approval of court is not first obtained—A. B. 17—57, 134, 136, 299, 314, 636.
- Validating contracts for sum in excess of \$1,000 on public work—A. B. 492—593, 689, 693, 760, 870.
- Validating borough ordinances for use of streets by water companies—A. B. 493—593, 672, 674, 726, 1032.
- Validating municipal ordinances—A. B. 503—668, 865, 869, 1109, 1186.
- Validating conveyances made by heirs—A. B. 146—130, 169, 178, 299, 314.
- Validating separate conveyance by married woman—A. B. 224—191, 257, 259, 529, 752.
- Validating incorporation of fire companies—A. B. 223—191, 224, 237, 323, 332, 724.
- Validating title to land sold for taxes—A. B. 186—183, 224, 237, 323, 332, 637.
- Validating real estate sales made under court order—S. B. 107—651, 931, 932, 1007.
- Validation of deeds regardless of defect in acknowledgment after six years—A. B. 259—234, 500, 501, 724.
- Validation of municipal ordinance—S. B. 49—462, 463, 500, 504, 846
- Validation of foreign wills—A. B. 123—126, 306, 308, 450, 1149
- Verdun memorial—provides for construction of war memorial at Verdun, France, at cost of \$70,000—S. B. 268—640, 644, 705, 708.
- Veterans—gives set of New Jersey law books to disabled veterans who were lawyers before they entered the war—A. B. 460—487
- Veterans—appropriates \$1,000 for State convention of Foreign War Veterans of Somerville, June 29, 1929—A. B. 491—714, 717, 720.
- Veterans—for uniform act for statutory provision on incompetent veterans and minor children of disabled or deceased veterans—S. B. 126—723, 724, 749, 751, 819
- Veterans—authorizes the issuance of licenses to honorably discharged ex-service men for the buying and selling of merchandise at public auction—A. B. 377—473.
- Veterans—provides any disabled soldier, sailor, nurse, etc., passing Civil Service examination shall be placed at top of list of eligibles—A. B. 513—882, 931, 1034, 1186.
- Veterans—provides for inheritance tax exemption where proceeds of veterans' insurance or adjusted compensation is made payable to executors—A. B. 510—852, 1134, 1136, 1178.

- Veterans—exemption of \$500 for veterans extended to widows, etc—A. B. 45—90, 135, 136, 237, 241
- Vital statistics—provides that in cities having a population of more than 50,000 and not more than 100,000 that the registrar of vital statistics shall be a separate department and the registrar thereof shall hold office during good behavior—A. B. 332—352
- Vital statistics—provides for the completion of the vital records of New Jersey by the filing of copies of such records dated prior to January 1, 1849—A. B. 409—479, 584, 586, 683
- Vital statistics—to allow filing of birth certificate in vital statistics department when original certificate is missing—A. B. 169—180, 225, 238, 323, 330
- Voorhees farm—permits relatives of former Governor Foster Voorhees to transfer to State of New Jersey farm formerly owned by him—S. B. 291—814, 815, 891, 893, 1126
- Volstead act—to request Congress to recind Volstead act to permit manufacture of beer and wine—A. J. R. 4—87, 855
- Volstead act—asks Congress to amend Volstead act to legalize manufacture wine and beer—A. J. R. 5—87, 855

## W.

- Wages—allows any financially responsible employers with less than \$200,000 capital to also pay wages by check—S. B. 128—639, 642, 692, 696, 1009
- Wards—regulates the establishment of lines and boundaries of wards and the increase or decrease in the number of wards in municipalities governed by boards of aldermen. Places the responsibility for such changes with such boards—A. B. 83—119, 224, 227, 1118, 1142
- Warehouse Receipt act—amends, with respect to negotiability of such receipts—A. B. 404—478, 767, 768
- Workmen's Compensation act—amends, so that "total dependence shall be conclusively presumed as to a decedent's widow and natural children under the age of sixteen"—A. B. 392—475
- Water Commission—provides for appointment of a commission to manage water companies—A. B. 287—236
- Water Commission—creates State Water Policy Commission of seven members—S. B. 98—1175, 1183
- Walsh—vests in James Walsh the title to real estate of which Mary M. McDermott died seized and which is alleged to have escheated to the State of New Jersey—A. B. 376—472, 689, 693, 854, 1206
- Water systems—for distribution of proceeds from sale of water system where assessment has been made against lands benefited—S. B. 225—640, 643, 733, 734, 901
- Weights and measures—brings within the scope of the container marketing law, fruits and vegetables packed or shipped in sacks—A. B. 333—352, 461, 494, 515, 638
- Weights and measures—to require packed fruits and vegetables to have surface of average contents of package—A. B. 179—182, 225, 239, 323, 357
- Weights and measures—marking of net contents on packages—A. B. 190—184
- Weights and measures—standard weight for loaves of bread—A. B. 191—184
- Weights and measures—governs sale of ice cream by weight—A. B. 228—228

- Wills—probation of will as evidence of testamentary capacity of testator—  
A. B. 261—235, 500, 501, 227.
- Workmen's compensation—allowing creation of competitive workmen's compensation insurance fund—A. B. 211—188
- Workmen's compensation—penalizes twice the amount payable to injured employees where an employer fails to properly safeguard machinery after notification from the Department of Labor—S. B. 37—639, 641, 732, 735.







